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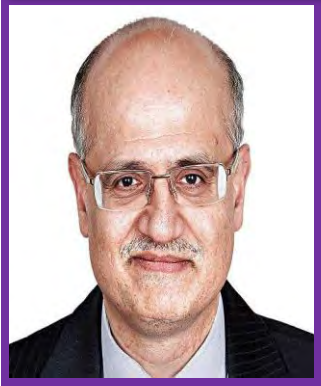
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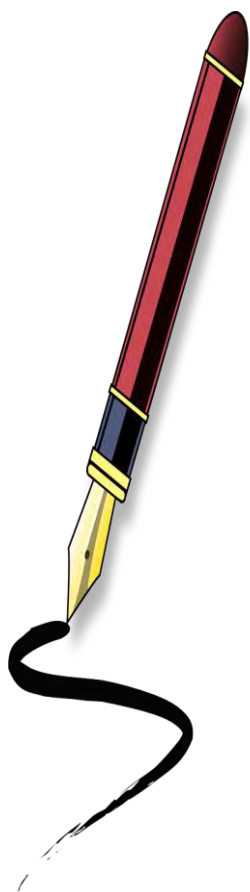
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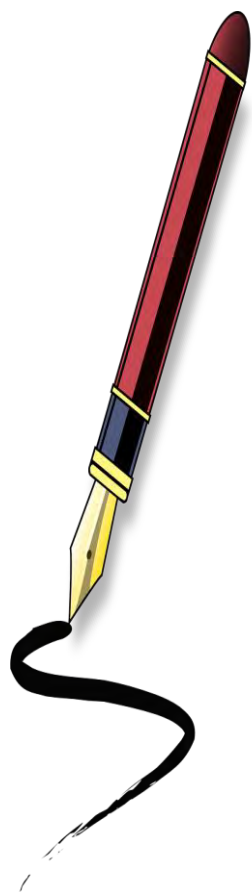
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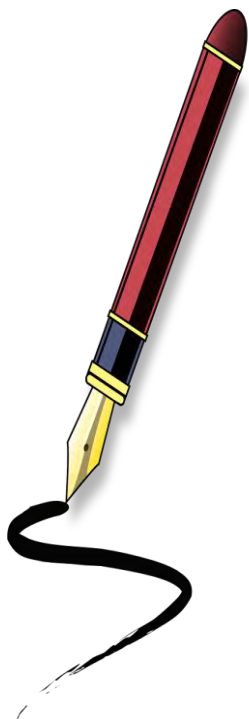
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Vice-Chancellor's Message

It gives me great pleasure to present the Annual Report of the Central University of Karnataka (CUK) for the financial year 2024–25. This report highlights the University's sustained progress as a dynamic centre of higher learning, research, and societal engagement. Guided by our vision of academic excellence, inclusivity, innovation, and nation-building, CUK continues to make significant strides in advancing the frontiers of knowledge and holistic education.

The Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, has emerged as one of India's fastest-growing centers of quality higher education, guided by the principles of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Striking a thoughtful balance between domain knowledge, skill development, and value-based holistic learning, the University regularly reviews and updates its academic programmes to align with contemporary standards and global trends, ensuring that students are well-prepared for the demands of an evolving world.

CUK takes pride in its accomplished faculty, renowned for both research excellence and teaching commitment. Emphasizing outcome-based education and continuous evaluation, the University employs modern, ICT-enabled pedagogies supported by rich digital resources and advanced facilities. The Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre, equipped with state-of-the-art instruments, serves as a cornerstone of the University's cutting-edge research ecosystem.

Interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary learning constitute key strengths of CUK. The introduction of new-age programmes in Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS), Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, and Environmental Studies further enriches the academic landscape, driving innovation and strengthening the University's commitment to future-readiness.

Owing to the constructive efforts made in strengthening human resources, the University has witnessed a positive outcome in the form of a significant rise in student enrolment. CUK now has 172 permanent faculty members, including 20 newly recruited this year, along with 50 contractual teachers or visiting professors, and 100 non-teaching staff including 17 newly appointed this year, supported by 175 outsourced personnel. This enhanced workforce has further reinforced the University's commitment to sustaining a dynamic and high-quality academic environment. With an enrolment of around 3,000 students from across the country, CUK continues to uphold its stature as a truly national institution dedicated to excellence in higher education.

The implementation of NEP 2020 across all programmes has further enriched our curricula by seamlessly integrating disciplinary expertise with employability skills. Our faculty continues to excel in teaching, research, and outreach, exemplifying the spirit of academic leadership, innovation, and collaboration.

With the addition of two new hostels, the University provides eleven Wi-Fi-enabled hostels to accommodate equal number of Girls and Boys, ensuring gender equity, a safe, comfortable, and conducive residential environment. The air-conditioned Central Library, housing over 75,000 books and providing remote access to a wide array of e-resources under One Nation One subscription, remains the intellectual heart of the campus. Complementing this, CUK's verdant campus, equipped with essential amenities—including a health centre, yoga centre, indoor and outdoor gyms, canteens, a bank, post office, and shopping complex—offer students and staff a holistic, vibrant, and enriching campus experience.

In 2024–25, faculty showcased remarkable research productivity, publishing 279 papers in national and international journals indexed in data bases like Scopus, Web of Science etc., along with 18 books and 79 book

chapters. Research funding witnessed a significant increase, nearly double the previous year, bringing total research support to over ₹15 crores.

Student outcomes have been exemplary, reflecting the University's sustained efforts through its dedicated Training and Placement Cell. Comprehensive Campus Recruitment Training (CRT) programmes were conducted in multiple phases to build students' competencies and align their skills with industry requirements. As a result, a significant number of students secured employment through campus recruitment, marking a major achievement in employability. Additionally, 196 students qualified for national and state-level competitive examinations such as CSIR, NET, GATE, CTET, and SET, reflecting notable growth compared to previous years.

The University has also prioritized in-house capacity development programmes to strengthen its workforce. Faculty training focused on Learning Outcomes-Based Curriculum Framework (LOCF), Outcome-Based Education (OBE), and National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) processes, equipping them with tools to maintain high academic standards. Concurrently, non-teaching staff underwent training on office procedures, administrative rules, and regulatory compliance, ensuring efficient governance. These initiatives collectively promote continuous professional development and institutional excellence.

As part of its commitment to environmental sustainability, the University has undertaken extensive eco-restoration initiatives. New water bodies have been created and existing ones restored to enhance groundwater recharge and promote water conservation. Around 5,000 new saplings have been planted, alongside efforts to safeguard existing trees. These measures have transformed the campus into a thriving green ecosystem, attracting diverse birds, small animals, and pollinators, and enriching biodiversity with flowering and medicinal plants, creating an inspiring and serene learning environment.

In line with the transformative vision of NEP 2020, which emphasizes collaboration, experiential learning, and global engagement, CUK has signed several Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs) with the Police Academy, foreign universities, leading R&D centres, and prominent industries.

With all these progressive initiatives and achievements, the Central University of Karnataka has secured a place in the 151–200 band of the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) for 2024–25. This recognition not only enhances the University's visibility and perception at the national level but also reflects CUK's sustained commitment to academic excellence, research innovation, and holistic student development.

Prof. Battu Satyanarayana
Vice-Chancellor
Central University of Karnataka
Kalaburagi

2. Statutory Bodies

2.1 Court

SL. No.	Name and Designation	Position
1	Shri Vijay Keshav Gokhale Hon'ble Chancellor	Ex-officio Chairman
2	Prof. Battu Satyanarayana Vice-Chancellor	Ex-officio Member
Five Deans by rotation in the order of seniority		
3	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi Dean, School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies	Member
4	Prof. N. Sathyanarayana Dean, School of Life Sciences	Member
5	Prof. Srikantaiah K.C. Dean, School of Computer Science	Member
6	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member
7	Prof. Paramesha Dean, School of Engineering	Member
Finance Officer		
8	Shri D. Ramadurai	Ex-officio Member
Controller of Examinations		
9	Shri Kota Sai Krishna	Ex-officio Member
Librarian		
10	Dr. Parashuram S. Kattimani	Ex-officio Member
Dean Student Welfare		
11	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi	Ex-officio Member
One Professor, One Associate Professor and One Assistant Professor by rotation in the Order of Seniority		
12	Prof. Karamala Padmasree Senior Professor, Dept. of Commerce	Member
13	Dr. Deepak Samuel Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics	Member
14	Dr. Renuka L. Nayak Assistant Professor, Dept. of English	Member
Two members of the Executive Council nominated by the Vice- Chancellor		
15	Prof. Sudhakar Yedla	Member
16	Prof. Pramod B. Gai	Member
Registrar		
17	Prof. R.R. Biradar	Ex-officio Member Secretary



2.2 Executive Council

Sl.No.	Name and Designation	Position
1	Prof. Battu Satyanarayana Vice-Chancellor	Chairman
2	The Secretary, Ministry of Human Resource Development. Dept. of Higher Education, Government of India	Member
3	Dr. Raghu Akumanchi Nominee of the University Grants Commission Chairman	Member
4	Chief Secretary, Higher Education, Government of Karnataka	Member
Four members from among the Deans of Schools of study by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor		
5	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi Dean, School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies	Member
6	Prof. N. Sathyanarayana Dean, School of Life Sciences	Member
7	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member
8	Prof. Srikantaiah K.C. Dean School of Computer Sciences	Member
One Professor who is not a Dean by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor		
9	Prof. Karamala Padmasree Senior Professor, Dept. of Commerce	Member
One Associate Professor by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor		
10	Dr. Deepak Samuel Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics	Member
One Assistant Professor by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor		
11	Dr. Renuka L. Nayak Assistant Professor, Dept. of English	Member
Four members of distinction in academic and public life, to be nominated by the Visitor		
12	Prof. Sudhakar Yedla	
13	Prof. Pramod B. Gai	Member
14	Prof. Shivanand B. Hosamani	Member
15	Prof. B.K. Tulasimala	Member
Registrar		
16	Prof. R. R. Biradar	Ex-Officio Secretary

2.3 Academic Council

Sl. No.	Name and Designation	Status
1	Prof. Battu Satyanarayana Vice-Chancellor	Chairman
Deans of Schools of Studies		
2	Prof. M.A. Mohammed Aslam School of Earth Sciences	Member
3	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi Dean, School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies	Member
4	Prof. N. Sathyanarayana Dean, School of Life Sciences	Member
5	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member
6	Dr. Bharat Kumar School of Physical Sciences	Member
7	Prof. Srikantaiah K.C. School of Computer Science	Member
8	Prof. Paramesha Dean, School of Engineering	Member
9	Prof. Vikram Visaji Dean, School of Humanities & Languages	Member
10	Prof. G. R Angadi Dean, School of Education & Training	Member
11	Prof. Ravindra S. Hegadi Dean, School of Media Studies	Member
12	Prof. Panduranga V. Dean, School of Business Studies	Member
13	Prof. Pavitra Alur Dean, School of Social & Behavioral Sciences	Member
Heads of Teaching Departments		
14	Dr. Mohammed Zohair Head, Dept. Business Studies	Member
15	Dr. M. Lingadevaru Head, Dept. of Geology	Member
16	Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy Head, Dept. of Mathematics	Member
17	Prof. Amarendra Matsa Head, Dept. of Electrical Engineering	Member
18	Dr. Ravi Jaikrushna Kangai Head, Dept. of History	Member

19	Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur Head, Dept. of English	Member
20	Prof. Shivanganga Rumma Head, Dept. of Kannada	Member
21	Prof. Vijyendra Pandey Head, Dept. of Psychology	Member
22	Dr. Suma Scaria Head, Dept. of Economic Studies & Planning	Member
23	Prof. Sandeep V. Ranbhirkar Head, Dept. of Hindi	Member
24	Dr. Archana Kujur Head, Dept. of Geography	Member
25	Dr. Mahendar Gavinolla Head, Dept. of Tourism & Hotel Management	Member
Ten Professors (Excluding Deans of Schools of Studies and Heads of Departments/ Centres) on the basis of seniority and rotation to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor		
26	Prof. Karamala Padmasree Senior Professor, Dept. of Commerce	Member
27	Prof. K. Hanumae Gowd Dept. of Chemistry	Member
28	Prof. Romate John Dept. of Psychology	Member
29	Prof. Basavaraj Kodagunti Dept. of Kannada	Member
30	Prof. Raghavaiah Pallepogu Dept. of Chemistry	Member
31	Prof. M Prashant Dept. of Geology	Member
32	Prof. Ganesh Pawar Dept. of Hindi	Member
33	Prof. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar Dept. E & C Engineering	Member
34	Prof. Sujatha E. Dept. of Life Science	Member
35	Prof. Channaveer R.M. Dept. of Social Work	Member

One Associate Professor who is not Head of Department by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor

36	Dr. Deepak Samuel Dept. of Physics	Member
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Five Assistant Professors by rotation according to seniority appointed by the Vice-Chancellor

37	Dr. Vijayakumara H. Dept. of Kannada	Member
38	Dr. Mahalingam Bose Dept. of Geography	Member
39	Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi Dept. of Geology	Member
40	Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem Dept. of Mathematics	Member
41	Dr. C. Mahima Raj Dept. of English	Member

Librarian

42	Dr. Parashuram S. Kattimani	Member
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Six persons not in the service of the University co-opted by the Academic Council for their special knowledge in educational progress and development

43	Prof. Sudhakar Venukapalli	Member
44	Prof. B.R. Kerur	Member
45	Dr. Shakeel Ahmad	Member
46	Prof. P. Laxminarayana	Member
47	Prof. Dr. Y.V. Rami Reddy	Member
48	Dr. Allam Prabhu	Member

Dean, Students Welfare

49	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi	Ex-Officio Member
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Proctor

50	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Dept. of Chemistry	Ex-Officio Member
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Registrar

51	Prof. R R Biradar	Ex-Officio Secretary
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2.4 Finance Committee

Sl. No.	Name and Designation	Position
1	Prof. Battu Satyanarayana Vice-Chancellor	Chairman
Nominees of Executive Council		
2	Prof. Sudhakar Yedla	Member
3	Mr. Ch. V. Sai Prasad	Member
4	Prof. A. Krishnaiah	Member
Visitor's Nominee		
5	Joint Secretary and Finance Adviser MoE or his/her nominee from Finance Bureau of MoE, not below the rank of Deputy Secretary	Member
6	Joint Secretary (CU & L) MoE or his/her nominee	Member
7	Joint Secretary (CU) UGC or any other Joint Secretary Level Officer nominated by the Chairman UGC	Member
Finance Officer		
8	Shri Ramadurai D.	Ex-officio Secretary

3. University at a Glance

The Central University of Karnataka (CUK) was established in the year 2009 under the Central Universities Act, 2009. The CUK is an autonomous institution primarily funded by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The university's vision is to deliver comprehensive education through academic excellence in research and teaching and through the creation and dissemination of knowledge. The CUK offers undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programmes in Science, Engineering, Humanities, languages, Social Work, Law, and Business Studies, in addition to specialised research centres and skill enhancement courses. Currently, the CUK provides nine undergraduates, twenty-six postgraduates, and twenty-nine doctoral programmes across various disciplines.

The CUK is located on State Highway 10, approximately 22 kilometres from Kalaburagi city. The 654-acre campus is primarily residential, providing accommodation for both students and staff. Kalaburagi is recognised for its cultural diversity and has produced notable academicians, religious leaders, and philosophers. The city's archaeological monuments, folk traditions, and diverse industries attract tourists throughout the year.

Special Features of the University

- ❖ The university enrolls more than 2,500 students from all regions across the country.
- ❖ The university employs over 226 faculty members and 120 non-teaching staff dedicated to student development as on 31-03-2025.
- ❖ Faculty members possess strong academic credentials and demonstrate a commitment to excellence in teaching, research, and outreach activities.
- ❖ NEP-2020 has been implemented in all the programmes to provide domain knowledge as well as skill development.
- ❖ The University provides more than ten separate hostels for male and female students, and are all equipped with Wi-Fi facility.
- ❖ Laboratory infrastructure is continuously upgraded across all departments and a world class Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre is established on the campus.
- ❖ A new sophisticated instrumentation facility is fully functional, with equipments such as NMR, HR-ESI-MS, FE-SEM, Single crystal XRD, Powder XRD, PPMS, and ICP-MS for advanced research.
- ❖ A well-equipped air-conditioned Library with more than 75,000 books, as well as remote access to e-books and journals.
- ❖ Campus is equipped with essential requirements such as a Health centre, Yoga centre, Indoor and Outdoor Gyms, Canteens, Bank, Post office, Shopping complex, etc.
- ❖ The University campus is lush green, sustainable, and bio diverse, with more than 30,000 trees.
- ❖ Campus Placement Cell, special coaching for competitive exams, Skill Development Centre, and Innovation Clubs are available for enhancing employability, research and entrepreneurship.

The university has 172 permanent faculty members and 54 contractual and visiting professors, along with 100 Non-teaching staff on permanent role and 20 of them are contractual staff. In the Financial Year 2024-25 the University has recruited 20 faculties and 17 Non-teaching staff. In addition to permanent non-teaching staff, 175 outsourced employees are working at various levels.

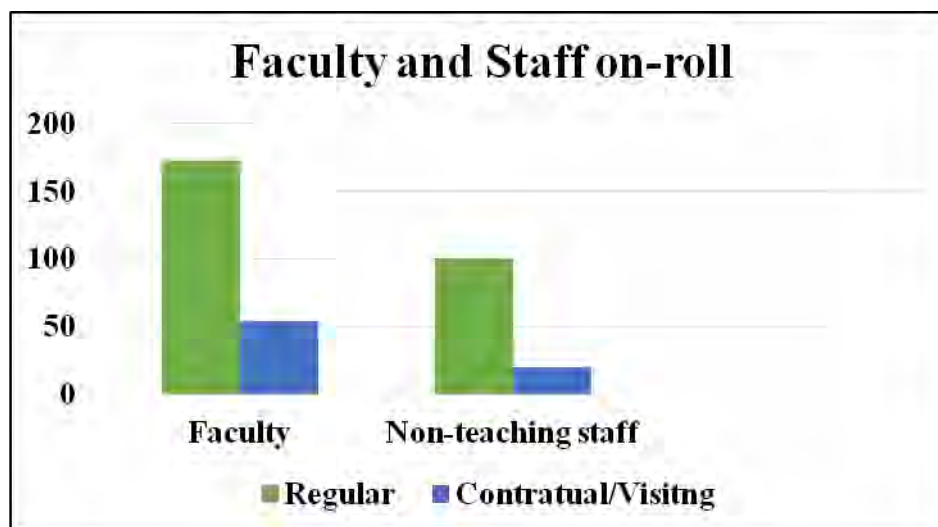


Chart 1. Total number of faculties and staff working during the Finanical Year 2024-25

In the year 2024-25, faculty members have published 279 research papers in national and international journals listed in the CARE list or Scopus, a significant increase over the previous two years (Chart 2). They have also published 18 books and 79 book chapters. The number of research grants have increased to 80 from 41 grants last year, with over ₹8 crores received for research projects. In addition, the Department of Chemistry was sanctioned ₹ 1.67 crore from DST-FIST. The University has also received ₹1.2 crore from NBCC Ltd, a central public sector enterprise, for campus development. Science Departments were sanctioned about ₹11.5 crores from the ANRF-PAIR program, joint project worth of ₹100 crores with the University of Hyderabad. Two faculty members, Prof. S.V. Bhosale and Dr. N. Sandeep, were recognized as the world's top 2 % scientists by Stanford University in 2024.

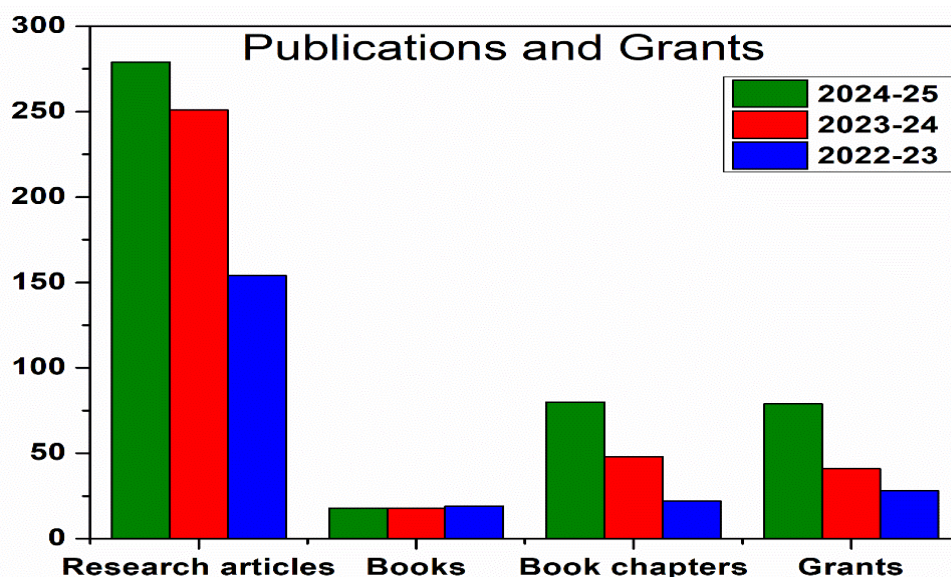


Chart 2. Total number of publications during the Financial Year 2024-25.

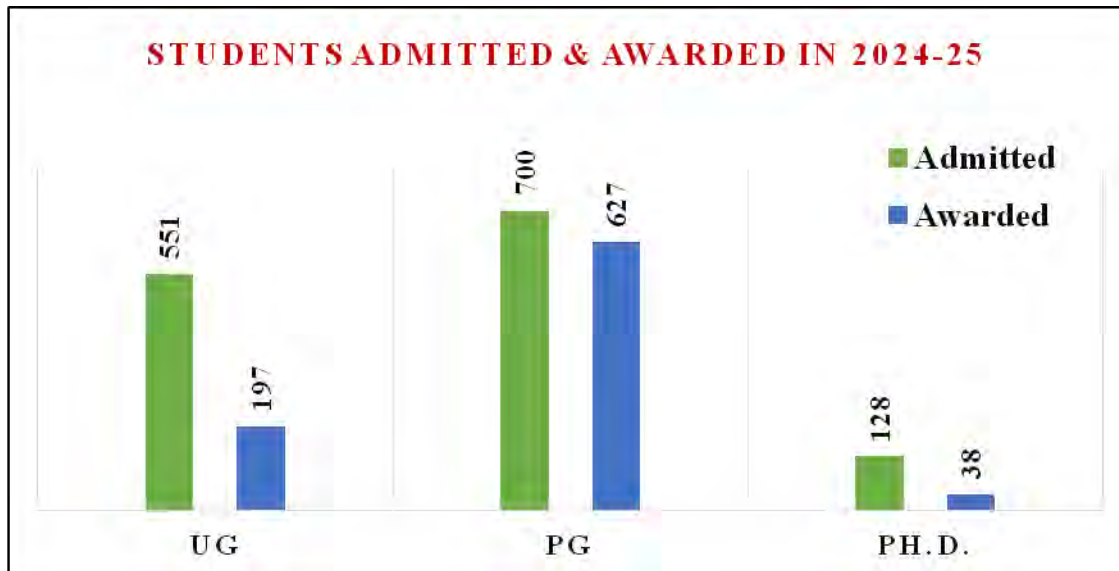


Chart 3. Total number of students admitted and graduated during 2024-25.

During the year 2024-25, 551 UG, 700 PG, and 128 Ph.D. students were admitted (Chart 3). In the same year, 197 undergraduates, 627 postgraduates, and 38 Ph.D. graduates received their degree in the convocation held on 11th March 2025. Additionally, 25 postgraduates and 10 undergraduates received gold medals.

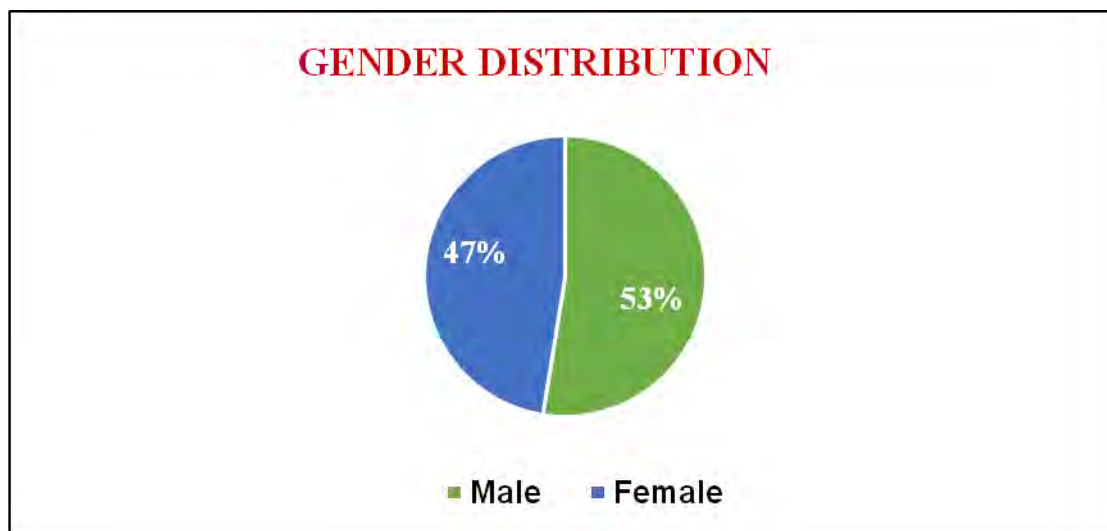


Chart 4. Gender distribution of students among various programmes

CUK has retained almost equal numbers of male and female students in recent years. The University now has 2,522 students in UG, PG, and Ph.D. programs. Of these, 53% are male and 47% are female (Chart 4). The CUK strictly follows the GoI reservation policy in admission, resulting in a healthy equity distribution as shown in Chart 5. Among the total students, 791 are from the General category (with near-equal male and female representation), 966 from OBC (also nearly 1:1 male to female), 383 from SC, 131 from ST, 147 from EWS, and 12 from PWD. In the SC and ST categories, female students comprise about 40% of their respective groups. The proportion of OBC students has steadily remained at 40% over the years.

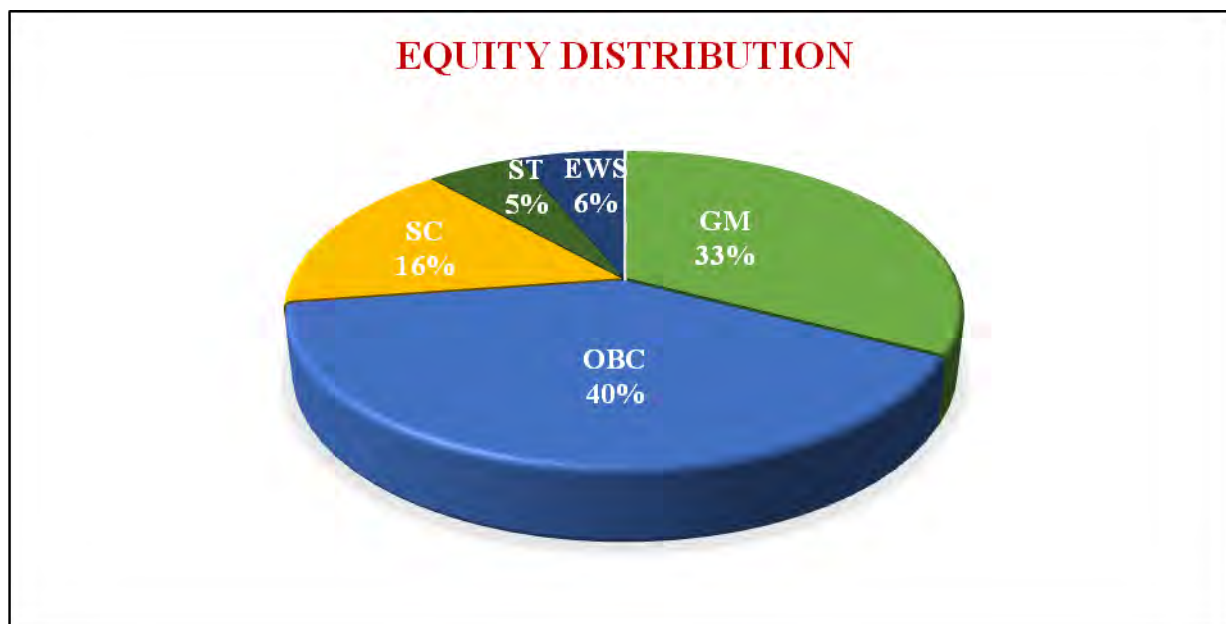


Chart 5. Equity distribution of all students among various programmes.

As depicted in Chart 6, the CUK attracted students from all over the country, of which the majority of students are coming from the southern part of India, contributing to nearly 70%. A large proportion of students are from Kerala (25%) and Karnataka (20%). The total number from each state can be visualized in the map (Chart 7).

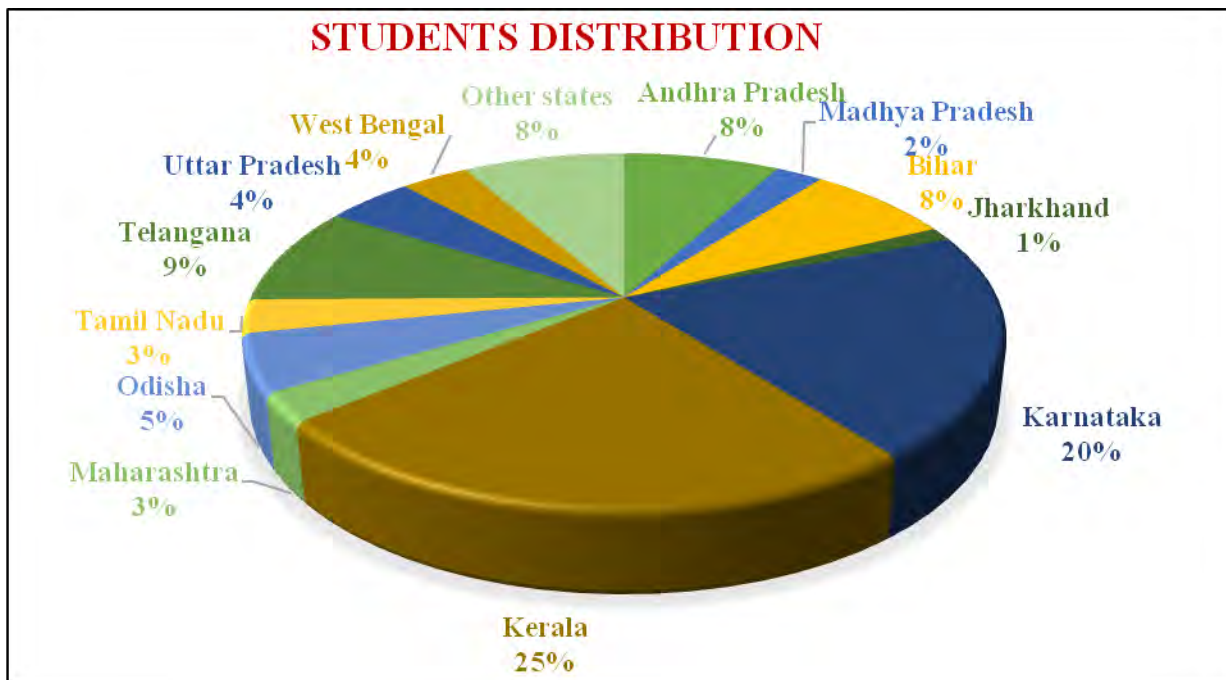


Chart 6. The number of students admitted from various States and Union Territories.

In terms of students' progression and achievements, a total of 184 students secured jobs during the 2024-25 academic year, of which 105 students found employment through the campus placement organized by the Placement Cell, with an average package of ₹4 lakhs per annum. Moreover, 196 students have qualified for national

level exams such as CSIR/NET/GATE/ CTET and state level exams like SET for higher studies, which is significantly higher than the previous years.



Chart 7. The total number of students admitted from various States and Union Territories from the main land of India.

4. Academic Divisions

The Central University of Karnataka consists of 27 academic departments under 12 schools, offering undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. programmes.

4.1 School of Business Studies

Dean: Prof. Panduranga V

The School of Business Studies comprises the Department of Economic Studies & Planning, the Department of Commerce, the Department of Business Studies, and the Department of Tourism & Hotel Management. The vision of the School is to emerge as a Centre of Excellence in an interdisciplinary approach cutting across Economics, Commerce, and Management. The mission of the School is to blend theory with application. Emphasis will be on the application of theories in real-life situations to enhance the skill sets of the students. The School encourages teachers to undertake various research and academic activities. Many activities are taking place at the school level for the benefit of teachers, research scholars, students, and society at large. The School of Business Studies has organised a “Symposium on Union Budget Analysis 2025-26” on 10-02-2025 for the benefit of research scholars and students of the School. “An interactive session on Pros and Cons of NPS and UPS” was organised on 27-02-2025 for the benefit of teaching and non-teaching staff of CUK.

School of Business Studies

- Department of Business Studies
- Department of Economic Studies and Planning
- Department of Commerce
- Department of Tourism & Hotel Management

4.1.1 Department of Business Studies

Head: Dr. Mohammad Zohair

The Department of Business Studies under the School of Business Studies has been established with the vision to strive to achieve excellence in the field of Business Studies through a multidisciplinary approach and foster entrepreneurial and managerial talent among students who, with their core competencies, can carve out a niche in the highly competitive world. The mission of the department is to nurture and shape positive attitudes, competencies, and capabilities among the students who can apply entrepreneurial skills, management concepts, tools and techniques, and ethical principles in sustaining or creating socially responsive organisations, institutions, and enterprises that are vital for the growth and development of the nation and the world at large.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ BBA (3 Years)
- ❖ MBA (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D.

BBA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	13	39	15	8	1	0	75
Female	11	18	9	1	0	0	39

MBA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	8	34	8	3	4	0	57
Female	8	14	8	1	2	0	33

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. A. N. Vijayakumar	Professor	Finance and Entrepreneurship
Dr. Mohammad Zohair	Associate Professor	Quantitative Techniques, Marketing
Dr. Ganapati B Sinnoor	Associate Professor	Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Tourism
Dr. Shushma H	Associate Professor	Human Resource Management, Marketing
Dr. Safia Parveen	Associate Professor	Marketing & Finance
Dr. Shivkumar M. Belli	Associate Professor	Marketing, Fashion Marketing, Retailing
Dr. Shailaja S Konek	Assistant Professor	Finance and Accounting
Dr. Niranjan B Poojar	Assistant Professor	Indian Knowledge System, Marketing and Entrepreneurship

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Jaipal Rathod
Dr. Balki Vani
Dr. Srilakshmi D
Dr. Kavita Sangolagi

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Basavaraj - Computer Operator (Contractual)
2. Revanasidda Biradar (MTS)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. K. Dixit, P. Kumar, K. Ashish, **M. Zohair**, Leveraging Social and Intellectual Capital for Social Entrepreneurship: A Model for Sustainable Business Practices in an Uncertain Environment, *Journal of Risk and Financial Management*, 18(2), 46. January 2025. <http://doi.org/10.3390/jrfm18020046> (Scopus Indexed).
2. **Safia Parveen, Shushma H**, and Rahul M K. India's Digital Governance Landscape: Technological Transformation in Public Administration Through ICT, *Journal of Information Systems Engineering and Management*, Vol. 9, No. 4, 2024, pp. 535 - 541, <https://www.jisem-journal.com/index.php/journal>, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.55267/iadt>, e-ISSN: 2468-4376.
3. Samridhi Kapoor and **Shushma H**. Investigating the Agricultural Finance Sources, Access and the Factors Affecting its Demand, *IMIB Journal of Innovation and Management*, Vol. 2, Issue. 2, Oct. 2024, pp. 1-20 , <https://jim.imibh.edu.in/doi/pdf/10.1177/ijim.241272314.pdf>.
4. Samridhi Kapoor and **Shushma H**. Measuring the Effectiveness of Agricultural Credit in Increasing Farm Productivity: An Empirical Analysis. *International Management Review*, Vol. 20 No.1, 2024, pp. 32 - 41. http://americanscholarspress.us/journals/IMR/journal_IMR.php (UGC Care List Group I).
5. Samridhi Kapoor and **Shushma H**. Perception of Farmers as Investors towards Various Investment Avenues: An Empirical Analysis. *IMIB Journal of Innovation and Management* vol. 2 No. 2, 2024.1–16. <https://doi.org/10.1177/ijim.241240877>
6. Vemula R, Bhavikatti V, **Konek S**, Palisetty R, Boddeda O, Hiremath S, Exploring the Impact of Influencer Marketing Strategies on Sustainability in the Fashion Industry, *International Journal of Management and Enterprise Development*, January 2025, DOI: 10.1504/IJMED.2025.10070777.
7. **Niranjan B Poojar**, The Art of Persuasion: Unravelling Donald Trump's Marketing Strategy in the 2024 U.S. Presidential Election, *Madhya Bharati*, pp. No 84, Vol. 86, No 8, 2024, ISSN 09740066.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Prof. A.N. Vijayakumar**, Coconut-Based Small Enterprises for Rural Development: A Case Study of Virgin Coconut Oil in Karnataka, *Journal of Rural and Industrial Development* (2024). Vol.12, Issue 2, pp. 27
2. **Prof. A.N. Vijayakumar**, Sustainability of Small Farm Holders in Indian Coffee Sector, *Indian Journal of Sustainable Development* (2025) details vol.11 Issue 1 pp. 35

Non-peer-reviewed Publications (Articles in newspapers and others)

1. **Dr. Niranjan B. Poojar**, SDGs and ESG: Instruments of neo-colonialism and woke blackmail undermining sovereignty. <https://organiser.org/2025/07/04/300999/bharat/sdgs-and-esg-instruments-of-neo-colonialism-and-woke-blackmail-undermining-sovereignty/>

Conference proceedings:

1. **Shushma H. and Safia**, e-Governance and Public Administration: The Role of Digital Transformation in Enhancing Government Efficiency in the National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat on 28th March 2025, Dept. of Commerce, Central University of Karnataka.
2. **Shushma H. and Safia**, Echoes of the Past, Insights of the Present: Redefining LGBTQ+ Leadership in Indigenous Governance, in a two-day National Seminar on Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road ahead for Academia and Practice from 20-03-25 to 21-03-25, Dept. of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka
3. **Shushma H., Safia** and Padma Nair, “Social Inclusion of Transgender Entrepreneurs: An analysis of the challenges faced by Transgender Entrepreneurs in Kerala” in Three-day International Conference on ICSSR Vision Viksit Bharat @2047: Leaving No One Behind from 28-02-25 to 01-03-25, Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Nagpur.
4. **Shushma H. and Safia**, “Lambani Handicrafts: A Medium for Preserving Tribal Heritage and Identity” in Two-Days National Conference on Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities from 11-02-25 to 12-02-25, organized by Central University of Karnataka in association with ICSSR, New Delhi.
5. **Shushma H.**, “Exploring the Role of Social Networks as Key Support Systems for Migrant Communities in India” in three-days International virtual seminar on Theories on Migration and Critical Readings on Intellectual Traditions from 23-09-24 to 25-09-24, by Centre for Migration Policy and Inclusive Governance, School of International Relations and Politics, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kerala and Dept. of Law, Central University of Karnataka.

Books authored

1. Dr. S.O. Halasagi, **Dr. Shailaja S. K** (2024), Business Organization and Management, Sri Siddalingeshwar Prakashana, Kalaburagi, 585101, November 2024, ISBN-978-93-48172-82-2.
2. Dr. S.O. Halasagi, **Dr. Shailaja S. K** (2024). Principles of Marketing, Sri Siddalingeshwar Prakashana, Kalaburagi, 585101, November 2024, ISBN-978-93-48172-31-0.
3. Dr. Jyoti M, Dr. Veena B, **Dr. Shailaja S K**, Dr. Tejaswi B, Dhananjay K, Dr. Pradip K S (2025), Social Media Marketing, Himalya Publishing House, Mumbai-400004, ISBN-978-93-6557-138-7.
4. **Dr. Niranjan B. Poojar**, (2024), The Cultural Marxism -The war on the consciousness, ISBN – 978-93-55624-54-3

Books edited

1. Lingamurthy S, **Belli Shivkumar M**, Somanamaradi Basavaraj (Eds.). Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Way towards Self-Reliance. Samvit Prakashan and Media Pvt. Ltd. 2024. ISBN-9781-234567897.
2. **Dr. Jaipal Rathod**, Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance, published by Samvit Prakashan and Media Pvt.Ltd, ISBN: 9-781234-56789-7.

Authored in book chapters:

1. Samridhi Kapoor and **Shushma H**, “Navigating the Confluence of Technology, Sustainability and Development: Prospects, Obstacles and a Roadmap for Future Inquiry”, authored by Pardeep Singh, Shikha Daga and Kiran Yadav, Springer Nature Switzerland, 2024. ISSN 2199 - 7373, e-ISSN 2199 – 7381, ISBN 978-3-031-65971-3, eBook ISBN 978-3-031-65972-0 <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-65972-0>.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Prof. A.N.Vijayakumar**, resource person, NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme under the UGC – Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Program at Ramanujan College, New Delhi on 03-04-2025.
2. **Dr. Shushma H**, invited as a Resource person and delivered a lecture at the Symposium on Union Budget 2025-26 on 10-02-2025, Central University of Karnataka.

3. **Dr. Shuhsma H** invited as Resource Person to conduct a Two-day soft skills development workshop from 25-11-2024 to 26-11-2024 at Veeranari Chakali Ilamma Women's University, Hyderabad.
4. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, delivered a talk as a resource person in the symposium on Union Budget 2025-26, organized by the School of Business Studies on 10-02-2025.
5. **Dr. Belli Shivkumar M** delivered 4 Sessions as a resource person on "Indian Knowledge System" in the NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Program under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP) of UGC, organized by IIITDM, Kancheepuram, from Jan 22-Feb 1, 2025; 03-13 Feb, 2025 Batches.
6. **Dr. Belli Shivkumar M** delivered 2 Sessions as a Resource Person on "Philosophy and Research" in the ICSSR-sponsored Ten Days Workshop on Research Methodology for Social Science: Emerging Trends in Research for M.Phil/PhD/PDF scholars in Social Sciences held from 20th to 29th January, 2025, at Central University of Karnataka.
7. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek** delivered an invited talk on "Incentives to the Service Sector" in the Symposia on Union Budget 2025-26, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, on February 10, 2025.
8. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek** delivered an invited talk on "Sharanara Sahakara Tatva" in the Basava Samiti Anubhava Mantapa, Kalaburagi, March 9, 2025
9. **Dr. Niranjan B. Poojar** delivered an invited talk on "Multidisciplinary Approach to Higher Education" in the workshop organised by Karnataka State Folklore University, November 14, 2024.
10. **Dr. Kavita Sangolgi** delivered an invited talk on "Youth Empowerment" organized by Anand Abhiyan Charitable Society, Kalaburagi, at Sri Madhava Goushala on 14th January 2025.
11. **Dr. Kavita Sangolagi** delivered an invited talk on "Empowerment of Women and Child" organized by Dhanan Foundation, Kalaburagi, Kannada Bhavan on 8th March 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr. Mohammad Zohair**, "Artificial Intelligence –driven Strategies for Supply Chain Resiliency: A Bibliometric Analysis" in a two-day International Conference on Circular Economy and Artificial Intelligence for Sustainable Future at Jain University, Bengaluru, on December 2-3, 2024.
2. **Dr. Shushma H.** "E-Governance and Public Administration: The Role of Digital Transformation in Enhancing Government Efficiency" in the National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat on 28th March 2025, Dept. of Commerce, Central University of Karnataka.
3. **Dr. Shushma H.** "Echoes of the Past, Insights of the Present: Redefining LGBTQ+ Leadership in Indigenous Governance" in a two-day National Seminar on Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road ahead for Academia and Practice from 20-03-25 to 21-03-25, Dept. of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka
4. **Dr. Shushma H.** and Padma Nair "Social Inclusion of Transgender Entrepreneurs: An analysis of the challenges faced by Transgender Entrepreneurs in Kerala" in Three-day International Conference on ICSSR Vision Viksit Bharat@2047: Leaving No One Behind from 28-02-25 to 01-03-25, Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Nagpur.
5. **Dr. Shushma H.** "Lambani Handicrafts: A Medium for Preserving Tribal Heritage and Identity" in Two-Day National Conference on Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities from 11-02-25 to 12-02-25, organized by Central University of Karnataka in association with ICSSR, New Delhi.
6. **Dr. Shushma H.**, "Exploring the Role of Social Networks as Key Support Systems for Migrant Communities in India" in three-days International virtual seminar on Theories on Migration & Critical Readings on Intellectual Traditions from 23-09-24 to 25-09-24, by Centre for Migration Policy and Inclusive Governance, School of International Relations and Politics, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kerala and Dept. of Law, Central University of Karnataka.
7. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, "Exploring the Role of Social Networks as Key Support Systems for Migrant Communities in India" at the three-day International Virtual Seminar on "Theories on Migration and Critical Readings on Intellectual Traditions" organized by the Centre for Migration Policy and Inclusive Governance, School of International Relations and Politics,

- Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala, India in collaboration with the Department of Law, School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Karnataka, India, September 23-25, 2024.
8. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, “Lambani Handicrafts: A Medium for Preserving Tribal Heritage” in the Two-Day National Conference on Viksit Bharat Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities, organized by Central University of Karnataka in Association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi on 11th and 12th February, 2025.
 9. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, “Social Inclusion of Transgender Entrepreneurs: An Analysis of the Challenges Faced by Transgender Entrepreneurs in Kerala” in the International Conference on ICSSR Vision Viksit Bharat @ 2047: Leaving No One Behind held at the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Nagpur on February 28 – March 01, 2025.
 10. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, “E-Governance and Public Administration: The Role of Digital Transformation in Enhancing Government Efficiency” in the ICSSR-SRC sponsored National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat, organized by the Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, on 28th March, 2025.
 11. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, “Echoes of the Past, Insights of the Present: Redefining LGBTQ+ Leadership in Indigenous Governance”, in the two-day National Seminar, organized by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka in association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road Ahead for Academia and Practice” on 20th and 21st March 2025 at Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.
 12. **Dr. Belli Shivkumar M** “Entrepreneurship and the Start-up Ecosystem: A Prospect for Vikasit Bharath @ 2047”. Two-Day National Seminar on Viksit Bharath @ 2047: Way to Self-Reliance, September 17 & 18, 2024. Dept of Economics Studies and Planning, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, INDIA (National).
 13. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek**, “Sharaneyara Arthika Chintanegalu”. One-day seminar at Anubhava Mantapa organized by Basava Samiti on 09-03-2025.
 14. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek**, Rajyamattada Ondu dinada Kannada Kai Kavya Kathe Sanskriti Adhyayana Kammata, One Day Seminar, Bengaluru on 21st Oct 2024.
 15. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek**, “Customer perception towards E-Commerce”. One-day National Seminar on “E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat”, March 28, 2025.
 16. **Dr. Shailaja S Konek**, “Transformational Leadership: Accelerating Change and Innovation”. Two-day “International Conference on Innovations and emerging trends in Artificial Intelligence and management”, 24-25 February 2025, WCTM, Haryana.
 17. **Balki Vani**, “Role of Social Quotient among entrepreneurs” Two-day National Seminar on Vikasit Bharath @ 2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance. Organized by the Department of Economic Studies and Planning in collaboration with ICSSR, 7th and 18th September 2024.
 18. **Dr. Jaipal Rathod**, Two-day National Conference seminar on “Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance” Organised by Department of Economics Studies and Planning, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka in Association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi, held on 17-18 September 2024.
 19. **Dr. Jaipal Rathod** Two-day National Conference on Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities Organised by Central University of Karnataka in Association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi on February 11- 12, 2025.
 20. **Dr. Jaipal Rathod**, National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat, organized by the Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, held on 28th March 2025.
 21. **Dr. Kavita Sangolagi**, “Kayaka” One-day seminar at Anubhava Mantapa organized by Basava Samiti on 09-03-2025.
 22. **Dr. Kavita Sangolagi**, Empowering Women Entrepreneurs: The role of Technology in Business Success in National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat, organized by the Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University Kalaburagi, Karnataka. Held on 28th March 2025.

23.**Dr. Srilakshmi D**, Digital transformation as a catalyst for Vikshit Bharat: Strategies, challenges, and opportunities in National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat organized by Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University Kalaburagi, Karnataka, held on 28th March 2025.

Ph.D. awarded:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Awarded/ Submitted
1.	Tirumala Grudanti Pavani	PHDBS1808	Prof. M.V. Alagawadi	Impact Of Financial Literacy and Financial Self-Efficacy on Individual Financial Decisions with Behavioral Biases as Moderators	15/10/2024
2.	Samridhi Kapoor	20DPMGT01	Dr. Shushma H.	Role of Agricultural Finance in Improvement of Productivity and Inclusive Growth: An Empirical Study on Farmers of Central Uttar Pradesh	25/02/2025

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Prof. A. N. Vijayakumar	Management Development Programme on “Nurturing Future Leadership Program (NELP) under the aegis of Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MMTTP) on 17 th March 2025 at IIM Lucknow.
2	Dr. Shushma H	National Level Capacity Building Programme on “Strategies for Authoring Impactful Research Articles”
3	Dr. Shailaja S Konek	FDP on Universal Human Values organized by AICTE, New Delhi, from Mar 10 th to March 14 th , 2025
4	Dr. Shailaja S Konek	FDP on Advanced Tools and Techniques for Research Methodology, organized by the Research Foundation of India
5	Dr. Niranjana B Poojar	5 day Refresher courses Inculcating Universal Human Values in Technical Education by AICTE.
6	Dr. Balki Vani	Bharatiya Management Navaratri Lecture Series, Five Days, 3 rd to 7 th October 2024, Organized by CESS in collaboration with ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education and Ramaiah Institute of Management.
7	Dr. Balki Vani	NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme, 11 days from 16 th to 26 th December 2024, organized by Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP) of University Grants Commission (UGC), Organized by UGC – MMTTC

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (In INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR-New Delhi	Empowerment of Tribal and its Role in the Vision Viksit Bharat@2047: A Study on Traditional Knowledge, Culture and Entrepreneurial Abilities among Select Tribal Communities of Southern States of Bharat	Dr. Belli Shivkumar M (PI)	08 Lakhs	2024-25	Ongoing



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2	ICSSR-New Delhi	Optimal Utilization of Solar Energy for Electric Vehicles (EVs): Comprehensive Analysis and Strategies Measures	Dr. Belli Shivkumar M (Co-PI)	12 Lakhs	2024-25	Ongoing
3	ICSSR-New Delhi	Swaraj as a Model for Decolonized Holistic Development: Crafting Indic Development Indices Rooted in Bhartiya Philosophy	Dr. Niranjana B. Poojar as Project Director. Dr. Gulappa and Dr. Jaipal Rathod as co-Investigator	15 Lakhs	2025-27	Ongoing
4	NITI AAYOG Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office, Govt. of India	Monitoring and Evaluation Universities in the State of Monitoring and Evaluation of Capacity Building of Universities in the State of Karnataka	Dr. Shailaja S Konek, Project Member	3 Lakhs	2024-25	Submitted

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Dr. Shushma H	Best Teacher Award- Kalika Sneha Shikshaka Puraskara Sujaya Educational and Welfare Society, Kalaburagi

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. Prof. A.N. Vijayakumar, Independent Expert Member, Product Advisory Committee, Multi-Commodity Exchange of India Limited Life Member of Operational Research Society of India – Dr. Mohammad Zohair
2. Member of Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Bangalore, and All India Commerce Association – Dr. Ganapati

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	University/Institute	Duration
1	A Lakshmi Nadh	23PBUSI001	Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	May-June 2024
2	Abhijith S Nair	23PBUSI002	English House	May-June 2024
3	Abhinav	2 PBUSI003	Zomato Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
4	Aditya Kumar Patil	23PBUSI004	Bilgundi Motors	May-June 2024
5	Ajay Kumar Kuntigorla	23PBUSI005	Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	May-June 2024
6	Aminanaswa	23PBUSI006	Malabar Multi Speciality Centre Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
7	Ananth R Krishna	23PBUSI007	Dhanlaxmi Bank, Guruvayur	May-June 2024
8	Boddupally Yamini Snigdha	23PBUSI008	The House of Abhinandhan Lodha	May-June 2024
9	Chougale Pranita	23PBUSI009	Schneider Electric	May-June 2024
10	Danish Malik	23PBUSI010	Espalier	May-June 2024
11	Devarakonda Sai	23PBUSI011	Schneider Electric	May-June 2024



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	Sravanthi			
12	Eguduri Nagaraju Yadav	23PBUSI012	Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	May-June 2024
13	Fayas Muhammad	23PBUSI013	Calicut International Airport	May-June 2024
14	Indudhar	23PBUSI015	COPEs Tech India Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
15	K Ashwitha	23PBUSI016	Schneider Electric President System Ltd	May-June 2024
16	Kavita	23PBUSI017	Schneider Electric President System Ltd	May-June 2024
17	Mahantesh Nanajagi	23PBUSI019	Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	May-June 2024
18	P Hanumanthu	23PBUSI021	FINQY Ltd	May-June 2024
19	Prasad	23PBUSI022	COPEs Tech India Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
20	R Aishwarya	23PBUSI023	Tube Investments of India Ltd	May-June 2024
22	Raziya Sultana Gunjoti	23PBUSI025	Schneider Electric	May-June 2024
23	Sangamitra	23PBUSI026	FINQY Ltd	May-June 2024
24	Sanghrakshit Hubli	23PBUSI027	Bilgundi Motors	May-June 2024
25	Santosh Patil	23PBUSI028	Bilgundi Motors	May-June 2024
26	Shabeeba Maheveen	23PBUSI029	HM Traders	May-June 2024
27	Shikher Sharma	23PBUSI031	Indusfly Technologies Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
28	Shiva Lukalapu	23PBUSI032	FINQY Ltd	May-June 2024
29	Shruti	23PBUSI033	Kalaburgi, Bidar, and Yadgir Co-operative Milk Producers Societies Union Limited	May-June 2024
30	Smruthi P Shaji	23PBUSI034	Sykam Consultancy Services	May-June 2024
31	Surbhi	23PBUSI035	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd	May-June 2024
32	Swati	23PBUSI036	Indusfly Technologies Pvt Ltd	May-June 2024
33	Vijay	23PBUSI037	Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	May-June 2024
34	Yugesh Kannth	23PBUSI038	YKSE Ltd	May-June 2024
35	Sapna	23PBUSI039	Sandhar Technologies Ltd	May-June 2024

Higher Education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Abhinandan Kumar	2021UGBBA01	MTTM	Hindu Banaras University	2024
2	Amarjeet Kumar	2021UGBBA02	MBA	IIIT, Prayagraj	2024
3	Chandrashekhar Ainapur	2021UGBBA10	MBA	IFIM College	2024
4	Kamran	2021UGBBA16	MBA	Central University of Karnataka	2024
6	Krishna Kumar	2021UGBBA18	MBA	Aligarh Muslim University	2024
7	Nari Divin Raj	2021UGBBA24	MBA	Central University of Karnataka	2024
8	Vikas Kumar	2021UGBBA38	MBA	Central University of Rajasthan	2024
9	Simran	2021UGBBA35	MBA	Lovely Professional University	2024
10	Pooja Patale	PHDMGMT1903	PDF	Central University of Karnataka	2024

Placement Details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ashhar Ahmed Gilani	2021UGBBA06	First Source, Customer Service	2024
2	Athul Raj NV	2021UGBBA07	BROTOTYPE, Packagers Pvt Ltd., Malappuram	2024



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3	Bhaskar Kumar	2021UGBBA09	First Source, Customer Service	2024
4	Kapelli Srinivasa Satish Kumar	2021UGBBA17	GEP Solutions Pvt Ltd.	2024
5	Mantasha Tarannum	2021UGBBA19	First Source, Customer Service	2024
6	Mirza Safee Baig	2021UGBBA22	Cognizant	2024
7	Ritik Raj	2021UGBBA29	Dheet, seeds to Market	
8	Soail Faraz	2021UGBBA36	TCS-BPS, BPO	2024
9	Ajal Sebastian	2022PGMGT03	Deloitte	2024
10	Ajay Sharma	2022PGMGT04	Genpact	2024
11	Arshika T	2022PGMGT08	Home first Finance	2024
12	Ashutosh Kumar	2022PGMGT10	Niva Bupa health insurance company	
13	Asmita More	2022PGMGT11	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
14	Astha Singh	2022PGMGT12	WNS Associate	2024
15	Beedupalli Adnan Abid	2022PGMGT13	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
16	Chetan	2022PGMGT14	Kumar Kia	2024
17	Dilna P	2022PGMGT16	Cloud big technologies	2024
18	Edubilli Sankararao	2022PGMGT17	Home First Finance Company	2024
19	Haneena Thansi	2022PGMGT18	Wipro	2024
20	Neha Samreen	2022PGMGT24	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
21	Nikitha S	2022PGMGT26	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
22	Pratyush Singh	2022PGMGT27	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
23	Prity Bharti	2022PGMGT28	Hariom Builders Gujarat	2024
24	Priyanka	2022PGMGT29	Genpact	2024
25	Priyanka Devindrappa	2022PGMGT30	Niva Bupa health insurance company	2024
26	Shilpa Mohan	2022PGMGT32	Lance Soft India Pvt Ltd., Bengaluru	2024
27	Sonam Sharma	2022PGMGT34	Niva Bupa, ESAF Small Finance Bank	2024
28	Unnati Chauhan	2022PGMGT35	Home First Finance and Niva Bupa	2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	22.01.2025	NEP 2020: Industry Academia Interface and MoU signing	One day, National Conclave on NEP 2020: Industry Academia Interface and Signing of MoU with Multi-Commodity Exchange of India, Mumbai
2	11-02-2025 to 12-02-2025	VIKSIT BHARAT through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities	Two-Day National Conference on VIKSIT BHARAT through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities
3	28.01.2025	Farmer's Meet	Farmer's Meet on Augmenting Farm Income and Entrepreneurial Opportunities in Medicinal and Aromatic

BOS details:

1. The BoS meeting was held on 4th July 2024 regarding BBA V and BBA VI syllabus revision.
2. BoS agenda in circulation- Change of the name of the department on 7th Feb 2025.

Alumni activity:

An alumni meet was held on 11th March 2025 to receive recommendations from the alumni to develop and update the curriculum based on the current need of the industry

Events at the department:

1. Dr. Mahesh Chilakari, Director, Kalaburagi airport visited our department regarding consultancy on 31st July 2024.
2. Prof. Anjal Prakash, ISB Hyderabad, delivered a lecture on “Climate change and sustainability” on 18th September 2024.
3. Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi, Assistant Professor, Dept. Computer Science delivered a Special lecture on E-Commerce Technology, 25th October 2024.
4. Dr. Arvind Gajakosh, Associate Professor, Central University of Kerala, delivered lectures on skills and career building on 13th November 2024.
5. One day National Conclave on NEP 2020: Industry Academia Interface on 22nd January 2025.
6. Signing of MoU with Multi-Commodity Exchange of India, Mumbai, on 22nd January 2025.
7. MBA students participated in Self Self-Employment Seminar at Bharatiya Sanskritik Utsav on 31st January 2025.
8. Interaction of the department faculties with Prof. Satyajit Majumdar, TISS Mumbai and Prof. Rajesh Chanakya University Bengaluru on 11th Feb 2025.



One day national conclave on “NEP 2020: Industry Academia Interface on 22nd Jan 2025(MoU Signing)



Industrial Visit to Sankalp Irrigation and Eco Packaging Industries in Kalaburagi on 7th March 2025



Two-day national conference on Viksit Bharath through Tribal Empowerment on 11-12 Feb. 2025



Two-Day National Conference on Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Eosdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities on 11-12th Feb 2025

4.1.2 Department of Commerce

Head: Prof. Panduranga V

The Department of Commerce started in the academic year 2010-11 as a constituent Department in the School of Business Studies. The Department has well-experienced full-time faculty and invites industry experts and subject experts on a need basis. It offers M. Com and PhD programs. The Department promotes research, consultancy, training, and outreach activities. It strives to promote applied research to address both national and regional challenges. The Department has the credit of organising workshops, capacity building programmes, and national conferences. The Department has undertaken four research projects funded by ICSSR and UGC. The M. Com program is designed, updated, and imparted to develop the conceptual and analytical skills of students in line with the industry requirements. The curriculum has a judicious mix of conceptual, analytical, and quantitative reasoning to meet the requirements of industry, along with an interdisciplinary framework. All the M. Com students undergo an internship to get exposure to the workings of the corporate environment and carry out a dissertation to inculcate a research culture.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ M.Com (2 Years)
- ❖ PhD in Commerce (3 years)

M.Com students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	3	15	4	1	0	0	23
Female	6	12	3	1	0	0	22

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male		4	1	2	--	--	7
Female	1	2	2	--	1	--	6

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. K. Padmasree	Senior Professor	Accounting, Finance, and Entrepreneurship
Dr. Panduranga V	Professor	Finance and Taxation
Dr. Shivakumar Deene	Professor	Accountancy, Finance, Quantitative Techniques, and Banking
Dr. Devarajappa S	Professor	Accounting, Finance and Taxation
Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D	Associate Professor	Banking, Quantitative Techniques, Advanced Accountancy
Dr. Ranganatham. G	Associate Professor	Accounting, Finance, and Entrepreneurship
Dr. P. Raja Lingam Goud	Assistant Professor	Corporate Finance, Development Finance, Development Management, Disability Studies

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Priyadarshini (Computer Operator – Outsourcing)
2. Bhagawantraiya (MTS - Outsourcing)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

- Ejaj Mardan** and **Karamala Padmasree**, Impact of Ind AS on Share Price Determinants: Evidence from Listed NBFCs, *MUDRA: Journal of Finance and Accounting*, 2025, Vol. 12, Issue 1, Jan-Jun 2025, pp. 184-204, DOI: 10.17492/jpi.mudra.v12i1.1212509.
- Ved Prakash** and **K aramala Padmasree**, An Event Analysis of Loan Moratorium by RBI: Evidence from Indian Bank Index, *Srusti Management Review* Vol. XVII, Issue - II, Jul. - Dec. 2024, PP 130-142
- Harijan Manjunath** and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D** (2024). Digital Financial Inclusion in India: Evidence for Gender Disparities. *Aarthika Charche: FPI Journal of Economics & Governance*, 9(2), 64–73.
- Harijan Manjunath** and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D** (2024). Financial literacy, Well-being, and the Moderating role of caste-based Discrimination on Marginalised Women. *South India Journal of Social Sciences*, 23(1), 1–10. <https://doi.org/10.62656/SIJSS.v23i1.1708>
- Keerthikumara, S. M.,** and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D** (2024). Crop Insurance in India and its Impact on Crop Income: Insights from Pigeon Pea Farmers. *Journal of Agricultural Development and Policy*, 34(2), 274–279. <https://doi.org/10.63066/23220457.34.2.012>
- Noopur** and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D** (2024). Promoting Women's Financial Inclusion: Understanding Usage and Constraints in Savings and Mobile Banking. *Artha Vijnana*, 66(3), 388–398.

7. **Keerthikumara S. M., Sujatha Susanna Kumari D.,** and Lingamurthy, S. (2025). An ex-post Evaluation of Crop Insurance: Risk Mitigation and Constraints among Pigeon Pea Farmers. *International Journal of Rural Management*, Vol. 21, Issue 2, pp.1–17. <https://doi.org/10.1177/09730052251333215>
8. P. Sunitha, **G. Ranganatham,** and D Anjaneyulu. “A Review on the Performance of Regional Rural Banks in Agricultural Credit in India”. *Journal of Management and Entrepreneurship*, Vol. 18, No. 03, July 2024
9. **Raja Lingam Goud, P.,** Raja Shekhar Bellamkonda (2025). Trends in NPAs of Scheduled Commercial Banks Under Priority Sector Lending in India. *IUP Journal of Applied Economics (ABDC Indexed)*, 24(1), 111-119.
10. Kaladhar, T., Upendar, E., **Raja Lingam Goud, P.** (2025) “Financing Fences of MSMES: A Study on Adilabad District of Telangana State”, *European Economic Letters (ABDC Indexed)*, 15(1), 2276-82.
11. Mani, S., and Kaladhar, T., **Raja Lingam Goud, P.** (2024) “The Dynamic Interconnection between Stock Prices and Exchange Rates in the Indian Context”, *Asian and Pacific Economic Review (ABDC Indexed)*, Vol. 17 (1), pp.9150-59.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. P. Sunitha, **G. Ranganatham,** and D Anjaneyulu "Role of Institutional Finance in Agriculture: A Case Study on Chittoor District of Andhra Pradesh" *Scope Journal*, Vol. 14, No. 04, Dec. 2024.
2. P. Sunitha, Mani, S., Ramaprabha, D., Ramakrishnan, K., **Raja Lingam Goud, P.** (2024) “Institutional and Non-Institutional Credit among Two Villages from Tamil Nadu and Karnataka in India”, *Naturalista Campano (Web of Science Indexed)*, Vol. 28 (2), pp. 23-36 <https://museonaturalistico.it>.

Books edited

1. **Devarajappa S;** E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat; Himalaya Publication House, New Delhi, March 2025, ISBN: 978-93-6557-247-6

Authored in book chapters:

1. Dr. Belavadi Nikhil, Ved Prakash and **Karamala. Padmasree,** Building a Sustainable Future: The Circular Economy's Influence on Industry Practices, Emerging Markets and Opportunities, Kumid Publication, First Edition 2025, ISBN 978-81-981444-2-3
2. Harijan Manjunath and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D,** NCFE in India's Financial Literacy -Way Towards Vikasit Bharat, February 2024, Samvit Prahashan and Media Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad, pp. 83-106, ISBN: 978-81-976091-3-8.
3. P. Sunitha, Dr. G. Damodar and **G. Ranganatham,** “Contributions of Banking Institutions to Green Finance in India”, E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat; Himalaya Publication House, New Delhi, March 2025, Pp 13-16, ISBN: 978-93-6557-247-6
4. Ediga Rajanna and **G. Ranganatham,** “Digital Banking an Indian Perspective”, E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat; Himalaya Publication House, New Delhi, March 2025, Pp 25-30, ISBN: 978-93-6557-247-6
5. Dr Venkataramanaiah.M., P.Venkateswaralu, **G. Ranganatham,** and B. Suneetha “Eco-Tourism and Digital Connectivity Evaluating the Digital Inclusion Initiatives for Street Vendors in SPSR Nellore and Tirupati District of Andhra Pradesh” ‘Eco-Tourism and Sustainable Development in India: Trends, Opportunities and Challenges’ January, 2025, pp. 1-12, ISBN-978-93-3441-6007-9.
6. P. Sunitha, **G. Ranganatham,** and S Jayasree, “Innovative Strategies for Eco-Friendly Tourism Practices: A Case study of the Lakshadweep Islands”, ‘Eco-Tourism and Sustainable Development in India: Trends, Opportunities and Challenges’, January 2025, pp 320-324, ISBN-978-93-3441-6007-9.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. Prof. Panduranga V participated as resource person in the One-Day National Seminar on an Ecosystem of Indian Entrepreneurship: A Probe which was conducted by Sharanabasaveshwar College of Commerce, Kalaburgi and Sharana Basava University, Kalaburgi on 14th Sept 2024.

2. **Prof. Panduranga V** has participated in virtual mode as a resource person in a technical session in the Two-Day National Seminar sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi, on “Eco-Tourism and Sustainable Development in India: Trends, Opportunities and Challenges” organized by the Department of Commerce, S.G. Govt. Degree & P.G College, Piler, Andhra Pradesh, on December 13, 2024.
3. **Prof. Panduranga V** has delivered the Keynote address in the two-day 35th Annual National Conference of Maharashtra Committee of Commerce Teachers Association on “Vision 2047: The Role of Commerce and Management in Building a Self-Reliant, Digitally Empowered, and Globally Competitive India”, organized by Dayanand College of Commerce, Latur, on March 1, 2025.
4. **Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D** has delivered an invited talk on “Result Improvement Techniques and Skill and Development” in the Orientation Programme for the Government. PU College Lecturers at Shree Gurukul Independent PU College, Kalaburagi on January 20th and 21st, 2025.
5. **Dr. Ranganatham G** has participated as Session Chair in a technical session in the Two-Day Seminar titled "Road Map to Viksit Bharat@2047: Strategic Insights in Visualising Excellence in the Manufacturing Sector," by the Department of Management at Central University of Andhra Pradesh on March 21, 2025.
6. **Dr. Ranganatham G** has participated as a Resource person in the two-day national Seminar Sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi, on “Eco-Tourism and Sustainable Development in India: Trends, Opportunities and Challenges organized by the Department of Commerce, S.G. Govt. Degree & P.G College, Piler, Andhra Pradesh, on December 13, 2024.
7. **Dr. Raja Lingam Goud, P** has participated as Resource Person in the Student Seminar Presentations for the Dept. of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD) – Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), Government of India and University of Melbourne (The Nossal institute, Australia India Institute and Melbourne Disability Institute) Collaborated Program – Certificate in Community Based Inclusive Development (CBID) Coordinated by the CBM-India Trust, Bangalore, at Kalaburagi on 03th March 2025.
8. **Dr. Raja Lingam Goud, P** has delivered an Extension Lecture (Resource Person) on “Materials Management” at the Department of Commerce, Government Degree College for Women, Siddipet, Telangana State on 04.01.2025.
9. **Dr. Raja Lingam Goud, P.** has participated as a Resource Person in a Special Session on Awareness on the Implementation of various Provisions of “The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016” (Central Act No.49/2016) on 03.01.2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Prof. K Padmasree** has participated in a National Level webinar on Role of Educators and Students in Viksit Bharth (Developed India) on 18-08-2024, organised by Progrezz Academy (Training and Research Institute), Tamil Nadu.
2. **Prof. K Padmasree** participated in the National Seminar on “Viksit Bharath @ 2047: Transforming Rural India through Sustainable Growth” held during 11-03-25 and 12-03-25 and presented a paper titled “The Integration of Green Accounting and Corporate Sustainability – A Conceptual Framework”.
3. **Prof. K Padmasree** has participated and presented a paper titled “The Integration of Green Accounting and Corporate Sustainability – Content Analysis Tool” in the National Seminar on “E-commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharath organised by the Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, on 28/03/2025.
4. **Dr. Raja Lingam Goud, P** Participated and paper presented on the topic entitled “Sugamya Bharat Abhiyan – A Pre – requisite for Viksit Bharat by 2047” in the ICSSR – SRC Sponsored National Seminar on E- Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat, Organized by Dept. of Commerce, School of Business Studies (SBS), Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.

**Ph.D. awarded:**

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-Guide	Title of the Thesis	Status Awarded/ Submitted
1	Ved Prakash	PHDCOM1803	Senior Prof. K Padmasree	Influence of Behavioural Biases on Investment Decision of Retail Investors: A Study of Muzaffarpur District of Bihar	Awarded
2	Keerthikumara S M	PHDCOM1902	Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D	Impact of Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana on Cost, Income and Debt of Farmers in Karnataka.	Awarded
3	Basavanagouda	PHDCOM1901	Prof. Panduranga V.	Perceptions, Issues and Challenges of MSEs concerning GST-A Study of Manufacturers in Kalaburagi Division of Karnataka State.	Awarded
4	Channaveerayya	20DPCOM02	Prof. Shivakumar Deene	Influence of Financial Literacy on Financial Well-Being: A Study with Special Reference to Kalaburagi District	Awarded

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D	5-Day Faculty Development Program on AI-Driven Research: Crafting High-Quality Publication for Scopus & Beyond by Dayanand Sagar Business Academy, Bangalore. From January 13- 17, 2025.
2	Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D	7-Day National Faculty Development Program on Fintech for Financial Inclusion: Bridging the Gap by St. Joseph's College of Commerce, Bangalore. From February 17- 23, 2025.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (In lacs)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR, New Delhi	Impact Assessment of Skill India Mission: An Empirical Analysis of Kalyana Karnataka Region.	Prof. Panduranga V (Project Director)	13	2023-25	Draft report submitted to ICSSR
2	ICSSR, New Delhi	Development of Career Readiness Skills among Undergraduate Students in Higher Education Institutions of Tumkur, Karnataka	Prof. Devarajappa S (Project Director)	16	2024-26	Ongoing

**Other accomplishments of faculty:**

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Prof. Panduranga V	Developed one Unit e-Content for the ODL M.Com Program of Shivaji University, Kholpaur, Maharashtra
2	Dr. P Raja Lingam Goud	“Divyangjan Swabhimana Samman – 2024” In recognition of the contributions in the Field, on 8 th December, 2024. Award from Anem Sneha Pariwar, an NGO of Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh.

Students related information*Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level***Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)**

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Mareppa	2019MCO18	17/10/2024	-	2705002866	17/10/2024
2	Vangapandu Praveen	24PCOMM22	22/02/2025	-	AP19000156	22/02/2024
3	Abika	2018MCO03	22/02/2025	-	KK08001097	22/02/2024

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	University/Institute	Duration
1	Akash	23PCOMM001	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
2	Aswathi S Kumar	23PCOMM002	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
3	Basavayya	23PCOMM003	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
4	Hemanth Shivaramu A S	23PCOMM004	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
5	Hima N K	23PCOMM005	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
6	Jolly Kumari	23PCOMM006	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
7	Kiran Ajay	23PCOMM007	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
8	M Rahul Naik	23PCOMM008	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
9	Mahananda	23PCOMM009	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
10	Mohammad Damshid Kk	23PCOMM010	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
11	Muhammad Shafeeqe K	23PCOMM011	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
12	Muhammed Shahal P V	23PCOMM012	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
13	Muhammed Shamid K	23PCOMM013	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
14	Nalli Aravind	23PCOMM014	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
15	Nimisha Bilung	23PCOMM015	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
16	Rudresh	23PCOMM016	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
17	Sanket	23PCOMM017	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
18	Sanu Syriac	23PCOMM018	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
19	Sravya M	23PCOMM019	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
20	Sreeshail M	23PCOMM020	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
21	Venkatesh	23PCOMM021	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024



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22	Vidya K	23PCOMM022	Central University of Karnataka	July – August 2024
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Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ms. Parvathy Murali	24DCOMM006	Ph.D. Scholar	Central University of Karnataka Parvathymurali10@gmail.com	15/01/2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Basavanagouda	PHDCOM1901	Assistant Professor	Govt. First Grade College, Hungund	November 2024
2	Md. Yunus	20DPCOM03	Assistant Professor	Govt. First Grade College, Golsangi	November 2024
3	Ejaj Mardhan	21DPCOM01	Assistant Professor	Govt. First Grade College, Mudgal	November 2024
4	Channamallikarjun	22PGCOM06	Trainee Credit Executive (Grade-B1)	Credit Access Grameen Limited	January 2025
5	Nayana B	22PGCOM13	Associate	EY Global Delivery Services India LLP	October 2024
6	Lima Varghese	20PGCOM08	Receptionist	Assis Convent School	September 2024
7	Jwala Krishnaveni	2021PGCOM17	Process Associate	Hanamkonda –IT IC Centre, Telangana, IN – Office	September 2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	28-03-2025	E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Vikasit Bharat	Funded by ICSSR-SRC, Hyderabad, Seminar Convenor- Prof. Devarajappa S

BOS details: BOS meeting held on 28-05-2024 and 30-07-2024 in circulation mode to revise the M. Com syllabus

Alumni activity: Interactive sessions with the Alumni of the Department of Commerce held on career opportunities, preparing for competitive exams, filing GST returns, etc.

Any other activity in the department:

1. Organised Special Lectures
2. Organised Industrial Visits

Events at the department:



Inauguration of National Seminar on “E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat” organised by the Department of Commerce on 28-03-2025



Release of the Edited Book on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat



Industrial Visit on 21-03-2025

4.1.3 Department of Economic Studies & Planning

Head: Dr. Suma Scaria

The 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 advanced research that seeks to provide policy solutions for economic problems faced by businesses, consumers, and economies across space and time. DESP's vision is to become a leading centre of economics learning in India and the world. It is committed to providing specialist training, skills, and expertise to our students so that they may become leaders of change in furthering the objectives of the social, market, and governmental institutions they choose to serve. Its curriculum is innovatively embedded in accumulated knowledge bases and emerging fields of study. Along with a rigorous teaching program, 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 also actively addresses regional needs by encouraging research on regional development and industrialization, rural entrepreneurship, small and medium enterprises, agricultural advancement, and related areas.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.A (Hons) in Economics (4 Years)
- ❖ M.A. in Economics (2 Years)
- ❖ PhD in Economics

BA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	11	13	10	03	0	0	37
Female	06	25	04	01	2	0	38

MA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	03	13	04	05	03	01	29
Female	04	20	08	0	0	0	32

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	04	09	02	02	01	01	19
Female	04	02	01	01	01	0	09

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Pushpa M. Savadatti	Senior Professor	Agricultural Economics, Applied Econometrics.
Dr. Suma Scaria	Associate Professor	Development Economics, Institutional Economics, and Gender Studies
Dr. S. Lingamurthy	Associate Professor	Development Economics and MSME
Dr. Basavraj M. Somanmardi	Associate Professor	MSME, International Trade and Business
Dr. Trinadh Nookathoti	Assistant Professor	Agricultural Economics, Food Security, and Health
Mr. Md. Mohsin Khan	Assistant Professor	Agriculture Economics, Development Economics
Dr. Mallesh Ummala	Assistant Professor	Applied econometrics, Energy Economics, Macroeconomics, SDGs-related issues

Contractual/hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Ms. Nidhina Elizabeth Tom
Dr. Sunit Kumar Sahu
Dr. Praveendas. K

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mrs. Jagadevi VM (Computer operator –Outsourcing staff)
2. Mr. Mantesh (Attender - Outsourcing staff)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

- Gaituang Newme and **Suma Scaria**, Issues and Challenges in the Development of Manipur Economy: An Overview, *Indian Journal of Human Development* 2025, Vol. 18 (3) DOI: 10.1177/09737030251327981 (Scopus Indexed)
- Gaituang Newme and **Suma Scaria**, (2024) Reconstructing Land Discourse: A Perspective of the Zeme Tribe of Northeast India, *Journal of Land and Rural Studies*, Vol. 13(1) DOI: 10.1177/23210249241295512 (UGC care list)
- M. Killeder, J. Bamini, **Praveendas K**, P. Kumar, Kasthuri. The Integration of Information Systems in Strategic Decision-Making: A Management Perspective, *Journal of Information Systems Engineering and Management*, e-ISSN: 2468-4376, 2025, Vol. 10 (2). pp 716-725. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.52783/jisem.v10i2.3062>. (Scopus Indexed)

4. Ravi Kumar, **Pushpa Savadatti**, A Study on Socio-economic conditions and constraints faced by the maize growing farmers in the Katihar district of Bihar, *The Indian Economic Journal* 2024, ISSN 0019-4662, Vol. 1, Part 2, No:98, pp. 874-879 (UGC Care list)
5. **Sunit K Sahu, Pushpa M Savadatti**, Understanding livelihood strategies in Koraput District, Odisha, *The Indian Economic Journal* 2024, Vol. 3-Part 2, No.95, pp. 896-904 (UGC Care).
6. Shaswat N. Dosheti, **Pushpa M Savadatti**, District Mineral Foundation (DMF) funds and Socio-economic development of Districts in Karnataka, *Arthika Charche* 2024, Vol. 9 No. 1, pp.42-55 (UGC Care)
7. Ravi Kumar, **Pushpa M Savadatti**, Comparative analysis of trends, growth, and instability in the area, production, and yield of Maize in Bihar and Karnataka, *Journal of Res ANGARU* 2024, Vol. 52(2), pp.98-110 (UGC Care)
8. **Pushpa Savadatti** et al, Promotion of transgender empowerment through Social Entrepreneurship in India: A case study from Delhi and Uttar Pradesh, *Journal of the Institute of Public Enterprise*, 2024, pp 203-216 (UGC Care)
9. Bondita S, **Trinadh Nookathoti**, Asia's First Green Village - A Micro Level Study on Community Farming from Nagaland - India, *Indian Journal of Agricultural Economics*, Oct-Dec, 2024, Vol. 79, No. 4, pp: 944-961, DOI:10.63040/25827510.2024.04.004. (SCOPUS)
10. Bondita S, **Trinadh Nookathoti**, "Sustainability of Tenant Farming: A Case Study of Mishing Tribe from Majuli in Assam", *Social Change and Development*, Vol. XXI No. 2, 2024, July. (UGC CARE)
11. Bondita S and **Trinadh Nookathoti (2024)**: "Economic and Environmental Resilience of Tenant Farmers in Majuli, Assam", *Journal of Climate Change*, Vol. 10, No. 3, Sep 2024, pp 1-7, DOI 10.3233/JCC240018. (Scopus Indexed)
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1. **Lingamurthy, S.** (2025). Budget-2025: Strategic Blueprint for Civilisational Bharat, *Organiser Weekly*, 16.02.2025, page. 25-30. <https://organiser.org/2025/02/11/277589/bharat/budget-2025-strategic-blueprint-for-civilisational-bharat/>
2. **Lingamurthy, S.** (2025). A budget towards a progressive Vikasit Bharat, *Metro India*, 02/02/2025, page.3, <https://epaper.metroindia.net/>
3. **Lingamurthy, S.** and Shivanjali Shukla. Why Electric Vehicles? *Peace and Environment*, July 2024, Vol. 11, Issue.7
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1. **Lingamurthy S**, Shivkumar M Belli, and **Basavaraj MS** (2024). *Vikasit Bharat @2047 - Way Towards Self-Reliance*, Samvit Prakashan & Media Pvt. Ltd. ISBN 9-781234-567897

Authored in Book Chapters:

1. **Praveendas K.** Factors influencing Skill Development among Entrepreneurs in Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs), Kerala, India. *Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance*, Central University of Karnataka. Samvit Prakasan Media Pvt. Ltd. ISBN 978-81-976091-3-8. 2024, Pp 377-399
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3. Shashwat N D, **Pushpa Savadatti**, Viksit Bharat: Clustering state performance in DMF utilisation, Viksit Bharat@2047, way towards self-reliance, Amvit Prakasan Media Pvt. Ltd., September 2024. ISBN 978-81-976091-3-8.
4. Amrita Pani, Shivanjali Shukla, **Lingamurthy S**, and Vengalarao Pachava (2024). Electric Vehicles in India: Understanding the Factors Influencing Customer Choice, Ed. Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance, Samvit Prakashan Media Pvt. Ltd., ISBN 978-81-976091-3-8. 2024, Pp 191-206
5. Swetha Patlolla, **Lingamurthy S**, Shivanjali Shukla, and Shashi Kumar R (2024). Temple Economy and Vikasit Bharat: A Study of Saraswati Temple in Basara of Telangana State, Ed. Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way towards Self-Reliance, Samvit Prakasan Media Pvt. Ltd., ISBN 978-81-976091-3-8. 2024, Pp 259-277
6. Nandita Chitra and **Lingamurthy S** (2025). Transforming MSMEs through Green Finance: A Pathway to Sustainable Development and Environmental Stewardship, E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat, Himalaya Publishing House, pp. 41-48, ISBN-978-93-6557-247-6.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote address/ chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Mallesh Ummalla** delivered a lecture as a resource person on “**Infrastructure Development and Rural Employment**” in the Two-Day National Seminar on Empowering Rural Communities: Employment Opportunities and Transformative Strategies organised by the Department of Economics, Silver Jubilee Govt. Degree College, March 23-25, 2025.
2. **Dr. Mallesh Ummalla** delivered a talk on “**Energy to Energy to Energy Sector**” at the Symposium on Union Budget 2025-26, organised by the School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, February 10, 2025.
3. **Dr. Trinadh Nookathoti** delivered a Lecture at Jain Deemed to be University (Online) on the theme ‘Arthasankalpam - A Pre-budget Conclave’ on January 30, 2025.
4. **Dr. S. Lingamurthy**, chaired a technical session in the Two-Day National Conference on Vikasit Bharat Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities, organized by Central University of Karnataka in Association with ICSSR, New Delhi, on 11-12 February 2025 at Central University of Karnataka.
5. **Dr. S. Lingamurthy**, chaired a technical session in a National Seminar on “Vikasit Bharat 2047: The Role of Potential of Cultural Entrepreneurship for Achieving the Goal” during 18-19 February 2025 at Tripura University, organized by the Dattopant Thengadi Employment Generation Resource Centre (DTEGRC) & the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Tripura University in collaboration with the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata.
6. **Dr. S. Lingamurthy** attended the meeting as a panellist of the Core Group on Business and Human Rights held on 11th July 2024, organized by the National Human Rights Commission and contributed to ‘Emerging Good Practices’, NHRC, New Delhi.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Praveendas K**, “E-Commerce and Digital Communication Skill Development among Entrepreneurs in Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Kerala, India: An Analytical Study”. “One-Day National Seminar on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Vikasit Bharat@2047”, 28th March 2025, Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka. (National)
2. **Praveendas K**, “Factors influencing skill development among Entrepreneurs in Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs), Kerala, India”. “Two-Day National Conference on Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Way towards Self-Reliance”, September 17-18, 2024, Department of Economics, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka. (National)
3. **Praveendas. K**, Resource Person- “Three-day National Level Faculty Development Program 2024 on Finding the Right Journal -SCI Scopus, WoS, ABDC”, November 9-11,2024, Institute of Science & Management, Ranchi, Jharkhand.
4. **Lingamurthy S and Mallesh Ummalla**, “Institutional quality and environmental issues: Some evidence” (with Asharani Samal and Phanindra Goyari), “Two-Day National Seminar on Institutions for Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Efficient, Inclusive and Sustainable Institutions for Developed India”, March 27-28, 2025, The Department of Economics, Central University of Tamilnadu (National)

5. **Mallesh Ummalla**, “Does Fiscal Policy Reduce Income Inequality in India?” “Two-Day national seminar on Fiscal Federalism in India: Devolution, Development and Economic Dynamics”, March 25-26, 2025, Department of Economics, Dr B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Hyderabad (National)
6. **Mallesh Ummalla**, “Public-private Partnerships and Rural Infrastructure Development” in “Two-Day National Seminar on Empowering Rural Communities: Employment Opportunities and Transformative Strategies”, March 23-25, 2025, Department of Economics, Silver Jubilee Govt. Degree College (National)
7. **Pushpa M Savadatti**, “Understanding Livelihood Choices: The Role of Livelihood Assets in Determining Tribal Livelihood Strategies in Koaraput Dist, Odisha”. “Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association”, December 27-29, 2024. Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana.
8. **Pushpa M Savadatti**, “A Study on Socio-Economic Conditions and Constraints Faced by the Maize Growing farmers in Katihar District of Bihar”. “Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association”, December 27-29, 2024. Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana.
9. **Trinadh Nookathoti**, “Analysing Economic and Industrial Impact of Carbon Trading on India and Global Sustainability”, 9th International Conference “Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends”, November 21 - 22, 2024, SDMIMD College, Mysore, Karnataka.
10. **Trinadh Nookathoti**, “Livelihood Sustainability of Daily Wage Workers in Cement Factory at Piduguralla Town – Palnadu district – Andhra Pradesh”, 9th International Conference “Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends”, November 21 - 22, 2024, SDMIMD College, Mysore, Karnataka.
11. **Trinadh Nookathoti**, “Challenges and Opportunities of Cotton Cultivation”, 54th Annual Conference of the Indian Anthropological Society, September 26-27, 2024, Amity University – Uttar Pradesh.
12. **Trinadh Nookathoti**, “Livelihood sustainability of Apiculturists”. “54th Annual conference of the Indian Anthropological Society”, 26-27 Sep, 2024, Amity University – Uttar Pradesh.
13. **Trinadh Nookathoti**, “Climate Change Mitigation in India – A Theoretical Perspective of Policy Options”, International conference on “Empowering Tomorrow’s Business Landscape”, Sep 20-22, 2024, St. Joseph’s Degree and PG College, Hyderabad.
14. **Lingamurthy S**, “Role of Cultural Economy in India’s Economic Development.”, in a Two-Day National Seminar on Vikasit Bharat 2047: The Role and Potential of Cultural Entrepreneurship for Achieving the Goal, during 18-19 February 2025 at Tripura University, organized by the Dattopant Thengadi Employment Generation Resource Centre (DTEGRC) & the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Tripura University in collaboration with the Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Institute of Asian Studies, Kolkata.
15. **Lingamurthy S**, “Transformations in Cropping Patterns in Rajasthan Post Globalization: A Comprehensive Analysis” (With), “Two-Day National Seminar on Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance” held on September 17-18, 2024, organized by the Department of Economic Studies and Planning, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka in collaboration with ICSSR, New Delhi.
16. **Md Mohsin Khan**, Examining the Bi-directional Long Run Relationship between Private Final Consumption Expenditure and GDP. Evidence in pre and post Economic Reforms International” Conference on Data and Diversity: Rethinking Social Exclusion, Economic Development and Wellbeing” February 24-25, 2025 Woxen University, Hyderabad.

**Ph.D. awarded:**

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Awarded/Submitted
1	Ms. Ashwini	PHDECO1804	Dr. Suma Scaria	Women's Participation in Higher Education Among Marginalized Women in Kalyana Karnataka Region: A Study of Kalaburagi District."	Awarded
2	Mr. Puttaraj	PHDECO1701	Prof. Pushpa M Savadatti	Role of Micro-Finance in Economic Empowerment of Women: A Case Study of Kalaburagi District	Awarded
3	Mr. Sunit Kumar Sahu	PHDECO1703	Prof. Pushpa M Savadatti	Tribal Livelihood Sustainability: A Study of Koraput District of Odisha	Awarded
4	Ms. Bondita Saikia	20DPECO01	Dr. Trinadh Nookathoti	Intersectoral Dynamics of Logistics in India's Far Sector: A Macro-Level Input-Output Study	Awarded
5	Mr. Raghavendra Talimarada	PHDECO1702	Dr. Basavaraj M S	An Analysis of Farmer Suicides in Karnataka State-With Special Reference to Hyderabad Karnataka Region	Awarded
6	Mr. Shashi Kumar R	20DPEPCO05	Dr. Basavaraj M S	Economic Growth and the MSME Sector: A Macro-Economic Analysis of Selected Countries in Asia	Awarded.
7	Shivanjali Shukla	20DPECO06	Dr. S. Lingamurthy	An Economic Analysis of E-Vehicles in India	Awarded

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR (F.N.30/2024-25/SES/GEN/RP/ICSSR)	Optimal Utilization of Solar Energy for Electric Vehicles (EVs): Comprehensive Analysis and Strategic Measures	Dr. S. Lingamurthy (PI)	12 Lakhs	2024-25	Ongoing
2	Samskruti Foundation	An Economic Analysis of Temples in Karnataka - A Case Study of Ganugapur	Dr. S. Lingamurthy (PI)	3.5 Lakhs	2024-25	Ongoing
3	NBCC (India) Limited, Government of India Enterprise	Impact Assessment of Water Bodies, Watershed Management, and Perennial Plantations on Sustainable Campus Development	Dr. S. Lingamurthy (Co-PI)	1.21 Crores	2024-25	Ongoing

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation /Refresher /FDP
1	Dr. Praveendas K	<p>1) 7 Days (Online) Faculty Development Programme on Empowering Innovations: Advancing Knowledge and Practices in Intellectual Property Rights from 27/1/2025 to 02/02/2025, organized by the Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka.</p> <p>2) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Faculty Development Program on “Sustainable Carbon-Free Technologies for Hydrogen Generation and Storage” at National Institute of Technology Tiruchirappalli from scheduled from 24/2/2025 to 01/03/2025.</p> <p>3) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Faculty Development Program on Artificial Intelligence for Science and Engineering at National Institute of Technology (NIT) Nagaland from 17/02/2025 to 22/02/2025.</p> <p>4) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Faculty Development Program on Integrating Agro-Tech with Modern Food Preservation Strategies at National Institute of Technology (NIT) Tiruchirappalli from 10/02/2025 to 15/02/2025.</p> <p>5) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on 6-Day Online Faculty Development Program on “Generative AI: Techniques, Tools, and Applications” at National Institute of Technology (NIT), Delhi, 03-02-2025 to 08-02-2025.</p> <p>6) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on Resilient Leadership for Social Enterprise Management Energy, Sustainability & Climate Change Engineering and Management at <i>Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India</i> (EDII), Gandhinagar, Gujarat, 27-01-2025 to 01-02-2025.</p> <p>7) One Week Online Short-Term Course on "Emerging Trend in Environment Engineering for Sustainable Development (ETESD-2025) "Organized by Department of Civil Engineering, Harcourt Butler Technical University, Kanpur. 20-01-2025 to 24-01-2025.</p> <p>8) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on Holistic Disaster Management: Linking Resilient Infrastructure with Sustainability at National Institute of Technology (NIT), Calicut. 20-01-2025 to 25-01-2025.</p> <p>9) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on 3D Printing for Biomedical Applications: Shaping the Future of Healthcare in Industry 4.0 at National Institute of Technology (NIT), Kurukshetra. 13-01-2025 to 18-01-2025.</p> <p>10) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on Disaster Management and Resilient Infrastructure hosted by the Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology (MANIT), Bhopal. 06-01-2025 to 11-01-2025</p> <p>11) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning Academy FDP on Advanced Analytics for Next-generation Industrial Processes hosted by the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Indian Institute of Information Technology and Management, Gwalior. 23-12-2024 to 28-12-2024</p> <p>12) Five-day Online Winter Course on Skill Development Program (SDP) on Research and Publications-IIT-Dharwad, Karnataka. 16-20 December 2024.</p> <p>13) 6 days AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on Advancements in Health Care & Med-Tech: Bridging Technology and Healthcare Innovation hosted by the Loyola Institute of Business Administration, Chennai. 3/12/2024 to 08/2/2024.</p> <p>14) Two-day Faculty development program on Law and Economics, ICFAI School of Social Science-CUTS International, Hyderabad. 21-11-2024 to 22-11-2024. One International Workshop -cum-</p>

		Training on Generative AI in Education and Research, sponsored by UNESCO Paris & PM-USHA, Government of India, collaborated with MJPRU, Mississippi Valley State University, US, Far Western University, Nepal. 19/11/2024.
2	Dr. S. Lingamurthy	Nurturing Future Leadership Program (NFLP) Under the aegis of Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Program (MMTTP) during 17-21 March, 2025, at IIM Lucknow.

Industry collaborations:

Dr. S. Lingamurthy (PI), ICSSR Funded project on Solar Energy, has collaborated with Four Solar Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad.

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. Suma Scaria, Member, Indian Economic Association
2. Md Mohsin Khan, Member, Indian Economic Association
3. S. Linga Murthy, Member, Indian Economic Association
4. Senior Professor Pushpa M Savadatti, Member, Indian Economic Association, The Indian Econometrics Society,
5. Dr. Mallesh Ummalla, Member, Telangana Economic Association, Indian Economic Association, The Indian Econometrics Society.

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Abhinav Kumar Kesari		GATE	-	XH24S31328125	2024
2	Rajeev Lochan		GATE	-	XH24S31328163	2024
3	Ipshita Hazera		NET Ph.D. only	94.91	TL22000966	02/2025
	Ipshita Hazera		GATE	384	XH25S61515070	15/2025
4	Prithvi		NET-LS	63.11	TL07000292	02/2025
5	Anil		NET Ph.D. only	-	2705001060	12/2024
6	Ratiranjan Sahu		NET Ph.D. only	-	KKK08000222	02/2025
7	Saleti Abhiram		NET Ph.D. only	80.27	KKK08000105	02/2025

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	Duration
1.	Amal Mohanan	22UECON002	Centre for Migration and Inclusive Development	10/12/2024 to 09/01/2025
2.	Amruthapudi Raju	22UECON003	Flying wiz	05/12/2024 to 25/12/2024
3.	Ankit Raj	22UECON004		
4.	Aparna J	22UECON005	Gedee Hospital, Coimbatore	30/12/2024 to 10/01/2025
5.	Ayush Singh	22UECON006	Sanskriti Foundation, Hyderabad	15/12/2024 to 15/01/2025



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6.	Bocha Umesh Chandra	22UECON007	Mandal Agriculture Office	03/12/2024 to 04/01/2025
7.	Boini Ramu	22UECON008	Organization Name: Rural Development Society Wanaparthi	09/12/2024 to 09/01/2025
8.	Elip Pavani	22UECON009	NBM & Associates, Rajahmundry	08/01/2025 to 16/01/2025
9.	Gauthamkumar M	22UECON010	Indian Bank, Pala	16/12/2024 to 27/12/2024
10.	Gudipalli Bhavani Lakshmi	22UECON011	GVN Raju & Associates, Hyderabad	02/12/2024 -
11.	Harshada Chandran	22UECON012	Kerala State Human Rights Commission	20/12/2024 to 04/01/2025
12.	Himanshu Raj	22UECON013	Flyingwiz	05/12/2024 to 25/12/2024
13.	Jatoth Banu Prakash	22UECON014	Department of Agriculture	23/12/2024 to 30/12/2024
14.	Medidi Bujjibabu	22UECON015	Thaneermukkhom Grampanchayat MoP	9/12/2024 to 09/01/2025
15.	Vishali Pillai	22UECON031		
16.	Mirza Saif Baig	22UECON017	Municipal Corporation Basavakalyan	15/12/2024 to 30/12/2024
17.	Mrityunjay Kumar	22UECON018	project management intern Institution- Namaskar Foundation	15/12/2024 to 30/12/2024
18.	Nikhitha P.P.	22UECON019	Kannapuram Grama Panchayat	2/12/2024 to 21/12/2024
19.	Rudrakshi Janghel	22UECON021	Municipal corporation Bhilai, Chhattisgarh	10-12-2024 to 24-12-2025
20.	S.P.Spoorthi	22UECON022	Sanskriti foundation	15/12/2024 to 15/1/2025
21.	Sapna	22UECON023	Aluk Panchayat Basavakalyan	10/12/2024 to 5/1/2025
22.	Satyarth Kumar Jha	22UECON024	CRY NGO, Bangalore	2/1/2025 to 2/2/2025
23.	Shivaraj C	22UECON025	Bedadka Farmer's Service Cooperative Bank, Kasaragod	5/12/2024
24.	Sneha Raj	22UECON026	Agriculture and Rural Development Samastipur	5/12/2024 to 4/1/2025
25.	Syeda Ayesha Naaz	22UECON027	PRAWARDA (Participative watershed and rural development agency)	1/1/2025 to 15/1/2025
26.	Tayyab Baig	22UECON028	Manipal Corporation Basavakalyan	15/12/2024 to 30/12/2024
27.	Tejeswar P	22UECON029	ICMR-Chennai	15/12/2024 to 3/1/2025
28.	Theetla Sai Kumar	22UECON030	Pearl distillery private limited, singarayakonda, Andhra Pradesh	2/12/2024 to 18/12/2024

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details
1	Sai Babu Jagar	24DECON007	Ph.D. scholar	Central University of Karnataka
2	Basava Teja	24DECON008	Ph.D. scholar	Central University of Karnataka
3	Abhinav Kumar Kesari	HS24H048	PG	IIT Madras
4	Rajeev Lochan	82H4016	PG	IIT Mandi
5	Anushree	2400205005	PG	Central University of Kerala
6	Alitta Shibu	24MAE003	PG	Central University of Rajasthan
7	Midhuna	MAEC1240012	PG	Azim Premji University
8	Sunil	24PECON036	PG	Central University of Karnataka



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9	Sofia Masroor	24PECON034	PG	Central University of Karnataka
10	Tharun	24PECON017	PG	Central University of Karnataka
11	Pradeep Chandu	24PECON037	PG	Central University of Karnataka
12	Harichandana	24MAECOPY0022	PG	Pondicherry University
13	Keerthana Ramesh	24MAECOPY0035	PG	Pondicherry University
14	Malvika Manoj	24MBAGEPY0133	PG	Pondicherry University
15	Mohammed Rashid	24SEMA96	PG	University of Hyderabad

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details
1	Samad		Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation
2	Krishana			
3	Satya Sai Deepthi		Traineeship Program at grade BPOS	TCS
4	Anushree			

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	17-09-2024	Viksit Bharath @ 2047: Way towards self-reliance	Two-day national Seminar CUK in Collaboration with ICSSR

BOS details:

Four BOS meetings held during the year. During the period from January to June 2025, the Department conducted three Board of Studies (BOS) meetings — one in physical mode, one via Google Meet, and two through circulation mode. In the first half of the year (July to December), one BOS meeting was held through circulation mode. The BOS meeting held on 9th September 2024(Online Circulation mode), focused on the approval of PhD subject-specific papers for the newly admitted scholars and the board approved the syllabus. The BOS meeting held on 3rd March 2025 (physical mode), focused on the approval of the new course structure for UG and PG based on NEP. Following extensive deliberations and valuable inputs from members, the new course structure was developed and approved. Other BOS meetings were held on 4th April 2025 (online mode) and 5th April 2025 (circulation mode) at the Department of Economic Studies and Planning.

Alumni activity:

On 23rd February 2025, an alumni meeting was held during which former students shared their professional experiences and insights from the field. The discussion focused on how their academic foundation had supported their careers and how the current curriculum could be further strengthened to enhance student preparedness. The alumni provided valuable feedback and suggestions aimed at improving the academic and skill-based components of the programme. Their inputs are being considered to align the Department's offerings more closely with industry requirements and emerging career trends.

Events at the department:



← Winner



Runner →



Sports events conducted by the Student Body Eco-Club

4.1.4 Department of Tourism and Hotel Management

Head: Dr. Gavinolla Mahendar

The Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, under the School of Business Studies at the Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, aims to evolve into the country's hub for education, entrepreneurship, recruitment, and research in the tourism and hospitality sector. Its curriculum is crafted to meet industry needs and reflects a commitment to fostering global best practices through industry and academic partnerships, including teaching weeks, business cases, conferences, workshops, and academic-industry engagement. The Department supports regional growth while also addressing global needs. Through Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs), international exchanges, and collaborations with academic institutions, industry stakeholders, and tourism bodies, it strives to promote impactful research that contributes to socioeconomic development, environmental and ecological conservation, and sustainable resource management. These efforts are aligned with the broader goals of sustainable development, including Agenda 2030, Agenda 2050, and Viksit Bharat 2047.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ MBA TTM. (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. TTM (3 Years)

MBA TTM students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	2	16	4	1	0	0	23
Female	3	10	1	0	0	0	14

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	--	--	--	--	1	1
Female	1	--	1	--	--	--	2

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Gavinolla Mahendar	Associate Professor	Sustainable and Responsible Tourism, Protected Area Tourism, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Heritage Management
Dr. Doddahulugappa Goutam	Associate Professor	Tourism Marketing, Tourism Entrepreneurship, Marketing, Management, Services Marketing.
Dr. M. Siva	Assistant Professor	Heritage Tourism, Sustainable Tourism, Travel Agency and Tour Operations, Cultural Tourism, and Tourism Marketing.
Dr. Naveen Kumar T G	Assistant Professor	Heritage Tourism, Visitor Management, Travel Agency Management.
Dr. Nataraj B.Patted	Assistant Professor	Rural Tourism, Entrepreneurship in Tourism Sector, Tourism Marketing, Human Resource Management.
Dr. Jagadish. S.Biradar	Assistant Professor	Finance and Marketing,

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Priyadarshini (Computer Operator)
2. Mallikarnjun (Attender)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Anubha, Hussain, S., **Gavinolla, M. R.**, Gowreesunkar, V. G. B., & Swain, S. K. Retrospective Overview on Global Food Tourism and Related Research: a Bibliometric Analysis. *Journal of Foodservice Business Research*, (2025). 28 (1), 65–94. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15378020.2023.2228672> (cite score 4.4 & impact factor 0.54)
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Conference proceedings:

1. **Nataraj B. Patted**, A study on VandhanYojana Scheme towards livelihood sustainability of tribal people. A case of Southern India. A Two-day national conference on Vikasit Bharata through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial abilities, organised by the Central University of Karnataka in association with the Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Mahendarb Gavinolla**, Session chair and Speaker “Sustainable Infrastructure and Industry”, Two-Day National Seminar on “Sustainable Economic Growth through Innovation, Infrastructure and Industrialization” organized February 22, 2025. Government City College, Hyderabad.
2. **Dr. M. Siva** has been invited to deliver a Guest Lecture for B.Ed. Students dated on 30th and 31st December 2024 on the topic, “Tourism, Hospitality in Education, and Career Skills from the Tourism Industry”, Vivekananda College of Education, ECR, Laws Pet, Pondicherry-605 008.
3. **Dr. Nataraj B. Patted** has delivered an invited talk on the Importance and Preparation of Bankable Projects on Poultry, Dairy, and Sheep Rearing Enterprises at the Stakeholders' Meet at the University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad, 27th Feb, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr. Gavinolla Mahendar**, “Advancing Tourism Business through Digital Transformation,” ICSSR-SRC Sponsored “National Conference on E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat,” March 28, 2025. Department of Commerce, Central University of Karnataka.
2. **Dr. Mahendar Gavinolla** “Growth Opportunism to Tourism Sector” Symposia on Analysis of Union Budget-2025, February 10, 2025, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka (National)
3. **Dr. M. Siva** has presented a paper titled, “Innovations in the Tourism Industry-a Driving Force for Regional and National Development” in the Two-Day National Seminar on “Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance” held on 17th-18th September 2024, organized by the Department of Economic Studies and Planning, Central University of Karnataka.
4. **Dr. M. Siva**, has presented a paper titled, “Increased Digital payments at the Tourism Sites of Puducherry is a Boon or Bane for the Women Street Food Vendors? An exploratory study” in a National Seminar on, “E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat” held on 28th March 2025, Organised by the Department of Commerce, Central University of Karnataka.
5. **Dr. Naveen Kumar T G** has chaired the online technical session during the Two-Day National Seminar on Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Way towards Self-Reliance jointly organised by Central University of Karnataka and ICSSR on 17-18 September 2024.
6. **Dr. Naveen Kumar T G** has presented a research paper on A Study of VandhanYojana Scheme Towards Livelihood Sustainability of Tribal People- A Case of Southern India during the ICSSR-sponsored two-day national conference on Vikasit Bharat Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities on 11th and 12th February 2025, jointly organised by Central University of Karnataka and ICSSR.
7. **Dr. Naveen Kumar T G** has presented a research paper on Tribal Tourism, a way towards up liftment of the livelihood status of tribal people, two-day national conference on Amrut Kall and Tribal Inclusion in India on 27th and 28th February 2025, jointly organised by the Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, and ICSSR.

8. **Dr. Naveen Kumar T G** has presented a research paper on Exploring the Potential of Geo-tourism for Sustainable Destination Management: Balancing Conservation and Community Engagement during the Days International Seminar on “Earth & Environment in Anthropocene on March 5th to 7th, 2025, jointly organised by Anusandhan National Research Foundation and Department of Geology, Central University of Karnataka.
9. **Dr. Naveen Kumar T G** has presented a research paper on Digital Tourism in India – A Developmental Perspective during the ICSSR-sponsored one-day national Seminar on E- E-Commerce and Digital Transformation for Viksit Bharat on 28th March 2025, jointly organised by the Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, and ICSSR.
10. **Dr. Nataraj B. Patted**, FAME Scheme towards Transformation of electric vehicles in India. A two-day national Seminar on Vikasit Bharat@ 2047: Way towards Self Reliance, September 17-18, 2024. Department of Economic Studies and Planning, Central University of Karnataka.
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12. **Dr. Nataraj Patted**, Tourism Receipts a way Towards the Attainment of Vikasit Bharat 2047. One Day National Seminar on E-commerce and Digital Transformation for Vikasit Bharat, March 28th, 2025. Department of Commerce, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka.
13. **Dr. Jagadish. S. Biradar** presented a Paper Titled ‘Fame Scheme towards the transformation of electric vehicles in India ’ during the National Seminar on Vikasit Bharat at 2047, held on 17th to 18th September 2024.
14. **Dr. Jagadish. S. Biradar** presented a Paper Titled ‘Tribal Empowerment concerning KK Region' during the two-day National conference on Vikasit Bharth Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage held on 11th to 12th February 2025, at Central University of Karnataka.
15. **Dr. Jagadish.S. Biradar**, presented a Paper Titled ‘Community Participation in Ecotourism: The Pictorial of Tharu Community of Valmiki Tiger Reserve held on 19th -21st February 2025 by Karnataka Science AND Technology Academy, Bengaluru.
16. **Dr. Jagadish. S. Biradar** presented a Paper Titled ‘Tourism and Geo-Tourism Vis-à-vis Crime: Deviant Criminal Behaviour Against By Foreign Tourist: A 3-Day international conference on Earth and Environment in Anthropocene held from 5th-7th March,2025, organised by the Department of Geology, School of Earth Sciences, Central University of Karnataka.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Gavinolla Mahendar	Five-Day Online FDP on Inculcating Universal Human Values in Technical Education organized by AICTE from January 20-24, 2025.
2	Dr. Nataraj B. Patted	UGC Sponsored refresher course on Ecological Adventure Travel, Health, Hospitality and Cultural Tourism organized by UGC – Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC), Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla from 02.09.2024 to 14.09.2024.
3	Dr. Nataraj B. Patted	FDP on Inculcating Universal Human Values in Technical Education, organized by the All-India Council for Technical Education, New Delhi from January 20-24, 2025.
4	Dr. Jagadish Biradar	Attended the Seven-day Faculty Development Program on Empowering Innovations - Advancing Knowledge and Practices in IPR from 27 January to 2 February 2025. Organized by the Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka.



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Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	Indian Institute of Millet Research	Action Research and Impact Assessment of Strengthening Local Tribes through the establishment of processing and Value Addition Units	Dr. Nataraj Patted (Co-PI)	30 Lakhs	2024-25	Ongoing

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Kashi Tamil Sangamam 3.0, Ministry of Education, Government of India.	Actively coordinated and participated in a week-long visit with the students of CUK (15 Students) to Kashi, Prayag Raj, and Ayodhya, dated 15 th to 22 nd February, 2025, an event organized by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

International collaborations:

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the Central University of Karnataka and Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences, Latvia, for student and staff exchange, joint research, consultancy, conferences, workshops, and other collaborative activities.

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, Member of YUVA Tourism Club, initiated by the Ministry of Tourism, Government of India
2. Dr. Siva, an affiliated member of the Forum UNESCO- University and Heritage Network (FUUH), Spain
3. Dr. G Mahendar, Member, International Tourism Studies Association
4. Dr. G Mahendar, Member, Indian Tourism and Hospitality Congress
5. Dr. G Mahendar, Member, Society to Save Rock

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
3	Sushma	22PGTTM23	NET	2702002567	June 2024
4	Vivek Mishra	20PGTTM20	NET	1502020208	June 2024
5	ShammasAlhammed M A	21PGTTM30	NET	2816000868	June 2024

**Summer Fellowships/Internships:****Three Months Summer Internship**

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency
1	Abhishek	23PTOUR001	SRP Travel World.
2	Adeeb Rahman V	23PTOUR002	Marriott Hotel
3	Akash V V	23PTOUR003	Thomas Cook (India) Limited
4	Pullayya	23PTOUR014	
5	Sukanya Chowdhary	23PTOUR017	
6	Suraj Kumar	23PTOUR018	
7	Avani T	23PTOUR004	K.A.S Tours and Travels Private Limited.
8	Manikandan N	23PTOUR006	Thomas Cook (India) Limited
9	Muhammad Aslak.C	23PTOUR008	Trisol Events.Kerala
10	Muhammad Sabith K	23PTOUR009	Thomas Cook (India) Limited
11	Nabuhan Ali K	23PTOUR010	Alhind Tours and Travels Private Limited.
12	Nadha	23PTOUR011	KSA Tours and Travels Private Limited.
13	Nadhir V P	23PTOUR012	Alhind Tours and Travels Private Limited.
14	Nagula Sathya Prasanna Devi	23PTOUR013	Zenith Leisure Holidays Ltd.
15	Sarga O P	23PTOUR016	Akbar Holidays PVT Ltd, Calcutta.
16	Vyshnav P	23PTOUR020	SOTC For Holidays

Placement details

Sl.No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Anjali	22PGTTM06	Process Associate	Genpact India Private Limited	08/2024
2	Arjun P.	22PGTTM08	Executive Tour	Alhind Holidays Pvt.	08/2024
3	Anwar Sadique K	22PGTTM07	Relationship Manager	Indus Motors Co Pvt Ltd	11/2024
4	Suma. K	22PGTTM23	Reservation Coordination	Courtyard by Marriott	10/2024

Departmental Activities**Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:**

Sl.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	February 24, 2025	One-Day Seminar on the theme "Sage Agasthiyar"	The program was organised for the entire university as part of Kashi Tamil Sangam (KTS) 3.0. Honourable Speaker from Pondicherry Legislative Assembly, Pondicherry, and Faculty members from Pondicherry and Tamil Nadu were invited as the chief guest and faculty members receptively. The program highlighted the significant contributions of Sage Agasthiyar to the alternative medical system, classical Tamil Literature, and cultural unity of the nation.

Alumni Activity:

Alumni Meet was organised by the Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, CUK, on March 11, 2025.

Events at the Department:

1. Kashi Tamil Sangamam 3.0, visit to Kashi, Prayag Raj, and Ayodhya, and concluding event at CUK dated February 15-22, 2025, an event organized by the Ministry of Education, Government of India.



Alumni Meet, Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, CUK on March 11, 2025.

4.2 School of Chemical Sciences

Dean: Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi

The School of Chemical Sciences was established in 2014 to provide theoretical knowledge and practical skills in chemical science, along with recent advancements, so that students become skilled and employable chemists, researchers, innovators, and teachers. The School of Chemical Science presently contains only one department that offers a 4-year B.Sc. Chemistry with research/honours and 2-year M.Sc. program according to NEP-2020 with multi-entry and multi-exit systems and PhD program.

School of Chemical Sciences

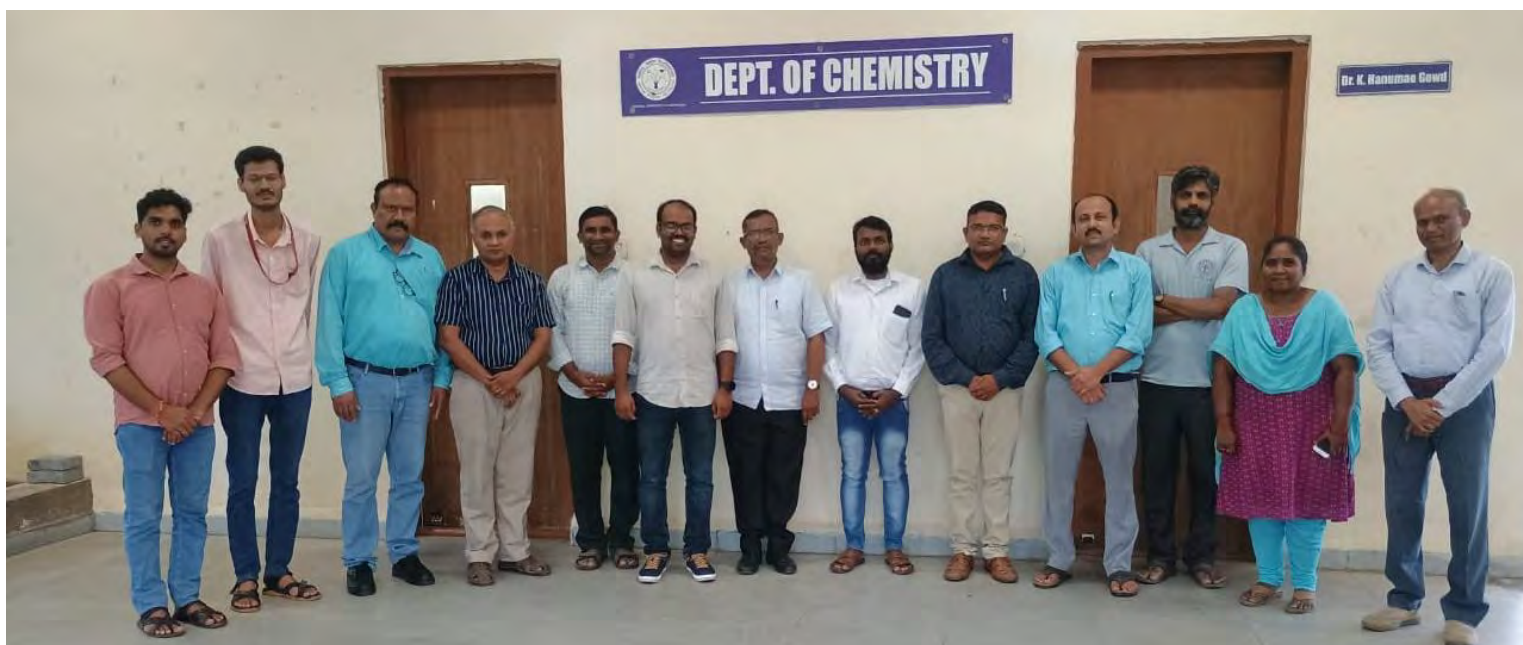


Department of Chemistry

4.2.1 Department of Chemistry

Head: Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi

The Department of Chemistry, established in 2014, offers a four-year B.Sc. in Chemistry (by research/honours) with multiple entry and exit points and a two-year M.Sc. in Chemistry, with multiple entry and exit options. Additionally, the department provides a Ph.D. program. Students receive quality education in chemistry through lectures and practical sessions held in five laboratories dedicated to Inorganic, Organic, Physical, Analytical, and Computational Chemistry. The department features a specialised instrumentation room equipped with advanced tools such as HPLC, Flash Chromatography, Polarimeter, Lyophilizer, Fluorimeter, FT-IR, Raman Spectrometer, Magnetic Susceptibility Apparatus, UV-VIS Spectrophotometers, a Milli-Q water setup, Gas Chromatography, and an Electrochemical Workstation. Furthermore, state-of-the-art instruments like NMR, LC-HR-MS, SC-XRD, and HR-SEM are housed in the Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre. Students are encouraged to pursue research careers by preparing for national and international competitive examinations, such as the GRE, TOEFL/IELTS, and CSIR/GATE/SET. The intensive research training included in the M.Sc. program equips graduates for positions in leading research institutions and industries. The department comprises eight faculty members, one FRP professor, 74 M.Sc. students, 55 B.Sc. students, and 13 Ph.D. scholars. The Ph.D. program focuses on cutting-edge areas, including synthetic chemistry, natural products chemistry, peptide chemistry, medicinal chemistry, supramolecular chemistry, computational chemistry, and electrochemical studies.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Chemistry (4 Years; By research/Honours)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Chemistry (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Chemistry

B. Sc. students on roll

B.Sc. (4Yr)	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Male	Female	Total
2022-23	6	1	4	-	-	-	5	6	11
2023-24	3	11	-	2	-	-	7	9	16
2024-25	11	11	3	-	3	-	14	14	28

M.Sc. students on roll

M.Sc.	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Male	Female	Total
2023-24	12	14	4	2	3	-	20	15	35
2024-25	10	19	3	3	4	-	15	24	39

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	2	4	1	-	-	-	7
Female	2	3	1	-	-	-	6

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. K Hanumae Gowd	Professor	Chemistry and Biology of Sulfur Peptides
Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi	Professor	Synthetic Organic Chemistry
Prof. Raghavaih Pallepogu	Professor	Chemical Crystallography and Supramolecular Chemistry
Dr. Harish Holla	Associate Professor	Organic & Natural Product Chemistry and Medicinal Chemistry
Dr. N.S. Venkata Narayanan	Associate Professor	Electrochemistry
Dr. P. Duraipandi	Assistant Professor	Medicinal Inorganic Chemistry
Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu	Assistant Professor	Non-Material-Based Catalysis for Various Applications
Dr. Ashok Pabbathi	Assistant Professor	Bio-Physical Chemistry

UGC-FRP faculty:

Name	Designation	Research Area(s)
Prof. Sheshanath V. Bhosale	Professor	Supramolecular Chemistry

Visiting professors:

Name	Institute/University
Prof. Raghothama S (Rtd)	Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Contractual/hourly basis faculty:

Contractual	Hourly Basis
Dr. Gopal Krishna Devulapalli	Dr. Neeraj Rathore
Dr. Bhavya Deepthi	

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)	Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Dr. Satish Ture (Regular)	4. Mr. Manjunath K (Contract)
2. Mr. Bhushan Chavan (Regular)	5. Mr. Ramesh (Contract)
3. Mr. Hanumath R (Regular)	6. Mrs. Parvati (Contract)

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Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/Chaired the session:

1. **Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an invited talk as ‘Resource Person’ on Development of Nano- & Biotechnological Tools using Supramolecular Chemistry at Global Opportunities for Latest Developments in Chemistry and Technology-2024 (GOLD-CT-2024), KBC North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon, on September 18-19, 2024.
2. **Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an invited talk on Development of Nano- and Biotechnological Tools using Supramolecular Chemistry, as 6 6-day online Faculty Development Program on From Ideas to Innovation in the Refresher course at Nagesh Karajagi Orchid College of Engineering and Technology, Solapur, Maharashtra, 23-01-2025.

- Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an invited talk on Creating Nanostructures on Nanoscale Level at the Day National Conference on “Sustainable Development and Scientific Synergies for the Future (SDSSF 2025) at Yeshwantrao Chavan Warana Mahavidyalaya, Warananagar, Kolhapur (Maharashtra) on 21-02-2025.
- Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an invited talk on Research Methodology and Research Paper Writing at Rajarshi Shahu Mahavidyalaya, Latur (Maharashtra) on 27-02-2025.
- Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an Invited talk, “Development of Nano- and Biotechnological Tools“, at Sanyay Ghodwat Institute, Kolhapur (Maharashtra) on 22-02-2025.
- Prof. S. V. Bhosale** delivered an invited talk on “Nanotechnolgy is Future Prospectives “, at the 3rd International Conference on “Chemistry for the Future: Pioneering Sustainable Solution (CFPSS-2025), Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar, Solapur University, Solapur (Maharashtra) on 03-03-2025.
- Dr. A. Pabbathi** delivered an invited talk on “Harnessing Molecular Motors for Advancing Nanotechnology” as a Resource Person in the Short Term Programme on Materials Science and Nanotechnology at UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, December 02-07, 2024.
- Prof. P. Raghavaiah** delivered an invited talk on “Chemical crystallography: Applications in Investigating Novel Multi-Domain Crystalline Assemblies” in the Short Term Programme on Materials Science and Nanotechnology through Online Mode at UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, Dec. 02-07, 2024.
- Prof. K. Hanumae Gowd** delivered an invited talk on "Peptide-Integrated Avobenzone UV Filters for Enhanced Skin Protection", IConPAS-2k25 (4th – 5th January 2025).
- Dr. N.S. Venkata Narayanan** delivered an invited talk in the two-day online FDP on “**Green Energies for Clean Environment**” through Online Mode, conducted by the Department of Chemistry & Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Thiagarajar College of Engineering, Madurai, 5th-6th March, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

- M. Hatimuria** and A. Pabbathi, ‘Structural Stability and Activity of Lignocellulosic Enzymes in Green Solvents’. Three-day National conference on ‘**Catalysis for Energy, Environment & Sustainability**’ (CEES-2024), September 18-20, 2024. CSIR-Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad. **(National)**.
- Pooja V Shreechippa** presented a poster in the Three-day 3rd International conference ‘**Chemistry for the Future: Pioneering Sustainable Solutions**’, March 7-8, 2025. Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar Solapur University, Solapur. **(International)**.
- Radhakrishna K** presented a poster at the ‘**10th Indian Peptide Symposium (10th IPS)**’, held between 26th – 28th February 2025 at IISER Pune, India. **(National)**.
- Arshitha R** presented a poster at the ‘**10th Indian Peptide Symposium (10th IPS)**’, held between 26th – 28th February 2025 at IISER Pune, India. **(National)**.
- Sougata Shit** presented a poster at the ‘**International Conference on Chemistry and Environment (ICCAES 2025)**’ held between March 28-30, 2025, at the School of University Engineering and Management, Kolkata. **(International)**.
- Priyanka Dey** presented a poster at the ‘**International Conference on Chemistry and Environment (ICCAES 2025)**’ held between March 28-30, 2025, at the School of University Engineering and Management, Kolkata. **(International)**.

Ph.D. awarded:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status Awarded/Submitted
1	Harshad A. Mirgane	23DPCHE01	Prof. S. V. Bhosale	Synthesis and Characterisation of organic molecules for optoelectronic and sensing applications	Awarded

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu	Two-week Refresher Course (RC) in Chemical Sciences from UGCMMTTC, Goa University, Goa. From 30-01-2025 to 12-02-2025 with an A grade.
2	Dr. Ashok Pabbathi	Two-week Refresher Course (RC) on "Innovation in Teaching and Research in Science by NEP 2020" 16-01-2025 to 29-01-2025, organized by UGCMMTTC, University of Rajasthan.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	DST-FIST [TPN-107412]	Sustainable methods for the development of drugs and energy conversion	Prof.V.R.Doddi (PI), other faculties (Co-PI)	1.67 Cr	2024-29	Ongoing
2	DST-INSPIRE Award Number: IFA-20-CH-333	Unravelling the mechanisms underlying the membrane fusion process	Dr. Ashok Pabbathi (PI)	35 Lakhs	2023-26	Ongoing
3	DST-SERB (SRG/2023/0002 50)	Evaluation of Stability and Activity of Lignocellulolytic Enzymes in Green Deep Eutectic Solvents for Applications in Sustainable Biofuel Production and Other Value-Added Products	Dr. Ashok Pabbathi (PI)	32.6 Lakhs	2023-25	Ongoing
4	DBT/BR47648/C MD/150/17/2023	Therapeutic leads for pain from Conus peptides from the Indian Marine coast	Prof. K.H. Gowd (PI)	89.5 Lakhs	2024-26	Ongoing
5	VGST K-FIST-L1	Intrinsically photostable avobenzene derivatives as chemical UVA filters for cosmetics	Prof. K.H. Gowd (PI)	20 Lakhs	2024-27	Ongoing
6	UGC-DAE -CRS	Photo memristors using nanomaterials for neuromorphic applications CRS/2024-25/1711	Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu (Co-PI)	1.35 L + Instrumentation facilities at DAE.	2025-28	Ongoing



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Consultancy:

Sl. No.	Faculty Name	Organization	Grant Amount	Duration	Status
1	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi	Foundation for Neglected Diseases and Research, Bangalore.	INR 5 Laksh per annum	2024-2029	Ongoing

Industry collaborations:

MoU signed between Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, and Foundation for Neglected Diseases and Research, Bangalore. Coordinator: Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Start date: 05-02-2024, Duration: 5 Years.

Memberships in professional bodies:

Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu

1. Life Member, Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI)
2. Life Member, Society for Materials Chemistry (SMC)

Dr. Ashok Pabbathi

1. Life member, Indian Society for Radiation and Photochemical Sciences (ISRAPS), India
2. Life member, Indian Photobiology Society (IPS), India
3. Life member, Fluorescence Society, India

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Vishalakshi Bajantri	2018MCY27	CSIR-JRF	AIR-74	KK08067619	09/2024
2	Pradyumna Sahoo	2021PGCHE26	CSIR-JRF	AIR-106	OR04034413	09/2024
3	R Reshma	2021PGCHE27	CSIR-JRF	AIR-99	TN14001143	03/2025
			GATE	AIR-1090	CY25S57440132	02/2025
4	Silpa Behera	2022PGCHE27	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	OR03000373	03/2025
			GATE	AIR-1777	CY25S56422112	02/2025
5	Archana A. R.	2022PGCHE01	CSIR-LS	AIR-48	KK08067665	09/2024
6	Deeba Muneeb	2022PGCHE08	CSIR- Ph.D Only		KK08067673	09/2024
7	Dasari Sharath Kumar	2022PGCHE07	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08067658	09/2024
8	P Surya	23PCHEM020	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08067688	10/2024
9	Ananya V	23PCHEM006	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08000338	04/2025
			GATE	AIR-2105	CY25S51337134	02/2025
10	Priyanka Dey	23PCHEM023	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08000294	03-2025
			GATE	AIR-4037	CY25S51337128	03/2025
11	Riya R Krishnan	23PCHEM024	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08000315	03-2025
12	Suman Manna	23PCHEM032	CSIR- Ph.D Only	-	KK08000291	04/2025
			GATE	AIR-1857	CY25S51337150	02/2025
13	Bidyut Mondal	2022PGCHE05	GATE	AIR-1145	CY25S56502109	02/2025

14	Vijay Choudhary	2022PGCHE33	GATE	AIR-1857	CY25S53030070	02/2025
15	Basavarajeshwari Police Patil	2021PGCHE10	K-SET	-	KS1055400	05/2024
16	Krishna C Shahapure	2016ISC10	K-SET	-	KS5018931	11/2024
17	Parvati Biradar	2018ISI13	K-SET	-	KS5052728	11/2024
18	Mahesh	2019MCY13	K-SET	-	KS5089536	11/2024
19	Sachin	2021PGCHE30	K-SET	-	KS1000171	07/2024
20	Yavarna Sandeep	2021PGCHE38	APSET	-	020300374	05/2024

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	University/Institute	Duration
1	Spoorti MM	2022PGCHE28	Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Israel	Sep.2024-March 2025
2	Thatipatti Appanna	23PCHEM033	University of Hyderabad	May-June 2024
3	Riya R Krishnan	23PCHEM024	IICT Hyderabad	April- June 2024
4	P Surya	23PCHEM020	The Academy of Sciences, Chennai	May –June 2024
5	Dharavath Mounika	23PCHEM011	IIT Kanpur	May –June 2024

Awards and recognition (Academic)

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Veerendra	Topper in an NPTEL exam, Wildlife Ecology
2	Priyanka Dey	Second prize in poster presentation in an “International Conference on Chemistry and Environment (ICCAES 2025) at the School of University Engineering and Management, Kolkata (March 28-30,2025)
3	Pooja V Shreechippa	1 st Prize in poster presentation 3 rd International conference “Chemistry for the Future: Pioneering Sustainable Solutions”, March 7-8, 2025. Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar Solapur University, Solapur.

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Bonagiri Nikhil	2021PGCHE11	Ph.D Scholar	University of Portland, USA. bonagirinikhil2001@gmail.com	05/2024
2	Ankita Bandyopadhyay	2021PGCHE03	Ph.D Scholar	Indiana University, Bloomington, USA milibanerjee00@gmail.com	04/2024
3	Varsha N M	2019MCY31	Ph.D Scholar	RWTH University, Aachen, Germany. varshadeeptham1@gmail.com	12/2024
4	Spoorti MM	2022PGCHE28	Ph.D Scholar	National Taipei University of Technology, Taiwan. spoortimm9@gmail.com	05/2024
5	Lodagala Jagadeesh	2021PGCHE22	Ph.D Scholar	IIT Kanpur lodagalajagadeesh9952@gmail.com	05/2024
6	Pradyumna Sahoo	2021PGCHE26	Ph.D Scholar	IIT Hyderabad, spradyumna3031@gmail.com	12/2024

7	Tejaraja R	2022PGCHE31	Ph.D Scholar	JNCASR Bengaluru, tejarajar2000@gmail.com	05/2024
8	Kashibai	2019ISC09	Ph.D Scholar	Central University of Karnataka, kashibaipatil12@gmail.com	08/2024
9	Vishalakshi Bajantri	2018MCY27	Ph.D Scholar	Central University of Karnataka, vishalakshibajantri@gmail.com	08/2024
10	Goutam Giri	2021PGCHE17	Ph.D Scholar	IISER Berhampur, 7682000450gg@gmail.com	05/2024
11	Satabdi Debroy	2021PGCHE33	Ph.D Scholar	NIT Meghalaya, satabdidroy5022000@gmail.com	07/2024

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Riya R Krishnan	23PCHEM024	Assistant Lecturer	Aakash Educational Services Limited, Incuspaze campus-2, plot no 13, Udyag Vihar, Gurugram, Haryana 122015 Package: 5L/Annum	03/2025
2	Shrimant	23PCHEM029	Program Associate	Avanti Fellows, 16, Paschimi Marg, Vasant Vihar, New Delhi, Delhi 110057. Package: 4 L/Annum	03/2025
3	Aanjaneya	23PCHEM001			
4	Abhinav Taduru	23PCHEM002			
5	Priyanka Dey	23PCHEM023	Assist. Teacher	SABA PU College of Science, Yadgir Package: 3 L/Annum	03/2025
6	Akshara Mohan	23PCHEM003			
7	Sougata Shit	23PCHEM030	Research Associate Trainee	Syngene International Limited SEZ Unit, Biocon Special Economic Zone, Bommasandra - Jigani Link Road Bangalore - 560 099, India Package: 3.7 L/Annum	03/2025
8	Gaddam Vamshi Sai	23PCHEM012			
9	Hari	23PCHEM014			
10	Veerendra	23PCHEM035	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation, Next to Wipro office, Bengaluru 560035 Ph:9180 66144900, Package: 4.6 L/Annum	03/2025
11	Jeyalakshmi	2021PGCHE20	Assistant Personnel Officer	IGCAR Kalpakkam 603102 Package: 3 L/Annum	08/2024
12	Apeksha Acharya	2022PGCHE03	Intern	ITC Limited, Peeneya, Bangalore Package: 15 K /Month	04/2024
13	Pooja B	Consultant	Analyst in the Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Dept	Manish HR Consultant Pvt. Ltd. Beside the government press, MSK Mill road, Kalaburagi 585102	11/2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	10.12.2024	Molecules to Materials	Prof. Arunachalam Ramanan, Rtd. Professor, Former HOD, Department of Chemistry, IIT Delhi
2	06.01.2025-10.01.2025	Five days of hands-on training on NMR Spectroscope	1) Dr. Chandrashekhar N, Lead Application Scientist, Bruker India Scientific Pvt. Ltd. 2) Prof. Jagadeesh, Gitam University. 3) Prof. Suryaprakash, IISc, Bengaluru 4) Prof. K. V. Ramanathan, IISc, Bengaluru 5) Prof. R. V. Hosur, TIFR, Mumbai
3	06.03.2025-07.03.2025	National seminar on Empowering Indian Youth for Global Leadership in Science and Innovation for Viksit Bharat	1) Prof. R. Balamurugan, School of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad 2) Prof. G. Satyanarayana, Department of Chemistry, IIT Hyderabad 3) Prof. Amit Nag, Department of Chemistry, BITS Hyderabad.

BOS details:

Department of Chemistry has conducted Board of Studies meeting online on 28th May 2024 and revised the syllabus for 4 years of B.Sc. (Research/Honour) and M.Sc. syllabus in line with NEP-2020.

Alumni activity:

The Department has conducted a meeting with Alumni on 11th March 2025 in the Department.

Additional information:

Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu has participated in :

- 33rd CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry and CRSI-ACS Lectures, 4th – 6th July 2024 at Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Hyderabad.
- 5-Day International Conference on Advances in Chemistry for Energy and Environment, CACEE- 2024, Monday 16th – Friday 20th December 2024, TIFR, Mumbai.
- 2-Day International Conference on Century of Chemistry In India – Celebration of Achievement of Indian Chemical Industries. 28th – 29th January 2025, Nehru Centre, Mumbai.

Events at the department:



Welcoming M.Sc Freshers (August 29, 2024)



Five days of hands-on training on NMR Spectroscopy (January 6-10, 2025)



A Field trip to Orient Cements on 30 January 2025



National Seminar as part of National Science Day celebrations, March 06-07, 2025

Department in the news

Make use of NMR facility at CUK: Retired scientist

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UNIVERSITY of Karnataka (CUK) Vice-chancellor Bhattu Satyanarayana said on Tuesday that the CUK will be a leading institution soon in the country and it is the only institution in the entire state, outside Bengaluru, to offer access to advanced Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) facility. He was speaking after inaugurating a five-day hands-on training workshop at the Central University of Karnataka (CUK).

Satyanarayana said that only a few institutions in India, including the Indian Institute of Science (IISc) and the Central Institute for Biological Sciences (NCBS), possess sophisticated 600 MHz NMR instruments.

"All the university stakeholders should leverage this new resource to conduct high-quality research and produce scholarly publications. Masters' students would now have the opportunity to publish research articles as part of their thesis work," he said.



Vice-Chancellor of Central University of Karnataka Bhattu Satyanarayana inaugurates advanced NMR facility at CUK in Kalyanuragi on Tuesday.

Prof. Ragethamma, retired scientist, IISc and visiting faculty member in the Department of Chemistry, also spoke on the

occasion and asked to make these facilities available to the public. "We should invite researchers and potential pharmaceutical ventures in the Kalyana Karnataka region to make use of the NMR spectrometer to support innovation and industry development. We have to make this a unique asset for Kalyana Karnataka," he said. He also requested the stakeholders to take complete advantage of the instrument for collaborative research, particularly in the development of medicines to benefit humanity.

CUK consultant engineer Isalinga Mahaganekar in his speech said that the institute is proud of its development in various projects in the varsity. Prof. Kamalika Hanuman Gowd, the coordinator of the 600 MHz NMR instrument, delivered introductory remarks and welcomed the authorizing.

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ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಕೇಂದ್ರೀಯ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ (ಕುಕ) ವೀಸಿ-ಚಾನ್ಸಲರ್ ಬಹ್ತು ಸತ್ಯನಾರಾಯಣ್ ಅವರು ಮಂಗಳವಾರ (15) ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 10.30 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಸಿದ ಸಮಾರಂಭದಲ್ಲಿ 600 MHz NMR ಉಪಕರಣದ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ ಮಾಡಿದರು. ಈ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಇವರನ್ನು ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಇತರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು, ಪ್ರಾಚಾರ್ಯರು, ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿ ಮತ್ತು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಸೇರಿದ್ದರು.

ಬಹ್ತು ಸತ್ಯನಾರಾಯಣ್ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡುತ್ತಾ, ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿ ಈಗಿನಿಂದಲೇ 600 MHz NMR ಉಪಕರಣವನ್ನು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಮುಂದುವರಿದ ಉಪಕರಣವಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಮುಂದುವರಿದ ಉಪಕರಣವಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು ಕುಕನಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಮುಂದುವರಿದ ಉಪಕರಣವಾಗಿದೆ.

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CUK professor included among list of world's top scientists

KALAMURAGI, DHMS: Stanford University, USA and scientific publisher and data analytics company Elsevier have included UGC professor Sheshanath Bhosale Vishwanath Bhosale of the Department of Chemistry in Central University of Karnataka among the world's top 2% scientists of 2024 in organic chemistry. The press release stated that his name has been included in the list for the 5th time INUTOW. Stanford University

Sheshanath Bhosale

4.3 School of Computer Sciences

Dean: Prof. Srikantaiah K C

The School of Computer Sciences at Central University of Karnataka was established in 2012. The school's motto is to create sophisticated and skilled professionals for the next generation of computing professionals. The school has a high-quality infrastructure, well-qualified faculty, and computational facilities in various computing domains. In addition to such facilities, the Department aims to create an ambience for learning and research for the students and the faculty. School of Computer Sciences offers Master of Computer Applications (MCA), B.Sc. (Computer Science), and B.Tech. CSE (AI & ML) and Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science (Ph.D). 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. The syllabus has been designed to meet industry requirements and is regularly updated with the latest technology. Innovative student projects with new ideas are part of the curriculum.

School of Computer Sciences



Department of Computer Science

4.3.1 Department of Computer Science

Head: Prof. Srikantaiah K C

The Department of Computer Science was established in the year 2012 with a Master of Computer Applications (MCA) programme and Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science (Ph.D) from 2021-22, B.Sc. (Computer Science) from 2022-23, and B.Tech. CSE (AI & ML) from 2024-25. It is a dynamic department with highly qualified experienced and young faculty members. The department adopts a scientific approach to computing solutions for 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 is engaged in teaching and research in frontier areas like Digital image processing, Artificial intelligence, Machine learning, Computer vision, Data science, etc. The department aims to enable India's excellence in the world of computer science and information technology (IT). We are pursuing advancement in the frontiers of computer science and IT research, and offering students world-class pedagogical and research experience. The Department has a good track record of placing students for projects and jobs. The Department uses Moodle Learning Management System (LMS) for Teaching and Evaluation.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Computer Science (4 Years)
- ❖ B.Tech CSE (AI & ML) (4 Years)
- ❖ MCA (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Computer Science

B.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	12	13	6	0	2	0	33
Female	6	7	1	1	1	0	16

B.Tech. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	20	11	5	4	4	1	45
Female	6	2	3	0	0	0	11

MCA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	20	15	5	4	4	0	48
Female	8	8	2	1	1	0	20

Ph.D students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	0	2	0	0	0	3
Female	5	2	3	0	0	0	10

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. R. S. Hegadi	Professor	Artificial Intelligence, Digital Image Processing, Machine learning, Robotics, Computer vision, Deep Learning
Prof. Srikantaiah K. C.	Professor	Data mining, Web mining, AI, Big Data Analytics, Cloud Computing
Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar	Associate Professor	Information Security, Multimedia Security, Artificial Intelligence, and Machine Learning
Dr. Kagale Madhuri R.	Assistant Professor	Digital Image Processing, Pattern Recognition, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, and Computer Vision
Dr. Parshuram M. Kamble	Assistant Professor	Digital Image Processing, Artificial Intelligence, and Machine Learning
Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	Assistant Professor	Digital Image Processing, Document Image Analysis, Historical Document Image Analysis, Character Recognition, Computer Vision, Machine Learning, and Big Data Analytics
Dr. Rakesh Kumar Godi	Assistant Professor	Wireless Networks, Artificial Intelligence & Ensemble Machine Learning, and Cloud Computing

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual	Specialization
Mrs. Poornima E G	Digital Image Processing, Pattern Recognition, Information Security, and Computer Vision.
Mr. D P Angadi	-
Ms Shagun Singh	-

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)	Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Dr. Bapu Daji Chendage (Technical Assistant)- Regular	3. Mr. Shrishail Hugar (Attender)- Outsourcing
2. Mr. Harish (Computer Operator)- Outsourcing	4. Mrs. Prabhavati (Sweeper)- Outsourcing

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Bhagyashri Agasar, **Gururaj Mukarambi**, 'Hybrid Method for Enhancement of Low-resolution Ancient Kannada Stone Inscription Images', *International Journal of Digital Applications in Archaeology and Cultural Heritage*, 35, 2024, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.daach.2024.e00385>, (Scopus and Cite Score 4.1).
2. Vijay H. Kalmani, **Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar**, and Thapa, V., Crop Yield Prediction using Deep Learning Algorithm based on CNN-LSTM with Attention Layer and Skip Connection. *Indian Journal of Agricultural Research*, 2024, 54, 1-9. Print ISSN 0367-8245. doi: 10.18805/IJARE.A-6300, December (Scopus Indexed Cite Score: 0.595)
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5. **Godi, R.**, Panchal, S., & Agarwal, S. (2025). Cooperative Resource Allocation using Optimized Heterogeneous Context-Aware Graph Convolution Networks in 5G Wireless Networks. *International Journal of Communication Systems*, 38(5). <https://doi.org/10.1002/dac.70002>(SCI/Scopus,IF:1.70).
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1. **Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar**, Unveiling the Hidden Pixels: A Comprehensive Exploration of Digital Image Steganography Schemes. *Journal of Information Hiding and Privacy Protection*, vol. 7, Issue 1, pp.1–31. 2025, <https://doi.org/10.32604/jihpp.2025.060898>

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4. **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi**, Venkat Hangarge, "The Impact of AI on Viksit Bharat: Transforming Transportation Intelligence", during Two Day National Seminar on Viksit Bharat @2047: Way towards Self Reliance held on 17th – 18th September 2024, at **Central University of Karnataka**. ISBN: 97881976091-3-8, Publisher: Samvit Prakashan and Media Pvt. Ltd. Online available link is Vikasit Bharat @2047: Way towards Self-Reliance.

Authored in book chapters:

1. K. Mainalli, V. Patil, A. Halemani, Shridhar Allagi, T. Ganokratanaa, **Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar**, A Machine Learning Based Approach for Detection of Fake News using Real Time Data, Smart Computing and Communication for Sustainable Convergence, pp 87-93, CRC Press, ISBN-978-1-041-06822-8, eBook ISBN 9781003637530, 2025.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/chaired the session:

2. **Prof. R. S. Hegadi** delivered an invited talk on "NEP and Innovations" in the Faculty Development Program on Women Leadership jointly organized by MSFDA Pune and KBP Mahavidyalay Pandharpur on 28th Aug. to 1st Sept. 2024.
3. **Prof. R. S. Hegadi** delivered an invited talk on "Deep Learning Algorithms: Secret behind success" in the 'International Conference on Mathematical Analysis and its Applications (ICMAA-2024) held on 2nd – 4th August 2024 at Karnatak University, Dharwad
4. **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi** delivered an invited talk on "Digital Image Processing for the Emerging Applications", during the STP held on 12/02/2025, organized by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, PDA College of Engineering, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, India.
5. **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi** delivered a special Lecture on "E-commerce Technology", held on 25th October, 2024, organized by the Department of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, India.
6. **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi** delivered a special Lecture on "Challenges in Digital Image Processing" held in August 2024, organized by the Department of Computer Science, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, Karnataka, India.
7. **Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar**, Invited as a resource person on 25th Jan 2025 for the VGST-sponsored FDP on "Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Applications" at BLDEA's V. P Dr P. G. Halakatti College of Engineering and Technology, Vijayapura, Karnataka.
8. **Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar** delivered a lecture on Artificial Intelligence on the occasion of the 41st Anniversary Week Celebration of District Science Centre at Gulbarga held on Monday, 6th January 2025 at 11.00 am
9. **Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar** chaired a session at the IEEE 2nd World Conference on Communication & Computing (WCONF), held in Raipur, India, from July 12th to 14th, 2024

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi**, Venkat Hangarge, "The Impact of AI on Viksit Bharat: Transforming Transportation Intelligence", during Two Day National Seminar on Viksit Bharat @ 2047: Way towards Self Reliance held on 17th - 18th September 2024, at Central University of Karnataka.

2. Venkat Hangarge and **Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi**, “ Bilingual Natural Scene Text Detection Using CRAFT Model and Region-Based Word Segmentation”, during a day International Conference (MEICON 1.0), organized by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, held on December 19th – 20th, 2024, at OPJU, Raigarh, C.G., India.
3. **Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar** presented paper with title: "Deep Learning for Precision Grade-Quality Classification of Pomegranates," In the IEEE International Conference on Innovation and Novelty in Engineering and Technology (INNOVA), held during 20th – 21st December 2024 at B. L. D. E. College of Engineering and Technology, Vijayapura, Karnataka.
4. **Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar** Presented paper "Leveraging AI and ML for Predictive Analysis and Feature Attribution in Abnormal Network Behavior Detection," held during 12th to 14th July, 2024, IEEE, 2nd World Conference on Communication & Computing (WCONF), Raipur, India
5. **Srikantaiah K C**, Presented a Paper titled “Internet of Things for Water Management in Smart Farming” in the conference on Advances in Communication Networks and Systems COACONS2025), SRM University, Kattankulathur on 26th March 2025.
6. **Srikantaiah K C**, Resource person in Five Days Value Added Certification Course on “Artificial Intelligence for Education: Bridging Innovation and responsibility” held at Vivekananda Institute of Technology, from 22nd and 23rd July 2024.

Faculty Development Programs attended by faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	7 Days FDP on “ Empowering innovations: Advancing Knowledge and Practices in IPR”
2	Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	10 Days FDP on “NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme under the MM-TTP”
3	Dr Rakesh Kumar Godi	1 week FDP on the theme “Inculcating Universal Human Values in Technical Education” organized by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) from 20 th – 24 th January 2025.
4	Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar	A week-long FDP on the theme “Inculcating Universal Human Values in Technical Education” was organized by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) from 20 th – 24 th January 2025.
5	Dr. Nagaraj V. Dharwadkar	Attended two days “6 th National Level Workshop on NIRF India Rankings 2025” for Higher Educational Institutions held on 20 th & 21 st December, 2024, conducted by Institute for Academic Excellence (IAE), Hyderabad

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	HEFA (Higher Education Financing Agency) CSR Grants	Cost-Effective and Fully Automated Intelligent Pesticide Spraying UAVs in the Agriculture Field using Quadcopter and Deep Learning	PI: Prof. R. S. Hegadi, Co-PI: Dr. P. M. Kamble	31,00,000	2022-2025	Completed
2	DST-BDTD (Biomedical Device and Technology Development)	Design and development of a cost-effective haptic device for medical education, training, and rehearsal.	PI: Prof. R. S. Hegadi, Co-PI: Dr. P. M. Kamble	65,74,555	2022-2025	Completed

3	VGST, Government of Karnataka	Digitization of Old Kannada Stone Inscription Character Images	PI : Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	3,00,000	2023-24 to 2024-25	Completed
4	ICSSR	A Comparative Assessment of the Impact of Digital India in Improving the Efficiency of Governance and Services of Various States in India: with special reference to select areas of Karnataka, Maharashtra & Rajasthan	Project Coordinator: Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	14,00,000	2023-24 to 2024-25	Completed

Membership in professional bodies:

S. No.	Faculty Name	Memberships in Professional bodies
1	Prof. Srikantaiah K C	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Life Member of ISTE, Life Member of IAENG, Life Member of the Institution of Engineers. Life Member of the Computer Society of India.
2	Prof. R.S. Hegadi	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> IEEE Senior member Associate Editorial Board Member– Current Medical Imaging (CMIM) Member–Indian Unit for Pattern Recognition and Artificial Intelligence (IUPRAI). Member–International Association of Engineers (IAENG). Member–International Association of Computer Science and Information Technology (IACSIT).
3.	Dr. Nagaraj V Dharwadkar	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Member of Advance Computing Machinery (ACM) Member of the International Association of Computer Science and Information Technology (IACSIT) Member of Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) Member of Computer Society of India (CSI) Member of ISTE Member of National Cyber Safety and Security Standards (NCSSS), New Delhi

Students related Information

Accomplishments of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Ms. Gitisha	2021MCA02	NET	-	-	2024
2	Mr. Raman Kaushish	22PGMCA26	NET	-	-	2024
3	Mr. Vaibhav	23PCOMP033	NET	-	-	2024
4	Mr. K Srivardhan	23PCOMP008	NET	-	-	2024



Summer fellowships/internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
B.Sc. (Computer Science)					
1	Abdul Nafay	22UGMCS01	Codsoft	CODSOFT	4 weeks
2	Abdul Safi	22UGMCS02	Main Flow Services and Technologies Pvt.Ltd	Main Flow Services and Technologies Pvt.Ltd	4 Weeks
3	Aditya Kumar	22UGMCS03	Edunet Foundation, project	Edunet Foundation, project	6 weeks
4	Aman Singh	22UGMCS04	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	4 weeks
5	Anand	22UGMCS05	Codsoft	codsoft	4 weeks
6	Ankit Raj	22UGMCS06	Project	Project	N/A
7	Arundhati Biswas	22UGMCS07	Project, CODSOFT	Project, CODSOFT	4 Weeks
8	Deepika Kanneti	22UGMCS08	CODSOFT	CODSOFT	4 Weeks
9	Isha Mandal	22UGMCS09	CODSOFT	CODSOFT	4 Weeks
10	Korada Surya Teja	22UGMCS10	RINEX	RINEX	3 months
11	Kota Tanuja	22UGMCS11	CODSOFT	CODSOFT	4 Weeks
12	Manasi	22UGMCS12	CODSOFT	CODSOFT	4 weeks
13	Md Fareeduddin	22UGMCS14	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	6 week
14	Md Naquid Raza	22UGMCS15	Codsoft	Codsoft	4 weeks
15	Pilla Prasanna	22UGMCS17	Vishakapatnam Steel Plant(offline) And CODSOFT (Offline)	Vishakapatnam Steel Plant(offline) And CODSOFT (Offline)	4 Weeks
16	Prajwal	22UGMCS19	YBI Foundation	YBI Foundation	1 months
17	Rahul S. Mundas	22UGMCS20	YBI foundation	YBI foundation	4 weeks
18	Resin Babu	22UGMCS21	Motioncut	Motioncut	4 weeks
19	Sahana Shivanand Kallolli	22UGMCS23	CODSOFT	CODSOFT	4 Weeks
20	Shahin Sharaf Konnola	22UGMCS24	Project + Uptoskills	Project + Uptoskills	3 months
21	Shivam Kumar Mishra	22UGMCS26	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	6 weeks
22	Arundhati Biswas	22UGMCS12	Project, CODSOFT	Project, CODSOFT	4 Weeks
23	Thota Akhil Balaji	22UGMCS29	CODESOFT	CODESOFT	4 WEEKS
24	Vikash Kumar	22UGMCS30	Edunet	Edunet	6 week
25	Yogit S	22UGMCS31	Edu-versity	Edu-versity	2 months
MCA					
1	Ashok Kumar Mohanta	23PCOMP004	EY Global Delivery Services & AICTE	EY Global Delivery Services & AICTE	3 months
2	Aswin Ashok	23PCOMP005	Edunet	Edunet	1 months
3	K Srivardhan	23PCOMP008	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	1 months

	Chakravarthy				
4	Narendra S Chavan	23PCOMP015	YBI Foundation	YBI Foundation	3 months
5	Neha Chaurasia	23PCOMP016	Mobirey	Mobirey	3 months
6	Pandit Nilesh Vashisht	23PCOMP017	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	3 months
7	Ramagiri Suraj Kumar	23PCOMP019	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	3 months
8	Ramagiri Suraj Kumar	23PCOMP019	Edunet Foundation	Edunet Foundation	3 months
9	Rani Kumari	23PCOMP020	ALEIIT	ALEIIT	1 months
10	Sachin	23PCOMP022	Edunet foundation	Edunet foundation	3 months
11	Shailaja Singh	23COMP025	Edunet	Edunet	3 months
12	Supratim Samanta	23PCOMP029	Internship studio	Internship studio	3 months
13	Swathi S	23PCOMP030	Edunet foundation	Edunet foundation	3 months
14	Vaibhav	23PCOMP033	Edunate Foundation	Edunate Foundation	1 months
15	Vaishnavi	23PCOMP034	Apps avenue	Apps avenue	3 months
16	Vikas Shindhe	23PCOMP035	Cognifyz Technologies	Cognifyz Technologies	3 months
17	Yash	23pcomp036	Cognifyz technologies	Cognifyz technologies	3 months

Awards and recognitions (Academic)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Details of the award
1	Mrs. Kavita Houde	21DPCSC01	Best paper award in the 7 th International Conference on Recent Trends in Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, organized by IIIT Bhopal

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details
1	Vikas Kumar	22UGMCS30	Graduate Trainee	Tata Consultancy Services
2	Abdul Safi	22UGMCS02	Graduate Trainee	Tata Consultancy Services
3	Manish Kumar	22PGMCA20	Software Developer	Tata Consultancy Services
4	Abhijeet Anand	22PGMCA01	Software Developer	Tata Consultancy Services
5	Rohit Mukherjee	22PGMCA28	Software Developer	Tata Consultancy Services
6	Subidhi Tiwari	22PGMCA13	Software Developer	Tata Consultancy Services
7	Office	22PGMCA16	GDS BPM	Post office India
8	Arvind Kumar	22PGMCA05	Associate Process Executive	NVIDIA GRAPHICS PVT. LTD
9	Ashutosh Gautam	22PGMCA07	Software Engineer	Karabi Software Pvt Ltd
10	Raman Kaushish	22PGMCA26	Python Developer	VRV Security Pvt Ltd
11	Ganesh Salunkhe	22PGMCA14	Software Developer	Amazon Development Centre
12	Sagar S Kumar	22PGMCA31	Deployment Engineer	ACIX Pvt Ltd
13	Sumant Kumar	22PGMCA36	Associate Data Scientist	NEUZENAI IT Solutions Pvt Ltd
14	Supriya Malkapure	22PGMCA37	Software Engineering	Accenture Pvt Ltd

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

S. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	05.03.2025	Alumni Interaction Session	Alumni Interaction Session by Batch 2022
2	28.03.2025	Membership Drive for IEEE Membership Awareness	Membership Drive for IEEE Membership Awareness and Its Benefits
3	10.02.2025	Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025	Online event 'Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025'

BOS details:

The meeting of the Board of Studies in Computer Science held on 21st March 2025 through online/offline mode with the following agenda:

1. Approval of the rubrics for evaluating the MCA Mini Project and Major Project
2. Approval of revision in the structure and the content of the MCA syllabus: The detailed course content prepared as per the guidelines of AICTE was placed for discussion. The members discussed the content in detail and suggested some modifications, which have been incorporated. The modified content is approved. The chairperson thanked all the members for attending the BOS meeting and giving their valuable comments and suggestions.

Alumni activity:

- Alumni Interaction Session of Batch 2022
- Alumni Meet is also conducted.

Events at the department:

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Alumni Interaction Session by Batch 2022	



Online Event 'Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025'

4.4 School of Earth Sciences

Dean: Prof. Mohammed Aslam M.A.

The School of Earth Sciences is one of the first academic schools established by the Central University of Karnataka. It is dedicated to fostering a deeper understanding of our planet, the resources that sustain society, and the challenges related to sustainability. The School employs a wide range of methods and tools to address key research questions, including fieldwork, laboratory and experimental studies, and computer modelling. The School is home to two departments - Geography and Geology- offering undergraduate and postgraduate programs. It is committed to educating a new generation of scholars who reflect the diversity of intellectual perspectives, life experiences, and cultural backgrounds in society today. The School provides advanced computing facilities and well-equipped laboratories to enhance the teaching and learning environment. These include **Cartography and Remote Sensing labs, Physical Geography laboratories, and Digital Imaging Units**, all designed to support students and researchers in exploring the broad and interdisciplinary field of Earth Sciences.

The academic curriculum in **Geography** is structured to provide students with hands-on exposure through fieldwork. This allows them to interact directly with people and places and better understand socio-economic and cultural aspects during study tours. Students also gain practical experience in surveying and navigation using specialised instruments during field exercises. The **Department of Geology**, on the other hand, trains students in various geological aspects through field visits and collaborations with prominent organisations such as the **Geological Survey of India, Atomic Minerals Directorate, Central Ground Water Board**, and several other relevant institutions.

School of Earth Sciences



Department of Geography

Department of Geology

4.4.1 Department of Geography

Head: Dr. Archana Kujur, Associate Professor

(Head (i/c) Prof. Mohammed Aslam M.A. July 2024-January 2025)

The Department of Geography was established in 2009 and has since evolved and flourished as an academic unit within the School of Earth Sciences. The department is committed to equipping students with advanced knowledge and skills to understand, analyse, and address complex geographical challenges while advancing research excellence.

We have a team of expert faculty members dedicated to mentoring and inspiring students through their diverse areas of expertise, including Physical Geography, Urban and Human Geography, Geospatial Technology, and Quantitative Methods. The department currently comprises five permanent and three contractual faculty members, who are actively engaged in disseminating knowledge to more than 100 students across various academic programs offered by the university, including B.Sc. in Geography, IMSC in Geography, M.Sc. in Geography, and Ph. D in Geography.

The **M.Sc. in Geography** is a two-year program designed to cover the discipline's scientific and technical aspects, enabling students to thrive in promising career sectors and pursue higher education. The curriculum is structured to provide both

foundational and advanced-level knowledge. In the fourth semester, students undertake research-oriented projects in their chosen field of specialisation. In addition to core and practical courses, students have the flexibility to choose from a range of elective courses that align with current innovations and trends in Geography, preparing them for better career prospects.

Our undergraduate and postgraduate students have secured internships and research placements at prestigious institutions and organisations, including the Survey of India, State Development Authorities, IISc Bengaluru, IIRS Dehradun, NCSCM (Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change), NRSC Hyderabad, and JNU New Delhi.

The department has made pioneering efforts to address societal needs by preparing students and researchers to contribute meaningfully to national development. Our programs are designed to nurture analytical thinking, which supports towards students in conducting independent research projects within their areas of specialisation. Beyond classroom learning, the department organises educational study tours to enhance students' understanding through real-life exposure and interactions with diverse landscapes and communities. One excursion, "*A Geographical Assessment of the Rural-Urban Regions: A Study of Coastal Karnataka*," was organised as part of the academic curriculum for B.Sc. 6th Semester students. The 7-day field trip was conducted from 24th February to 3rd March 2025. A total of 21 students from the 6th semester (2024-25 batch) participated, accompanied by two faculty in-charges. Following the tour, students submitted a detailed report and presented their findings and experiences to the department. These submissions were duly credited and evaluated by the faculty members.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Geography with Research Degree (4 Years)
- ❖ B.Sc. in Geography (with Honours Degree)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Geography (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Geography

B.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	11	07	08	01	0	0	27
Female	12	04	01	02	2	0	21

M.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	12	11	08	04	01	0	36
Female	13	08	0	0	01	0	22

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	06	02	03	1	0	0	12
Female	0	01	0	0	01	0	02

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi*	Professor	Regional Geography
Dr. Archana Kujur	Associate Professor	Population Geography
Dr. B. Mahalingam	Assistant Professor	Application of GIS and Remote Sensing
Dr. Sanjit Sarkar	Assistant Professor	Population Geography
Dr. Swagata Ghosh	Assistant Professor	Remote Sensing and GIS
Dr. Vishwanath B.C.	Assistant Professor	Urban and Environmental Geography

* On EOL and serving as the Vice-Chancellor of Khaja Bandanawaz University, Kalaburagi

Contractual/hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
1. Dr. Sarath Chandran
2. Dr. Pankaj Roy
3. Dr. Noli Nivedita Tirkey

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Mohammed Rafiq

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

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2. Dolui, M., **Sarkar, S., Jena K. S (2025)**. Prevalence and Socioeconomic Determinants of Hypertension among Women in India: A Cross-sectional Study from the Nationally Representative Data. *Indian Journal of Population and Development*. Vol. 4(2), July 2024, pp-183-199, ISSN: 2583-4827.
3. Manna, H., **Sarkar, S. (2025)**. Quantifying urban Land Surface Temperature (LST) dynamics in an Industrial and Mining hub of Eastern India using Remote Sensing and Geospatial Analysis. *Theoretical and Applied Climatology*, 156: 151:1-25 <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00704-025-05386-2> Springer Nature, Indexed in Scopus, Impact Factor- 3.1
4. Manna, H., Mallick, S.K., **Sarkar, S. et al. (2025)**. Developing Decision Making Framework on Built-up Site Suitability Assessment for Urban Regeneration in the Industrial Cities of Eastern India. *Scientific Reports* 15, 5708: 1-14. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-025-90408-2> IF 3.8
5. Jena, S.K., Dolui, M., Ghoshal, S. et al. (2024). Demographic and Socio- economic Correlates of Knowledge of the Ovulatory Cycle among Tribal Women in India: Evidence from the Nationally Representative Survey (NFHS-5). *BMC Public Health*, 766:1-14. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-024-18296-1> IF 3.5
6. Manna, H., **Sarkar, S., Hossain, M. et al. (2024)**. Modeling and predicting Spatio-temporal Land use Land cover Changes and Urban sprawling in Kalaburagi City Corporation, Karnataka, India: a Geospatial Analysis. *Model. Earth Syst. Environ.* 10, 809–832. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s40808-023-01814-2> IF 2.7
7. **Sarkar, S., Kujur, A (2025)**. Migration and High-risk health Behaviours among Adolescents (15-19 years): Empirical Evidence from Bihar and Uttar Pradesh, India. *Journal of Social and Economic Development*. Vol 26 (3). Springer Nature, Indexed in Scopus, Impact Factor- 1.2 <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s40847-024-00408-7>
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9. Dolui, M, and **Sarkar, S. (2024)**. A Critical Appraisal of Demographic and Socio-economic Characteristics of the Scheduled Tribes in West Bengal. *Indian Journal of Spatial Science*; 15 (4), pp-79-88. <https://www.indiansss.org/ijss/current-issue>
10. **Sarkar, S., Mallick, S.K., Manna, H. et al. 2024**. Urbanization-Induced Land Use Dynamics and Its Impacts on Present and Future Urban Ecosystem Services in the Industrial Cities of India. *Earth Syst Environ* 8, 869–893. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s41748-024-00440-x> IF 5.3
11. **Sarkar, S., Manna, H., Roy, S.K. et al. 2024**. Synergizing Remote Sensing and Ecological Indicators (RSEIs) for Evaluating Ecological Environmental Quality (EEQ) in Asansol Municipal Corporation: an Integrated Approach. *Environ Monit Assess* 196, 631:1-23. . <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10661-024-12793-x> IF 2.9
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 21. **B. Mahalingam**, G. Jayalakshmi, and Anupama Chandran, (2025), Deprivation of Household Basic Amenities in India: a spatial analysis, *Geo Journal*, Vol. 90, No. 22, pp. 1-14. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10708-024-11266-5>.
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2. Sathi Mandal and **B. Mahalingam**, Assessment of Land Use and Land Cover Changes in Chandannagar Taluk in West Bengal, *Geoinformatics Applications in LULC Mapping and Natural Hazards*, Akaansha Publisher House, 2024, Editors Dr. A. Simhachalam and Er. S.K. Ghosh. ISBN: 978-81-972483-5-1.
3. Anupama Chandran, Trisha De and **B. Mahalingam**, Analyzing LULC Changes in Asansol Taluk of Bardhaman District, West Bengal, using Landsat Imageries, *Geoinformatics Applications in LULC Mapping and Natural Hazards*, Akaansha Publisher House, 2024, Editors Dr. A. Simhachalam and Er. S.K. Ghosh. ISBN: 978-81-972483-5-1.
4. Sarah Rahman and **Swagata Ghosh** (2024). Spatio-Temporal Variability of Spectral Indices and Land Surface Temperature for Ecological Change Detection in Faridabad District India between 1991 and 2021. In: Rai, P.K., Rai, S. (Eds) *Climate, Environment and Agricultural Development. Advances in Geographical and Environmental Sciences*. Springer, Singapore. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-8363-2_13.

Invited Talks / Plenary Lectures / Keynote Address / Chaired the Session:

1. **Dr. Archana Kujur** chaired a session on ‘Population and Development’ during the two-day National Seminar on ‘Health, Environment and Development’ held at Fakir Mohan University, Balasore (PIN: 756089) on 28th and 29th January 2025.
2. **Dr. Archana Kujur** chaired the session on "Environment and Health" during the two-day National Seminar on "Health, Environment and Development" held at Fakir Mohan University, Balasore (PIN: 756089) on 28th and 29th January 2025.
3. **Dr. Archana Kujur**, invited as a Resource Person for an online invited lecture titled “Historical Growth of World Population” delivered on 25th February 2025, as part of a lecture series organized by the Department of Geography, Bodoland University.

4. **Dr. Archana Kujur**, invited as a Resource Person for a session on “Demography, Development and Public Policy in India: A Geographical Perspective” a National Seminar which was scheduled from 5th and 6th March 2025, organised by the Department of Geography, Central University of Jharkhand. The talk delivered was on the title, ‘A Study of Sterilization Regret: Analysing the differential effect of Social, Economic and Services-Related factors in India’.
5. **Dr. Mahalingam B.**, invited as a Resource Person and delivered a lecture on Applications of GIS at the RUSA-sponsored Faculty Improvement Program (FIP) GIS for Educators at the Center for Geoinformatics Technology, Department of Studies in Geography, University of Mysore, on 30th November 2024.
6. **Dr. Mahalingam B.**, invited as a Resource Person at the Youth Empowerment for Epidemic and Natural Disaster Management International Conference from 21st to 23rd February, 2024 at the University of Madras in Chennai.
7. **Dr. Pankaj Roy**, invited to talk on "Water Resource Management for Human Sustenance: Best Practices and Lessons Learned" on 21st July 2024 in the One Week International e-FDP on Technological Trends for Sustainability from 16th July 2024 to 22nd July 2024, organised by Symbiosis Institute of Computer Studies and Research (SICSR), Pune, India, a Constituent of Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune, India, in association with IETE, Pune Centre, IEEE Student Branch at SICSR, and the Pune Chapters of IEEE Education Society, Indian Society of Remote Sensing (ISRS), and Indian Society of Geomatics (ISG).
8. **Dr. Pankaj Roy**, invited to talk on "Youth: Asset of the Nation" in the “International Youth Day” on 16th July 2024, organised by SCAD College of Education, and held on SCAD Nagar, Kallakad Road, Cheranmahadevi, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu, PIN-627414.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Dr. Sanjit Sarkar**, presented a Paper titled “Linking Migration and High-Risk Health Behaviors Among Adolescents in Bihar: Insights from the UDAYA Survey” in the Eastern Regional Conference of the IASP in collaboration with Population Research Centre, Utkal University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha held during 17th-18th October 2024
2. **Dr. B. Mahalingam**, Role of Geo-Informatics in Various Domains to Achieve Viksat Bharat, presented at the National Seminar on ‘Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-Reliance’, conducted by the Department of Economics Studies and Planning, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka, on 17th and 18th September 2024.
3. **Dr. B. Mahalingam**, AHP-based Geospatial Analysis for Landslide Susceptibility Zonation in Wayanad District, presented at the 4th International Conference on Disaster Management (The 4th ICDM 2024), conducted by Universitas Andalas – Indonesia, from 30th September to 1st October 2024.
4. **Dr. B. Mahalingam**, Identification of Landslide Vulnerable Zones in West Khasi District of Meghalaya, presented at the 4th International Conference on Disaster Management (The 4th ICDM 2024), conducted by Universitas Andalas – Indonesia, from 30th September to 1st October 2024.
5. **Dr. B. Mahalingam**, Geospatial Analysis of Landslide Susceptibility in Pulwama, Jammu, and Kashmir: A Multi-Criteria Decision-Making Approach, presented at the International Association of Gondwana Research 2024 (IAGR 2024) Annual Convention and 21st International Conference on Gondwana to Asia, in the Waterfront Hotel, Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia from 18th to 22nd November 2024.
6. **Dr. Vishwanath B.C.**, presented a paper in UGIT 13th International Conference on “Multi-Disciplinary Approach for Sustainable Development of Future Cities-Innovative Emerging Technologies” during 19th - 20th Dec., 2024. Paper entitled Geomorphological Assessment of the Barakar River Basin: A Hypsometric and Morphometric Approach Using GIS Organized by Department of Geography & Geoinformatics, Bangalore University, Bengaluru- India.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Sanjit Sarkar	Completed the Refresher Course on Research Methodology, Organizer: MMTC Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh. Duration of the course- 05 th Aug. 2024 – 19 th Aug. 2024. Grade : A+
2	Dr. Vishwanath B.C.	Attended the UGC sponsored 123rd Faculty Induction Programme (GURU-DAKSHTA) from 15 th Nov. 2024 to 13 th Dec. 2024 at UGC- Malviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Goa University. Duration of the program was from 15 th Nov. 2024 to 13 th Dec. 2024.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi.	Impact Evaluation of PM Ujjwala Yojana in Scaling-up the Adoption of Clean Cooking Fuels and Reducing the Adverse Health Hazards among Women: A Study in Kalyan Karnataka Region (KKR), Karnataka	Dr. Sanjit Sarkar	Rs 5,00,000/- (Grant No: CIS-2023-1508/PMUY/SCD dated 26-09-2023)	2023- 2025	Completed

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. Annual Member of International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP)// Membership No.- AM No.- 32432- **Dr. Archana Kujur.**
2. Life Member of India Association for the Study of Population (IASP)// Membership No.- IASPLM-457- **Dr. Archana Kujur.**
3. Annual Member of the Indian Geographical Society (IGS)// Membership No. AM2021012- **Dr. Archana Kujur.**
4. Life Member of Indian Society of Remote Sensing (ISRS) //Membership No.- LM-4778- **Dr. Swagata Ghosh.**
5. Life Member of Indian National Cartographic Association (INCA) //Membership No.- LM-2910- **Dr. Swagata Ghosh.**
6. Life Member of Indian Institute of Geomorphologists (IGI) // Membership No.- LM-456- **Dr. Pankaj Roy.**
7. Life Member of International Society for Research and Development (ISRD) //Membership No.- LM-3140900597- **Dr. Pankaj Roy.**

Students related Information

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Ms. Aaina Murziya	23PGEOG002	UGC-NET	172	240520401094/ DL01018794	12/2024
2	Mr. Ankur Halder	23PGEOG005	GATE	AIR-368	GE25S64020200	02/2025
4	Ms. Subhashree Priyadarshini Sahoo	23PGEOG015	GATE	AIR-280	GE25S68008069	02/2025
5	Mr. Sudip Roy	23PGEOG017	UGC-NET	-----	UP18013703	12/2024
6	Mr. Suraj Kumar	24PGEOG024	UGC-NET	-----	BR07012906	12/2024
7	Mr. Mood Raju	24PGEOG0	GATE	AIR-1043	GE25S61515405	02/2025
8	Mr. Banjaigra Z. Basumatary	24DGEOG004	UGC-NET	-----	AM02010011	12/2024

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Mr. Anveer	24DGEOG001	Research Scholar (PG to Ph.D.)	Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.	01/2025
2	Mr. Banjaigra Z. Basumatary	24DGEOG004	Research Scholar (PG to Ph.D.)	Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.	01/2025
3	Mr. Rudra Narayan Mahalik	24DGEOG002	Research Scholar (PG to Ph.D.)	Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.	01/2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Mr. Shrikanth	2018DGH21	Engineer (GIS)	RMSI Private Limited, Hyderabad.	08/2024
2	Mr. Bhavanappa	2018DGH07	Guest Faculty	Dept. of Geography, Bangalore University, Bangalore-560056	08/2024
3	Mr. Akash Prabhakar Chandrashekhara	2018DGH08	Trainee	Quess Corp. Limited, Ballapur Maharashtra.	09/2024

4	Mr. Kunal Mandal	2021PGAGG13	GIS Engineer (WebGIS Developer)	Icon Software Technologies Pvt. Ltd.,	10/2024
5	Mr. Farhan Ahmed	2021PGAGG11	Junior Research Fellow	Punjab Remote Sensing Centre, Ludhiana, Punjab-141004.	2024
6	Ms. Arigela Sree Sarani	22UGEOG003	Trainee	TCS, BPS, Bengaluru.	2025
7	Mr. Divyansh Tiwari	23PGE0G007	Operation Executive	Startek Ageis, Department of Fraud and Corruption Risk Assessment, Bengaluru.	2025
8	Mr. Sudarsi Srikanth	20IMGEO16	Sports Coach	Kendriya Vidyalaya, Gachibowli, Hyderabad (Telangana).	2025

Departmental Activities

BOS details:

The BoS meeting of Department of Geography was held on 25th November 2024 and 17th February 2025. The meeting was held for the revision and review of the syllabus for the UG and PG programs for AY-2025-26, ensuring complete alignment with the guidelines laid in NEP 2020 as well as the standards prescribed by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE). This was specifically for the M.Sc. curriculum course design.

Alumni activity:

The Department had a reunion on 11th March 2025, where some of our graduating students united and also shared their experiences and expressed the views regarding the Department and Organisations for the future placements.

Events at the department:



“Pareeksha Pe Charcha”, Honourable Prime Minister of India Shri. Narendra Modi Ji’s Online Interaction with the Students on 11th Feb 2025.



Graduating Students during 8th Convocation 11th March 2025

4.4.2 Department of Geology

Head: Dr. M. Lingadevaru

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

The courses offered by the Department cover a wide range of core courses in geology and allied subjects. It provides a foundation for studying fundamental geologic methods and problems, both in the laboratory and 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 to 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.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. Geology (with research) (4 Years)
- ❖ B.Sc. Geology (with honours) (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Geology (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D in Geology

B.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Sports	HKR	Total
Male	02	05	06	01	0	0	0	0	14
Female	05	05	01	02	0	0	0	0	13

M.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Sports	WDP	HKR	Total
Male	12	11	08	01	01	0	0	0	0	33
Female	13	08	0	0	01	0	0	0	0	21

Ph.D. students on roll:

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	06	03	03	0	0	0	12
Female	0	01	0	0	01	0	02

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. M. A. Mohammed. Aslam	Professor	Hydrogeology, Remote Sensing and GIS
Prof. M. Prashanth	Professor	Hydrogeology, Environmental Geology, Geoinformatics, Medical Geology and Geoscience Education
Dr. M. Lingadevaru	Associate Professor	Petrology and Ore petrology
Dr. Aleem Pasha	Assistant Professor	Experimental Mineralogy/Petrology, Material synthesis, Crystal growth, Remote sensing and GIS
Dr. K Channabasappa	Assistant Professor	Sedimentology and Geoinformatics
Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	Assistant Professor	Hydrogeology and Geophysics
Dr. Babu Nallusamy	Assistant Professor	Paleontology and Sedimentology
Dr. Roshni Patel	Assistant Professor	Palaeontology, Palaeoclimatology

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Syed Shams Ahmad Rizvi

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
Mahaboob Pasha (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Th. Dhanakumar Singh, C. Manikyamba, D. Harshita., **M. Lingadevaru**, Subramanyam, K.S. V., and Pahari, A. (2025). Serpentinised Dunites of the Neoarchean Shimoga Greenstone Belt, Western Dharwar Craton, India: Insights on Ni-PGE Mineralization and Genesis. *Geological Journal*, 60 (1), 45-63 (Scopus Indexed, IF 2.02).
2. Channamma Sadashiv Gour, Prakash Kariyajjanavar, **K. Channabasappa**, and M. Lingadevaru, Remote Sensing and GIS Techniques for Identification of Groundwater Potential Zones in Afzalpur Taluk, Karnataka, India. *Indian Journal of Natural Sciences (IJONS)*, Vol. 15, Issue 86, October 2024, pp 79615- 79624, ISSN: 0976 – 0997, Web of Science (UGC CARE Group II).

3. C. Agasnalli, M. S. Deepak, A. G. Ekbote and **T. K. Lakkundi**, Gold Mineralisation and their Lithological Controls at Nagavi Area, Gadag Schist Belt, in Karnataka, India, *Journal of Mines, Metals and Fuels* 2024, 72 (8), 783, DOI: 10.18311/jmmf/2024/44558. (Scopus Indexed).
4. R. D. Natikar, **T. Lakkundi**, K. R. Olekar and M. A. Malapur, Baryte Mineralization and its Characters from a Part of Hungund-Kushtagi Schist Belt, Bagalkote District, Eastern Dharwar Craton, *Indian Journal of Natural Sciences* 2024, 15 (85), 78035. (Web of Science Indexed).
5. Krishnakumar, S., Satheesh Herbert Singh, D., **Nallusamy, B.**, Mohammed Aslam, M.A. (2024) Marine pollution and ecological degradation—issues and challenges *Environmental Science and Pollution Research*, 31(29), pp. 41303–41305. (Scopus Indexed).
6. **R. Patel**, S. Goswami, Occurrence of a spectacular Glossopteris flora from the late Permian Beds of Madhupur Village, Talcher Basin, India and their connotations on palaeoclimate and Biostratigraphy, 2025, *Stratigraphy and Geological Correlation*, 33(1), 51-81. <https://doi.org/10.1134/S086959382470028X> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 1.0)

Conference Proceedings (Scopus)

1. Jayaprakash M C, Rinaldi Ekaputra, and **K Channabasappa**, Groundwater Utilization and its Environmental Sustainability in Coastal Aquifers of Dakshina Kannada District, Karnataka, India. Scopus E3S Web of Conferences 604, 02011 (2025), <https://doi.org/10.1051/e3sconf/202560402011>.
2. *Mahalingam Bose, K. Channabasappa, Trisha De and M. C. Jayaprakash*, Identification of Landslide Vulnerable Zones in West Khasi District of Meghalaya, Scopus E3S Web of Conferences 604, 04005 (2025) <https://doi.org/10.1051/e3sconf/202560404005>.
3. G. Subba Rao, G. Sri Harsha, Syed Hamim Jeelani, **Syed Shams Rizvi**, S. K. Roy and M. S. Manjaly (2024). Groundwater Quality Assessment for Drinking and Irrigational Purposes Using Water Quality Index (WQI) of Dubbak (M), Siddipet District, Telangana, India, *Advances in Environmental Sustainability, Energy and Earth Science*. AESEE 2024. Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-73820-3_19.

Books edited

1. Geo-environmental issues in Anthropocene (2024). Editors: Babu Nallusamy and M. A. Mohammed Aslam. Publishers: Excel Group India. ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
2. Geo-environmental issues in Anthropocene (2024). Editors: Babu Nallusamy and M. A. Mohammed Aslam. Publishers: Excel Group India. ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.

Authored in book chapters:

1. Channabasappa K, Lingadevaru M, Lakkundi, T, Mahalingam B, Land Use/Land Cover Mapping of a Part of Northern Kerala, West Coast of India. In: Babu N and Mohammed Aslam MA (Eds.) *Geo-Environmental Issues in Anthropocene*. Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, June 2024, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
2. Lakkundi T, Hiremath S, Malipatil S, Chandu PJ, Hatwar A, Sharath Raj B, Channabasappa K, Mahalingam B, Groundwater Exploration Using Self-Potential and Resistivity Surveys: A Case Study from Basaltic Terrain. In: Babu N and Mohammed Aslam MA (Eds.) *Geo-Environmental Issues in Anthropocene*. Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, June 2024, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
3. Mahalingam B, Tharayil I, Lakkundi T, Channabasappa K, Geospatial Assessment of Groundwater Recharge Potential in Malappuram District Through Weighted Overlay Analysis. In: Babu N and Mohammed Aslam MA (Eds.) *Geo-Environmental Issues in Anthropocene*. Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, June 2024, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
4. Babu Nallusamy, Rajeev Shesha Joshi, M. Lingadevaru, Hariharan S. and Channabasappa K (2024). Field Observation of Migmatites Rock Of Peninsular Gneissic Complex-I Of Central Tamil Nadu, India, Editor (s): Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. *Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene*, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1

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7. Channabasappa K, Lingadevaru M, **Lakkundi, T**, Mahalingam B, Land Use/Land Cover Mapping of a Part of Northern Kerala, West Coast of India. In: Babu N and Mohammed Aslam MA (Eds.) Geo-Environmental Issues in Anthropocene. Excel India Publishers, New Delhi, June 2024, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
8. **Babu Nallusamy** and Rakhil Dev. (2024) Climate Change as a Bottleneck to Vikasit Bharat @ 2047: Management and Mitigation Measures. Editor (s): S. Lingamurthy, Shivkumar M Belli, Basavaraj M.S. Vikasit Bharat @ 2047 way Towards Self-reliance. ISBN: 978-81-976091-8
9. **Babu Nallusamy** (2024). Mineralogy of Migmatites Rock Of Peninsular Gneissic Complex-I of Central Tamil Nadu, India, Editor (s): Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
10. **Babu Nallusamy**, Rajeev Shesha Joshi, M. Lingadevaru, Hariharan S. and Channabasappa (2024). Field Observation of Migmatites Rock of Peninsular Gneissic Complex-I Of Central Tamil Nadu, India, Editor (s): Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
11. Dilip Kumar, P.G, Priya P.N, Sharathraj, B, Athira Prasad and **Babu Nallusamy (2024)**. Water Quality Characterization of Paipad Grama Panchayath, Kottayam District, Kerala, India Editor (s): Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
12. **Sandeep Inampudi** and **Babu Nallusamy** (2024). An Empirical Analysis of Environmental Policies in India with Special Reference to Environmental Impact Assessment Act 2020, Editor (s) Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
13. **Channabasappa K, Lingadevaru M, Tejaswai Lakkundi** and **Babu Nallusamy** (2024). Land Use/Land Cover Mapping of a part of Northern Kerala, West Coast of India, Editor (s): Babu Nallusamy and M.A. Mohammed Aslam. Geo-environmental Issues in Anthropocene, ISBN: 978-93-91355-95-1.
14. Tina Sultana, Sahana Hedge, Taufique Warsi, Khan Tahama, **Syed Shams Rizvi**, Suryadipta Mukherjee, Sarita Chemburkar and George Biswas (2025). Data analytics and drought vulnerability under climate change scenarios, Editor(s): Deepak Kumar, Tavishi Tiwary, Sulochana Shekhar, Data Analytics and Artificial Intelligence for Earth Resource Management, published by Elsevier, 137-156, ISBN 9780443235955, <https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-443-23595-5.00008-5>.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/chaired the session:

1. **Prof. M. Prashanth** chaired a plenary Session (Plenary Session –II) in the three-day International Conference on “Earth and Environment in Anthropocene (ICEEA-2025) held from 5th to 7th March 2025.
2. **Dr. M. Lingadevaru** delivered an invited talk on “Climate Change – A Geological Perspective” in the National Seminar on “Climate Change and Geo-Environmental Innovations for Sustainable Development (NSC2GISD-2024)” organised by the School of Earth Sciences, Punyasholk Ahilyadevi Holkar Solapur University, Solapur (M.S.) under the MERU grants of Pradhan Mantri Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM-USHA) held from 23rd – 24th December, 2024.
3. **Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi** chaired a Technical Session on Geology (Technical Session I) in the Three Days International Conference on “Earth and Environment in Anthropocene (ICEEA-2025) held from 5th to 7th March 2025.
4. **Dr. Babu Nallusamy** and Rakhil Dev (2024). Climate Change as a Bottleneck to Vikasit Bharat @2047: Management and Mitigation Measure presented as lead speaker at Two-Day National Seminar ‘Vikasit Bharat@2047: Way Towards Self-

Reliance' Organized by The Department of Economic Studies and Planning School of Business Studies Central University of Karnataka In collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research.

5. **Dr. Babu Nallusamy.**, Session Chair at the "IAGR 2024 Annual Convention and 21 International Conference on Gondwana to Asia" Organized by Curtin University Malaysia and International Association for Gondwana Research, held on 18th – 22th November 2024 at The Waterfront Hotel, Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Mahalingam Bose, K. Channabasappa, Trisha De and M. C. Jayaprakash**, Identification of Landslide Vulnerable Zones in West Khasi District of Meghalaya. In the 4th International conference on Disaster Management (ICDM) 2024, 30th September – 01th October 2024, Padang, Indonesia.
2. **Roshni Patel**, "Botanical Relics of the Past: Scale leaves and Fructifications from the Talcher Basin". Three-day International conference on "Earth and Environment in the Anthropocene" (ICEEA-2025), March 5th – 7th, 2025. Department of Geology, Central University of Karnataka. (International).
3. **Syed Shams Ahmad Rizvi**, "Application of Statistical Tools in Groundwater Studies: An Assessment from Basaltic Terrain of Northern Karnataka, India," National Conference on "Ladakh Climate Change Scenario & Environmental Sustainability (LCCSES-2024)," Organized by University of Ladakh in Collaboration with UT Administration, Ladakh, 12th – 13th September, 2024.

Ph.D. awarded:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status Awarded/Sumitted
1	Pooja Pumari Swarnakar	PHDGL1801	Dr. K. Channabasappa	Land Use Land Cover Dynamics and Drought Assessment study using Geospatial Approach: A case study of Kalaburagi district of Karnataka, India	Awarded

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on Environmental Studies and Disaster Management organized by UGC-MMTTC Mizoram University, from 14 th to 27 th February 2025.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	NBCC (India) Limited	Impact Assessment of Water Bodies, Watershed Management and Perennial Plantation Interventions on Sustainable Campus Development	Co-PI: Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	1.21 Crore	3 years	Ongoing
2	CUK Seed Money (CUKK/ACAD-II/F-3787/25)	"Litho-Biostratigraphy of a part of Sattupalli Coalfield, Khammam District, Telengana, India".	Dr. Roshni Patel (PI)	1,50,000/-	2025-26	Ongoing



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Consultancy:

Sl. No.	Faculty Name	Organization	Grant Amount	Duration	Status
1	Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	The Hutti Gold Mines Co. Ltd.	Rs. 2.98 Lakh	9 months	Completed

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. **Prof. M. A. Mohammed Aslam**, Life Member of the Geological Society of India
2. **Dr. M. Lingadevaru**, Member of the Geological Society of India
3. **Dr. K. Channabasappa**, Life Member of the Geological Society of India
4. **Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi**, Member of International Society for Fluoride Research (ISFR), New Zealand
5. **Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi**, Member of International Association of Hydrological Sciences/Association Internationale des Sciences Hydrologiques (IAHS/AISH), UK
6. **Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi**, Life Member of Association of Hydrologists of India (AHI)
7. **Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi**, Life Member of the Geological Society of India
8. **Dr. Babu N**, Life Member of the Geological Society of India
9. **Dr. Roshni Patel**, Life Member of the Palaeobotanical Society, Lucknow, India
10. **Dr. S.S. A. Rizvi**, Life Member of International Association of Hydrological Sciences (IAHS)

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Shreeja Mohapatra	GG25S76416004	GATE	360	R444E59	02-2025
2	Truptimayee Rath	GG25S72004272	GATE	371	R373N19	02-2025
3	Madhuri	GG25S71336049	GATE	354	R175V42	02-2025

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

S. No	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1	Mriganga Jyoti Baruah	23PGEOL014	INSA	Gauhati University	2 Months (13 th May 2024 to 9 th June 2024 and 22 nd July 2024 to 22 nd Aug 2024)
2	Aparna	23GEOL005	INSA	INCOIS, Hyderabad	2 Months (6 th May 2024 to 1 st July 2024)

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	05-07 th	ANRF sponsored Three international	Organized by the Department of Geology, School of

	March, 2025	conference on Earth & Environment in Anthropocene	Earth Sciences, Central University of Karnataka
2	21 st March, 2025	Public Interaction Programme on the theme National Aquifer Mapping (NAQUM) and Groundwater Conservation	Organized jointly by the Department of Geology, Central University of Karnataka, and the Central Ground Water Board, Southwestern Region, Bengaluru

Events at the department:



Organised ANRF sponsored Three-day International Seminar on Earth and Environment in Anthropocene during 5th - 7th March 2025



Organised Public interaction program on the theme National Aquifer Mapping (NAQUM and Groundwater Conservation on 21st March 2025 on the eve of World Water Day jointly Central Groundwater Board Bangalore.

4.5 School of Education and Training

Dean: Prof. G R Angadi

The School of Education and Training aligns with the objectives of NCTE and the Central University of Karnataka, aiming for *Excellence in Teacher Education through Efficiency, Impartiality, and Integrity*. The School is committed to inculcate and sustain higher standards in research and teaching, catering to regional, national and global needs. It aims at empowering students from both rural and urban areas not only to face the challenges emerging from the ever-evolving society, but it also strives to enable the students to develop skills to enhance their knowledge from various domains and equip them with life skills to keep pace with the vast changes noted in the world from time to time. The School focuses on interdisciplinary educational values across social, economic, behavioural, environmental, and technological domains. It is dedicated to quality teaching and research to meet regional, national, and global educational needs.

School of Education and Training

 **Department of Education**

4.5.1 Department of Education

Head: Prof. G R Angadi

The Department of Education offers B.Ed., M.Ed., and Ph.D. programmes, all recognised by the National Council for Teacher Education. The B.Ed. and M.Ed. programmes each have an approved intake of 50 students and are designed to prepare prospective secondary school teachers and teacher educators. The primary objective of the Department is to impart high-quality teacher education. Beyond classroom instruction, the Department emphasises research and extension activities, including seminars, academic discussions, and workshops, as integral components of its academic environment. These programmes provide strong employment potential in teaching, learning, evaluation, and educational research. The Department is committed to achieving excellence in teacher education, focusing on high academic and professional standards aligned with national and global expectations.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) (2 Years)
- ❖ Master of Education (M.Ed.) (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Education

B.Ed. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	27	14	12	03	04	01	61
Female	13	16	5	01	06	01	42

M.Ed students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	01	01	01	-	-	01	04
Female	01	-	-	-	-	-	01

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	6	1	1	-	-	9
Female	4	2	1	-	-	-	7

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. G R Angadi	Professor	Educational Technology & Methodology of Educational Research
Dr. K Thiyaagu	Associate Professor	Mathematics Education, Quantitative Data Analysis, Educational Research, Technology Enabled Learning.
Dr. Naraginti Amareshwaran	Associate Professor	Moral Values, ICT in Education, Research Methods, Teacher Education, Higher Education
Dr. Mayur Pujari	Assistant Professor	Teacher Education, Early Childhood Care Education, Technology Enabled Education, Career Guidance
Dr. Buchi Reddy Poreddy	Assistant Professor	Science Education, Measurement and Evaluation, Educational Technology
Dr. Suresh Anuganti	Assistant Professor	Vocational Education, Social Science Education, Sociology
Dr. M. Sridevi	Assistant Professor	Teacher Education, Educational Psychology, Statistics in Education, ICT in Education
Dr. Nisha Prajapati	Assistant Professor	Quantitative Research, Taxonomy of Education, Policy Development, Science Education
Dr. V. Sai Abhinav	Assistant Professor	Sport Training, Health Education, Physical Education, Fitness and Wellness
Dr. Ashalatha S	Assistant Professor	ICT in Education, Higher Education, Social Science Pedagogy.
Dr. P B Bagewadi	Assistant Professor	Language Education, Sociology of Education, Environmental Education, Women's Studies

Dr. Akhilesh Mishra	Assistant Professor	Science Education, IKS, Collaborative Learning, Concept Mapping, National Education Policy 2020
Dr. Mandala Chandrashekhar Goud	Assistant Professor	Learning and Instruction, IKS, Policy Studies, Comparative Education, Human Development

Visiting professors:

Name	Institute/University
Prof. Sudhakar Venukapalli	Former Professor, EFLU Hyderabad
Prof. Vishwanath V Malagi	Former Professor, KSAWU Vijayapura
Prof. Surekha Ksheerasagar	Former Professor, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi
Prof. Shivakumar S Ganapur	Former CoE, PAHSU, Solapur
Prof. Rajkumar Madanakar	Former Professor, Karnatak University Dharwad

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Bablu Karan
Mr. Santosh S Bashetti
Ms. Jyotsna R Ambewadkar

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Ms. Pushpajali Biradar – Contractual
2. Ms. Laxmi – Outsourced
3. Ms. Shasikala – Outsourced

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Karan, B., Angadi, G.R.** Understanding School Readiness Factors in relation to the Incorporation of Artificial Intelligence using TOE Framework: An Empirical Evidence from India. *Tech Trends*, 2025, 69, pp. 38–59. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11528-024-01020-6> (Springer Nature Indexed in Scopus and WoS Indexed)
2. Gorai, J. Abhishek Kumar, **Angadi, G.R.** Smart PLS-SEM modelling: Developing an Administrators' Perception and Attitude Scale for Apprenticeship Programme. *Malque Publishing Multidisciplinary Science Journal*, 2024, 12(6), pp.1-15. <https://doi.org/10.31893/multiscience.2024260> (Scopus and WoS Indexed)
3. Adrishta Sharma, **Angadi, G.R.** Equitable and Inclusive Education through Continuous Professional Development of Teachers. *Voices of Teachers and Teacher Educators*, 2024, 13(2), pp.14-23. (NCERT Journal, UGC-CARE Listed)
4. Santhosh, T., & **Thiyagu, K.** Fostering Responsible Behaviour Online – Relevance of Cyber Ethics Education. *Malaysian Online Journal of Educational Technology*, 2024, 12(1), pp.32–38.
5. Santhosh, T., & **Thiyagu, K.** Development and Validation of Cyber Security Competency Scale for Prospective Teachers. *Journal of Pedagogical Society and Psychology*, 2024, 6 (3), pp.111–124. <https://doi.org/10.33902/jpsp.202428783>

6. Thomas, M. V., & **Thiyagu, K.** Technological Anxiety in the Post-pandemic era: A Study Among Higher Secondary Students of Kerala. *Indian Journal of Educational Technology* 2024, 6(2), pp.76–79.
7. Sruthi Sugunan, & **Thiyagu, K.** Navigating the Role of Chat GPT in Education from the Perspectives of Ph.D. Scholars. *Indian Journal of Educational Technology*, 2025, 7(1), pp.213–224.
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9. **N.A. Reddy**, and R. Tamang, Development of Preferred Learning Style Inventory (PLSI) for Student Teachers, *International Journal of Cultural Studies and Social Sciences*, 2024, 20 (02), pp.61-68. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF: 7.138)
10. **N.A. Reddy**, T.K. Kumar, and D. Lyngdoh, Mind matters: A look into the Mental Health of North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU) Postgraduates, *International Journal of Cultural Studies and Social Sciences*, 2024, 20(02), pp.69-84. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF: 7.138)
11. **N.A. Reddy**, and S. Gogoi, Speak up, Shine Bright: Innovative Communication Skills Programmes for Assam Youth, *International Journal of Cultural Studies and Social Sciences*, 2024, 20(02), pp.85-96. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF: 7.138)
12. P. Sutradhar, and **N.A. Reddy**, Adaptation of the Digital Capabilities Scale (DCS) for Teacher Educators in West Bengal, *Rabindra Bharati Patrika*, 2024, XXVII (10), 1 pp.61-169. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF:6.4)
13. R. Tamang, and **N.A. Reddy**, Development and Standardization of Student Teachers' Digital Empowerment Scale, *Rabindra Bharati Patrika*, 2024, XXVII (10), pp.170-178. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF:6.4)
14. **N.A. Reddy**, Beyond the law: Digital Competencies For Tomorrow's Lawyers, *Rabindra Bharati Patrika* 2024, XXVII (10), pp.184-189. (UGC-CARE, Print, IF:6.4)
15. P. Sutradhar, and **N.A. Reddy**, Construction and Standardization of Teaching Effectiveness Rating Scale (TERS) for Teacher Educators, *International Journal of Science and Social Science Research (IJSSSR)* 2025, 2(4), pp.376-392. (UGC-CARE, IF:3.46) <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.15108136>
16. **Mayur Pujari**, Nurturing Mathematics Skills Through Community Based Education Programme: An Experimental Study, 2024, 30, pp.4945- 4949. (Scopus Indexed Journal) <https://doi.org/10.53555/kuey.v30i6.8925>
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18. Susan Abraham, Aaziya.A, I. Shanmugapriya, Joeina Marry Mathew, G. Prabu, **Buchireddy Poreddy**. A Study on Impact of 360 Degree Performance Appraisal and its effect on Job Performance; A Conceptual Framework. 2024, 4 (2), pp.3072-3078. <http://ijer.org/>
19. Raghu, A., **Poreddy Buchireddy**, Jyothi Mudhiganti, D. Satyanarayana, K. Srivani. Assessing Research Knowledge among Postgraduate Students Across Disciplines. *Library Progress International*, 2024, 44 (03), pp.18236-18242. ISSN: 0970-1052 e-ISSN:2320-317X.
20. Radhika Rani S, Manish Kumar Verma, **Poreddy Buchireddy**. Effect of Learned Optimism on Resilience Adolescents. *Madhya Bharti- Humanities and Social Sciences* 2024, vol.85, ISSN:0974-0066.
21. **Mishra, A.**, Pandey, S.K., Integration of Artificial Intelligence by Teachers in Schools, *Annals of the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute*, 2024, 1 (7), pp.86-92.
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2. Prashant Kumar Pandey, **Angadi, G. R.** Generative AI in School Education: Challenges and Opportunities, *Journal of Emerging Technologies and Innovative Research (JETIR)*, 2024, 5(11), pp. 240-253. JETIR2405931.pdf
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4. **Sai Abhinav, V.**, Pasodi, M. S. Shrisha Gourish Nayak, Impact of Kho-Kho Playing on Physiological Changes and Development of some Specific Skill-Related Physical Fitness Factors, *Asian Journal of Physical Education and Computer Science in Sports*, 2024, 30, 0975-7732. (IF: 5.011).
5. Shrisha Gourish Nayak, **Sai Abhinav, V.** Pasodi, M. S. Investigation on the Aggressiveness of Football and Handball Players at the Inter-University Level, *Asian Journal of Physical Education and Computer Science in Sports*, 2024, 30, 0975-7732. (IF: 5.011).
6. **Bagewadi, P.B.** Transforming Learning in the Digital Age: Opportunities, Obstacles, and Solutions, *Scholarly Research Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies*, 2024, 13 (72).

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N.A. Reddy, Educational excellence: A Zillion Possibilities, *EduSack: A Gateway to Infinite Learning-Global Educational Trends at Higher Secondary Level*, 2024, 34-43 (e-Magazine, First Edition)
<https://sskhannagirlsdc.ac.in/web.php?pageurl=magzin>

Books edited

Suresh A and Mrunalini T (Eds), Unveiling Wisdom: Rediscovering the Intellectual Legacy of Indian Knowledge Systems. Vaagdevi Publishers, Hyderabad, 25th October 2024. ISBN-13 978-81-980508-2-3

Authored in book chapters:

1. **Suresh A, and Mandala C**, An Explorative Study on Fostering Joyful Learning and Collaborative engagement through Drama-based Pedagogy. In T Mrunalini et al (Eds), Unveiling Wisdom: Rediscovering the Intellectual Legacy of Indian Knowledge Systems. Vaagdevi Publishers, Hyderabad, 25th October 2024. ISBN-13 978-81-980508-2-3.
2. Kota Saikrishna, **Mandala, C.** Indian Knowledge Systems – Concepts of management studies in Bhagavat Gita. In S. Lingamurthy, Shivakumar, M. B., & Basavaraj, M. S. (Eds.) Vikasit Bharat @ 2047; Way towards self-reliance. Samvit Prakashan & Media Pvt. Ltd, Hyderabad, September 2024. ISBN-978-81-976091-3-8.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on April 9th 2024
2. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on ‘Skill Development’ in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar on April 29th 2024
3. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on ‘Skill Based Education in India’ in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar on May 6th 2024
4. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on ‘Transforming Indian Education: Skilling, Reskilling, Upskilling for Industry Ready in India’ in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar on May 6th 2024
5. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum Designing, Outcome Based Learning and CBCS” in the Online 7th NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Haryana, Mahendergarh on May 9th 2024
6. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on May 15th 2024

7. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on May 23rd 2024
8. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on June 13th 2024
9. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, University of Mysore, Mysore on June 21st 2024
10. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on June 25th 2024
11. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum Development, Assessment and Evaluation (Skills)” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Indian Institute of Teacher Education (IITE), Gandhinagar, Gujarat on July 28th 2024
12. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered a Keynote Address on “Innovative Research in Humanities” at International Conference on the theme "Innovative Research in Humanities, Commerce, Science & Technology" at Anjuman College, Vijayapura, Karnataka, on August 3rd, 2024
13. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Faculty Development Centre, St. Joseph’s College (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu on two days i.e. August 21st & 22nd, 2024
14. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme (Batch-VII), at UGC-MMTTC, The Gandhigram Rural Institute-DTBU, Gandhigram, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu on August 27th 2024
15. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “ICT Enabled Teaching Learning in the 21st Century” in the Online Faculty Induction Programme (FIP), at UGC, Malaviya Mission-Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP), NIEPA, New Delhi on 31 August 2024
16. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online Refresher Course in Education, at UGC-MMTTC, North East Hill University, Shillong on Sept. 5th 2024
17. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on Sept. 12th 2024
18. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online 20th NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli on Sept. 21st 2024
19. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Holistic & Multidisciplinary Education” in the Online 22nd NEP Orientation & Sensitisation programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Mizoram University on October 18th 2024
20. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum, Development, Pedagogy & Assessment” in the Online 12th NEP Orientation & Sensitisation programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Haryana, Mahendergarh on October 22nd 2024
21. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Holistic & Multidisciplinary Education” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitisation programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Mizoram University on October 31st 2024
22. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod on Nov. 12th 2024
23. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on ‘Need and Importance of Skilling Development & Skill based Education in India’ in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme-6, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar on Nov. 23rd 2024
24. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on ‘Need and Importance of Skilling Development & Skill based Education in India (Session-1), Introducing Skill Development in Higher Education: Tuning with Reality & Futuristic Skills (Session-2)’ in the Online NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme-10, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar on Nov. 29th 2024
25. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Indian Knowledge System” in the Online UGC Sponsored I-Week Short Term Course on “Indian Knowledge System”, at UGC-MMTTC, University of Mysore, on Nov. 27th 2024

26. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “18 *Vidyas* (Techniques) of Ancient India” in the Online UGC Sponsored 1-Week Short Term Course on “Indian Knowledge System”, at UGC-MMTTC, University of Mysore, on Nov. 30th 2024
27. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum designing, Outcome based learning and Choice Based Credit System” in the Online Faculty Induction Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Haryana, Mahendergarh on January 11th 2025
28. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum Development Pedagogy and Assessment” in the Online 12th Faculty Induction Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Mizoram University on January 25th 2025
29. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum Development Pedagogy and Assessment” in the Online 12th Faculty Induction Programme, at UGC-MMTTC, Mizoram University on January 25th 2025
30. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Outcome Base Education” in the Online Refresher Course on ‘Education including Teacher Education’, at UGC-MMTTC, University of Calcutta, West Bengal, on January 31st 2025
31. **Angadi, G. R.**, Chaired the session in the National Conference on “Trends and Insights in Educational Technology Post-NEP 2020”, held at Department of Education and Education Technology, University of Hyderabad, on February 10th & 11th 2025.
32. **Angadi, G. R.** delivered an invited talk on “Curriculum Development Pedagogy and Assessment” in the Online Guru-Dakshata (1st Faculty Induction Programme), at UGC-MMTTC, IITE, Gandhinagar, Gujarat on February 15th 2025
33. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Integrating AI in Education” in the Online Faculty Induction Programme (Guru Dakshata) organized by the UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, on Nov. 20th, 2024.
34. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered sessions on “Nature and Types of Research,” “Type of Data,” and “Types of Variables” in the Faculty Development Programme on Research Methodology organized by Nirmala Institute of Education in association with the Directorate of Higher Education, Porvorim, Goa, on Nov. 25–26th, 2024
35. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a talk on “Data and Variables in Social Science Research” in the ICSSR Sponsored Research Methodology Course organized by the Centre of Defence & Security Studies, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, on Nov. 28th, 2024.
36. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Information and Communication Technology” in the NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme organized by the UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, on Dec. 2nd, 2024.
37. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a talk on “Modern Techniques of ICT in Education” in the NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme organized by the Inter University Centre for Teacher Education, BHU, Varanasi, on Dec. 11th, 2024.
38. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Information and Communication Technology” in the NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme organized by the UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, on Jan. 22nd, 2025.
39. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Integrating AI in Education” in the Refresher Course (Multidisciplinary) in Teaching, Technology and Research organized by UGC-MMTTC, Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, from Feb. 3th –15th, 2025.
40. **Thiyagu, K.** presented a talk in a webinar on “A Critical Discourse on the Efficacy of Integrated Teacher Education Programme” organized by the IQAC of Loyola College of Education and St. Christopher's College of Education, Tamil Nadu, on Feb. 24th, 2025.
41. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Blended Learning Models: Challenges, Opportunities and Best Practices” in the National Seminar organized by the School of Pedagogical Sciences, Kannur University, Dharmasala Campus, on Mar. 13th, 2025.
42. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “Creating Effective Videos for Technology Enabled Teaching Learning” in the Technology Enabled Teaching Competence Development Programme organized by the School of Education, Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha, on Mar. 24th, 2025.
43. **Thiyagu, K.** delivered a session on “AI-based Research Tools” in the NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme organized by UGC-MMTTC, Central University of South Bihar, on Mar. 26th, 2025.

44. **N.A. Reddy** delivered 2 talks on “(i) Role of faculty in Blending MOOCs in Regular Curriculum, and (ii) Assessment, Certification and Recognition under MOOCs Courses” in the FIP-10 at UGC-MMTTC, Gauhati University, Guwahati, Assam, November 18th to December 20th, 2024.
45. **N.A. Reddy** delivered four talks on “Transforming teaching education: Leveraging Educational Technology for Effective Teaching and Learning” in the Two-Day National Workshop at KRD College of Education, Chhaygoan, Assam, December 14th -15th, 2024.
46. **N.A. Reddy** chaired a technical session at Two-Day National Seminar on “Skill development initiatives and empowerment of youth: Challenges and opportunities”, March 6th -7th, 2025. NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam.
47. **N.A. Reddy** delivered a talk on “Unlocking the potential of artificial intelligence (AI) for educational excellence of higher education” in the UGC-MMTTC sponsored Inter-disciplinary RC in social sciences at UGC-MMTTC, Manipur University, Imphal, Manipur, from January 30th to February 12th, 2025.
48. **N.A. Reddy** delivered two talks on “ICT based Assessment Tools/Technology” in the FIP-16 at UGC-MMTTC, SPPU, Pune, January 1st to February 2nd, 2025.
49. **N.A. Reddy** delivered three talks on “(i) Professional Development of teachers – Education 5.0, (ii) Innovative approaches of Professional Development of Teachers in the Digital Era, and (iii) Unlocking the Potential of AI for Educational Excellence” in the RC on Contemporary knowledge & Issues in Social Sciences at the UGC-MMTTC, Gauhati University, Guwahati, Assam, January 28th to February 13th, 2025.
50. **N.A. Reddy** delivered two talks on “(i) Unlocking the potential of AI for Educational Excellence, and (ii) Blog-based Learning, Teaching, and Research for Holistic Development” in the FDP at UGC-MMTTC, SPPU, Pune, February 3rd -8th, 2025.
51. **N.A. Reddy** delivered a talk on “Unlocking the Potential of AI for Educational Excellence” in the FIP-7 at UGC-MMTTC, Gauhati University, Guwahati, Assam, February 5th to March 7th, 2025.
52. **N.A. Reddy** delivered two talks on “Regional training on Advanced Research Methodology for Rural Development Professionals” at NIRPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam, February 20th -22nd, 2025
53. **N.A. Reddy** delivered a talk on “Leadership and Team building” in the NIRDPR-NERC regional training programme on convergence and partnership to address the developmental challenges in implementation of aspirational districts and blocks programme, NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam, March 3rd -5th, 2025.
54. **N.A. Reddy** delivered a talk on “Mastering training excellence for rural development” in the NIRDPR-NERC Regional off-campus training on advanced training methodology for trainers of rural development and panchayati raj departments at SIRD, Shillong, Meghalaya, March 24th -26th, 2025.
55. **Suresh Anuganti** delivered a special lecture on “National Professional Standards for Teachers” in Gandhian College of Education, Hyderabad, Apr. 11th, 2025
56. **Nisha Prajapati** delivered an lecture on “Empowering Educators for Building Better Lessons using Bloom’s Taxonomy” on in Sainik School Teachers’ 3rd Refresher Training – Pratibaddhata organized by Centre of Training, Indian Institute of Teacher Education, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, November 20th, 2024
57. **Ashalatha S** chaired the technical session on “Holistic approaches to Youth well-being towards Vision-Viksit Bharat @ 2047, at National Conference on Mental Health and Well-being among Youth: A catalyst for Vision –Viksit Bharat @2047 (MHVY-VVB@2047), organised by Department of Commerce and Management Studies, Vignan’s Foundation for Science, Technology and Research (VFSTR), Hyderabad Campus, Telangana, February 15th 2025.
58. **Akhilesh Mishra** delivered an invited talk on “Competency based approach and assessment” in the orientation programme at Rastrotthan Vidya Kendra, Kalaburagi on Oct. 15th, 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. Angadi, G.R., has presented paper on “Integrated Teacher Education Program (ITEP): Possibilities and Issues in Teacher Education Institutions”, in the 57th Annual National Conference-2025 of Indian Association the Teacher Educators (IATE) on “Reshaping Teacher Education Program: Making the Future Teacher” February 20-22, 2025. The Department of Education, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh (National)
2. Angadi, G.R., has participated as resource person at “Regional Consultative Workshop on the Implementation of NEP 2020 for transforming Teacher education in the Southern Region”, organised on February 27th -28th, 2025 by

the Department of School and Non-Formal Education, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA), New Delhi, in Collaboration with School of Education, Pondicherry University, at Pondicherry University, Pondicherry. (Regional)

3. Angadi, G.R., has participated as resource person on the theme “Basics About Statistics”, in the 3 Days National Level Online Workshop on “Applying SPSS for Educational Psychometric Data Analysis” November 15th -18th, 2024. National Psychological Corporation, Publication House of Indian Psychological Tests Largest Publication House & Harprasad Institute of Behavioural Studies, Agra, Uttar Pradesh (National)
4. Angadi, G.R., has delivered a Keynote address on “Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)” in one-day state level workshop on “Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)” May 13th 2024, The Kotturawamy CTE, Ballari (KA). (State)
5. Angadi, G.R., has delivered a Keynote address on “Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)” in one-day state level workshop on “Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)” April 27th 2024, The Khasgateshwar College of Education and Sri Khasgatesh Arts, Commerce and Science College Talikoti, Karnataka. (State)
6. Angadi, G.R., has participated as resource person for the technical session at the 2nd International Conference on “New Trends & Modern Approaches in Education” & delivered the lecture on “Innovative Pedagogical Strategies and Digital Transformation in Education” October 19th 2024 at Kumadvathi College of Education, Shikaripura, Karnataka. (International)
7. N.A. Reddy and S. Gogoi, have presented paper on “Speak Up, Shine Bright: Innovative Communication Skills Programmes for Assam’s Youthful”. Two-Day National Seminar on “Skill Development Initiatives and Empowerment of Youth: Challenges and Opportunities”, March 6th -7th, 2025. NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam. (National).
8. N.A. Reddy and S. Bhattacharjee, have presented paper on “Beyond the Law: Digital Competencies for Tomorrow’s Lawyers”. Two-Day National Seminar on “Skill Development Initiatives and Empowerment of Youth: Challenges and Opportunities”, March 6th -7th, 2025. NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam. (National).
9. N.A. Reddy, T.V. Kumar, and D. Lyngdoh, have presented paper on “Mind Matters: A Look into the Mental Health of North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU) Postgraduates”. Two-Day National Seminar on “Empowering People with Mental Health: Breaking Barriers & Building Bridges”, March 17th -18th, 2025. NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati, Assam. (National).
10. Mayur Pujari presented a paper titled “An Examination of Entrepreneurial Competency Awareness and National Education Policy 2020 Implications Among Pre-Service Teachers in Kalyan Karnataka” 14th Sept 2024, One-Day National Seminar on an Ecosystem of Indian Entrepreneurship: A Probe which was conducted by Sharanabasaveshwar College of Commerce, Kalaburgi and Sharana Basava University, Kalaburgi.
11. Mayur Pujari has presented a paper titled “A study on vandhan Yojana Scheme Towards Livelihood Sustainability of Tribal People – A case of Southern India”, 11th and 12th Feb 2025, Two-day National Conference on Vikasit Bharat Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities which was organized by CUK in association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi.
12. Buchireddy Poreddy has presented a paper “Advanced analysis of Social and Psychological factors in Higher Education Institutions using DNN and LSTM in the 2nd IEEE International Conference on Data Science and Network Security(ICDSNS-2024) Kalpatru institute of technology, Tiptur.
13. Karan, B., Poreddy, B., Angadi, G. R. (2024) have presented a paper “E-Content Development Policy Initiatives for Children with Disabilities in India: An Exploratory Content Analysis”. 30th to 31st Jan 2025 in Two-days national conference on “Trends and Insights in Educational Technology Post-NEP 2020” by Department of Education and Education Technology, School of Social Sciences, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad. (National).
14. Sridevi M. has presented a paper “From Vedas to Modernity: The Evolution of Indian Knowledge Systems”. One Day National Seminar on “Integration of Indian Knowledge System in Teacher Education”, March 12th, 2025. Department of Teacher Education, Central University of Haryana, Mahendergarh. (National).
15. Nisha Prajapati has presented a paper “Educating for a Sustainable Future: Insights from Discipline Based Educational Research (DBER)”, International Conference on Sustainable Science and Technology for Tomorrow (SciTech – 24), September 16th -20th, 2024, School of Sciences, Woxsen University, Hyderabad. (International)

16. Sai Abhinav, V. has presented a paper “Digital device usage, mental health perceptions and awareness of digital well-being: A quantitative study”. Two days National Conference on “Trends and Insights in Educational Technology post NEP 2020”, 10th -11th, February 2025, organised by Department of Education technology, University of Hyderabad, Telangana.
17. Ashalatha S has presented a paper “Open Educational Resources Courseware for enhancing Academic Performance among Prospective teachers of Kerala”. Two days National Conference on “Trends and Insights in Educational Technology post NEP 2020”, 10th -11th, February 2025, organised by Department of Education technology, University of Hyderabad, Telangana.
18. Ashalatha S has presented a paper “The future of India’s past: Technology driven preservation and conservation of the Indian Knowledge System”, National Conference on “Revival & Interpretation of Epistemological Roots of Indian Knowledge Systems in the light of Modern Intellectual Landscape”, 28th, 29th, & 30th October 2024, organised by Department of Education, University College of Education PGRCDE, OU: EMRC, OU, Hyderabad.
19. Mandala, C. has presented a paper “Relationship between academic achievement and usage of open educational resources”. Two days national conference on “Trends and Insights in Educational Technology Post-NEP 2020”, February 10th -11th, 2025. MMTTC and University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad.
20. Mandala, C. has presented a paper “Fostering joyful learning through drama-based pedagogy- A study in B.Ed. program”. Three days national conference on “Revival & interpretation of epistemological roots of Indian Knowledge Systems in the light of modern intellectual landscape”. October 28th -30th, 2024. ICSSR and Osmania University, Hyderabad.

Faculty Development Programmes participated by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Mayur Pujari	Four-week Faculty Induction Programme from 15 th Nov to 13 th Dec 2024.
2	Dr. Buchireddy Poreddy	UGC-Sponsored second faculty induction programme conducted by The Gandhigram Rural Institute, Dindigul, Tamil Nadu (UGC-MMTTC) from 3 rd to 26 th February 2025.
3	Dr. M. Sridevi	Four-week Faculty Induction /Guru Dakshta Programme (Online) on Multidisciplinary Studies and Teaching Methodologies for the 21 st Century under UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Assam University, Silchar, from 27 th August to 30 th September, 2024.
4	Dr. Akhilesh Mishra	Four-week Faculty Induction Programme (FIP) organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi, from 5 th August – 3 rd September 2024.

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl.No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Dr. K Thiyaagu	Award entitled ‘Tech Savy Excellence Award’ for acknowledgement of his exceptional academic achievement, commitment to scholarly excellence and significant contribution to the advancement of education as part of the award ceremony in the International Conference on Global Summit on Empowering Higher Education: Integrating 21 st Century Skills Across Disciplines organized by MS University & Faculty of humanities and Social Science, University of Sri Jayewardenepur, Nugegoda, Srilanka (Venue: Srilanka). 2024
2	Dr. Nisha Prajapati	Award of Best Technical Session for the paper presentation titled “Educating for a

		Sustainable Future: Insights from Discipline Based Educational Research (DBER)", International Conference on Sustainable Science and Technology for Tomorrow (SciTech – 24), September 16 th -20 th , 2024, School of Sciences, Woxsen University, Hyderabad. (International) .
3	Dr. P B Bagewadi	Basavasri award By local organisation of Devara Hipparagi, Vijayapura, Karnataka on exceptional achievement in the field of Education

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. **Angadi, G. R.**, serving as NAAC, PTV-Member, Member-coordinator and Chairperson during the academic year 2024-25.
2. **Angadi, G. R.**, serving as member of SRC-NCTE, Ministry of Education, Government of India during the academic year 2024-25.
3. **Angadi, G. R.**, Life Member of All India Association of Educational Research (AIAER), (Membership No. 3372).
4. **Angadi, G. R.**, Life Member of Indian Association of Teacher Educator (IATE), Membership No. G-72).
5. **Angadi, G. R.**, Life Member of GERA Global Educational Research Association (GERA), Membership No.191000155).
6. **Angadi, G. R.** Life Member of Youth Hostel Association of India, (YHAI) (Membership Id: 027-KAR01-L13265).
7. **Thiyagu, K** serving as Life member with ID number ISEASLN090/14 of the Indian Society for Education and Allied Sciences (Registered under the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act, 1975; Regn. No. 90/2014) Department of Education, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal
8. **Thiyagu, K** serving as Life member of the Council for Teacher Education (Registered body of Teacher Educators, Established 1985) Tamil Nadu State Centre, Karaikudi.
9. **Thiyagu, K** serving as Life member and Academic Advisory Board of Society of Innovative Researchers And Academicians (SIRA), Kottayam, Kerala, India [Reg. No: KTM/TC/234/2018 (*Registered under the Travancore-Cochin, Literary, Scientific & Charitable Societies Act, 1955*)
10. **N.A. Reddy** served as Life Member of TTD Saptagiri, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India.
11. **N.A. Reddy** Life Member of North East India Education Society (NEISE), Shillong, Meghalaya, India.
12. **N.A. Reddy** Life Member of All India Association for Educational Research (AISER), Bhubaneswar, Odissa.
13. **N.A. Reddy** Life Member of Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF), Meghalaya Chapter, Shillong.
14. **N.A. Reddy** Life Member of Commonwealth Council for Educational Administration and Management (CCEAM) Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
15. **N.A. Reddy** Life Member of Council for Educational Administration and Management (CEAM), Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India.
16. **N.A. Reddy** Editorial Board Member of Scopus Indexed journal. Name: The Journal of Educational Technology Development and Exchange (JETDE)
17. **Dr. Mandal C. G.** served as a member of American Psychological Association.
18. **Dr. Nisha Prajapati** is a Life member of Council for Teacher Education Gujarat.
19. **Dr. P.B. Bagewadi** is a Life member of All India Association for Educational Research (AIAER)
20. **Dr. P.B Reddy** is a member in Indian Association of Teacher Educator (IATE) and ATTE
21. **Ms. Jyotsna Ambewadkar** is a member of Karnataka Yogasana Sports Association.



Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.N o.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1.	S. Sachin Kumar	240510081363	UGC NET	-	2705000565	10/2024
2.	Nidha A	23UEDUC024	CTET	111	161103824	01/ 2025
3.	Rithika K P	23UEDUC035	CTET	104	198100435	01/ 2025
4.	Subham Srivastava	23UEDUC045	CTET	104	112200426	01/ 2025
5.	Afina Shamsudeen	23UEDUC002	CTET	103	160101241	01/ 2025
6.	Nidha Farheen C P	23UEDUC025	CTET	103	161103847	01/ 2025
7.	Thejus M K	23UEDUC048	CTET	102	161102236	01/ 2025
8.	Abhisek Swain	23UEDUC001	CTET	101	181108876	01/ 2025
9.	Nisha Bharti	23UEDUC027	CTET	99	222101224	01/ 2025
10.	Satabdi Acharya	23UEDUC040	CTET	96	181109803	01/ 2025
11.	Ambili K	23UEDUC003	CTET	95	161101261	01/ 2025
12.	Gayathri C	23UEDUC013	CTET	95	24131467333	01/ 2025
13.	Santlal Kumar	24UEDUC038	CTET	95	198100047	01/ 2025
14.	Sruthi K	23UEDUC044	CTET	91	161102883	01/ 2025
15.	Banya Rani Nayak	23UEDUC007	CTET	90	181110237	01/ 2025
16.	Megha Ks	23UEDUC019	CTET	89	161102628	01/ 2025
17.	Ayisha Shimna K K	23UEDUC006	CTET	88	161103519	01/ 2025
18.	Atal Madhab Bhanja	23UEDUC005	CTET	87	181103714	01/ 2025
19.	Rana Fathima	23UEDUC032	CTET	85	161101479	01/ 2025
20.	Faheem K C	23UEDUC010	CTET	83	161103185	01/ 2025

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl.N o.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1	Abhisek Swain	23UEDUC001	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
2	Afina Shamsudeen	23UEDUC002	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Aug.-Dec. 2024
3	Ambili K	23UEDUC003	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
4	Atal Madhababhanja	23UEDUC005	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
5	Ayisha Shimna Kk	23UEDUC006	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
6	Bannya	23UEDUC007	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024



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7	Bijay Madkami	23UEDUC008	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
8	Chandan Shukla	23UEDUC009	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Kalaburagi-II	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Kalaburagi-II	Aug.-Dec. 2024
9	Faheem. Kc	23UEDUC010	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
10	Farhana	23UEDUC011	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024
11	Gailing	23UEDUC012	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
12	Gayathri C	23UEDUC013	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
13	Guruprasanna Kar	23UEDUC014	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
14	Harapriya Mishra	23UEDUC015	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Aug.-Dec. 2024
15	Latheeda Nasrin	23UEDUC016	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Aug.-Dec. 2024
16	Linkan Patel	23UEDUC017	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
17	Manashi Mahi	23UEDUC018	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
18	Megha Ks	23UEDUC019	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024
19	Megha Treasa Joseph	23UEDUC020	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024
20	Muhammed Najad B	23UEDUC021	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
21	Nabin Dahal	23UEDUC022	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
22	Namita Jena	23UEDUC023	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
23	Nidha A	23UEDUC024	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
24	Nidha Farheen C P	23UEDUC025	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Koppal	Aug.-Dec. 2024
25	Niranjan Naik	23UEDUC026	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
26	Nisha Bharti	23UEDUC027	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
27	Nitya Shreekuaner	23UEDUC028	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024
28	Pranita Rani Pattanaik	23UEDUC029	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024



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29	Pratap Kumar Pradhan	23UEDUC030	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-II, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
30	Rajat Kumar Sethi	23UEDUC031	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Raichur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
31	Rana Fathima	23UEDUC032	Adarsh Vidyalaya, Aland, Kalaburagi	Adarsh Vidyalaya, Aland, Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
32	Rashmita Jena	23UEDUC033	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
33	Rithika Kp	23UEDUC035	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Aug.-Dec. 2024
34	Rudra Pratap Dash	23UEDUC036	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
35	Sansumai Narzari	23UEDUC039	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
36	Satabdi Acharya	23UEDUC040	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Belgavi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
37	Som Panigrahi	23UEDUC041	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Aug.-Dec. 2024
38	Sreeshma Mk	23UEDUC042	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-2 Kalaburagi	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya-2 Kalaburagi	Aug.-Dec. 2024
39	Sritam Dash	23UEDUC043	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Aug.-Dec. 2024
40	Sruthi K	23UEDUC044	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Aug.-Dec. 2024
41	Subham Srivastava	23UEDUC045	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bagalkot	Aug.-Dec. 2024
42	Sushmita	23UEDUC046	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024
43	Swarnaprabha Dakua	23UEDUC047	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Yadgir	Aug.-Dec. 2024
44	Thejus M K	23UEDUC048	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
45	Vikas Hadimani	23UEDUC050	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Gadag	Aug.-Dec. 2024
46	Yadgirkar Chaitra	23UEDUC051	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Bijapur	Aug.-Dec. 2024

Awards and recognition (Co-curricular)

Sl.No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Mime (Group Event)	First position, ANKUR 2025
2	Skit (Group Event)	Third position, ANKUR 2025
3	One Act Play (Group Event)	First position, ANKUR 2025

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Manu Gopan	22UGBED30	UG to PG	Tata Institute of Social Science	Aug, 2024
2	Arpita Priyadarshini	22UGBED10	UG to PG	Central University of Haryana	Aug, 2024

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Mr. Devadhas T	22UGBED22	Social Science Teacher	Poorna Gynana English Medium School, Kalaburagi	07/2024
2	Mr. Prasanna Panda	22UGBED33	English Teacher	Poorna Gynana English Medium School, Kalaburagi	07/2024
3.	Mr.Ritik Pradhan	22UGBED40	Maths Teacher	Poorna Gynana English Medium School, Kalaburagi	07/2024
4	Ms. Priyanka	22UGBED37	English Teacher	St.Peter's Edu School, Vidhya Nagar, Hanamkonda	06/2024
5	Ms. Aishwarya G S	22UGBED01	Physics Teacher	St.Peter's Edu School, Vidhya Nagar, Hanamkonda	06/2024
6	Ms. Archana T	22UGBED08	Physics Teacher	St.Peter's Edu School, Vidhya Nagar, Hanamkonda	06/2024
7	Ms. Bhagyashree	22UGBED17	Science Teacher	Azim Premji School , Kalaburagi	07/2024
8	Ms. Mitali kumari Nayak	22UGBED31	Teacher	Azim Premji School , Kalaburagi	09/2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	20 th – 29 th January, 2025	Ten Days Workshop on Research Methodology for Social Science: Emerging Trends in Research	ICSSR Sponsored Research Methodology Course (RMC) with the sanctioned budget of ₹5, 50,000/- to the Course Director Prof. G. R. Angadi and Co-Course Director Dr. Nisha Prajapati vide sanction order no. F. No. 5-5/RMC/GEN/2024-25/TCB dated 09.07.2024
2.	20 th February, 2025	Special Invited Lecture on Navigating Professional Challenges with Legal Expertise	One day special Invited Lecture by Sri Chandrashekar Joshi, Judge, High Court of Karnataka, for University teaching, non-teaching staff and students of professional courses.

BoS details:

The 6th Meeting of the Board of Studies, Department of Education, School of Education and Training was held in Blended Mode on 6th June, 2024, in the Hon'ble VC, Conference Room, Admin Building, Central University of Karnataka.

Events at the department:



ICSSR Research Methodology Workshop Jan. 2025



Makar Sankranti Celebrations Jan. 2025



International Women's Day celebration, March 2025



Community Living Camp, Feb. 2025

4.6 School of Engineering

Dean: Prof. Paramesha

The School of Engineering was established in the year 2013-14. The School's motto is to create the next generation engineers capable of serving society by providing high-quality engineering solutions to address the problems of the 21st century. The academic program of the School of Engineering is focused on knowledge assimilation, dissemination, and generation. The School aims to create an ambience for learning and innovation for the students and the faculty. The theme would create exceptional human resources for industries and public organisations, helping to build a "Knowledge Society."

School of Engineering

- ✚ Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering
- ✚ Department of Electrical Engineering

4.6.1 Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering

Head: Prof. Paramesha

The department will enable excellence in India's Electronics, Communication and Information Technology (IT). We aim to advance the frontiers of research in Computer Science and IT and offer the students world-class pedagogical and research experience. The Department has the strength of 153 students and Seven permanent faculty members. The Department is recognized and approved by AICTE.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Tech. in Electronics and Communication Engineering (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Tech. in RF and Microwave Engineering (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Electronics and Communication Engineering.

B.Tech. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	34	38	14	04	09	--	99
Female	15	17	08	02	12	--	54

M.Tech. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
Female	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	--	--	--	--	01	01
Female	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Paramesha	Professor	Microwave and Millimeter wave antennas and circuits
Prof. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar	Professor	Microwave Antennas
Prof. Pramod Kumar	Professor	Query-driven WSNs, IoT-based WSNs, and Antenna Engineering
Dr. Layak Ali	Associate Professor	Embedded System, Swarm Intelligence
Dr. Mallikarjun Anandhalli	Assistant Professor	Image Processing, Multimedia
Dr. Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar	Assistant Professor	Medical Image Processing, Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning
Dr. Nrusingha Charan Pradhan	Assistant Professor	SIW-based Circuits and Antennas, Fluidically Reconfigurable RF Devices

Common permanent faculty

Name and Department	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Sangamesh, Mechanical Engineering	Assistant Professor	MEMS and Materials
Dr. Paramesh S P, Computer Science & Engineering	Assistant Professor	Deep Learning
Mr. Niteen B, Civil Engineering	Assistant Professor	Environmental Science

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Himanshu R Das
Mrs. Shridevi

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Rohini, Senior Technical Assistant (Regular)
2. Vijay Kumar (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

- Aswini Kumar G and **Paramesha.**, Modeling and Parasitic Extraction of the MM9 Transistor for GHz/THz CMOS RF Circuit Design, *Journal of Electronic Testing*, 21 December 2024, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10836-024-06154-2>.
- Aswini Kumar G and **Paramesha**, Improvement of Philips MOS model 9 Radio Frequency Performance with Circuit Level Parasitic Compensation, *International Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering (IJECE)*, Vol. 14, No. 5, October 2024, pp. 4977-4986, ISSN: 2088-8708, DOI:10.11591/ijece.v14i5.
- Veena Benakatti, Ramesh P Nayakar, **Mallikarjun Anandhalli**, and Rohit Sukhasare, Advanced deep Learning Techniques for the Recognition of Dental Implants, *Journal of Oral Biology and Craniofacial Research*, Volume 15, Issue 2, 2025, Pages 215-220, ISSN: 2212-4276.
- Mallikarjun Anandhalli**, Anandraddi Naduvinamani, and Jayshri Rudagi, Current Developments in Crop Disease Identification Using Computer Vision: A Critical Review of Related Works and Techniques, *International Journal of Electronics and Communication Engineering*, vol. 11, no. 9, pp. 174–191, 2024, *SSRG International Journal of Electronics and Communication Engineering*. <https://doi.org/10.14445/23488549/IJECE-V11I9P116>.
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- N. C. Pradhan** and S. Koziel, Fully-3d-printed microwave sensor for permittivity measurement, *IEEE Sensors*, pp. 1–1, 2025. Doi: 10.1109/JSEN.2025.3567295.
- M. Sainath and **N. C. Pradhan**, Design and Manufacturing of an All-Metal Triple-Bandpass Frequency Selective Surface Filter using Laser Cutting Technology., *IEEE Transactions on Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology*, pp. 1–1, 2025. doi: 10.1109/TCPMT.2025.3539303.
- C. Munusami, R. Venkatesan, **N. C. Pradhan**, and S. Koziel, Compact Self-Diplexing MIMO Antenna with Improved Isolation for IoT Connectivity, *IEEE Antennas and Wireless Propagation Letters*, vol. 24, no. 6, pp. 1492–1496, 2025. doi: 10.1109/LAWP.2025.3541099.
- G. R. Mettu, K. S. Subramanian, and **N. C. Pradhan**, 3D-printed fluidically tunable frequency selective surface with microcontroller-driven pumping, *ACS Applied Electronic Materials*, 2025.
- JhunJhunwala, Vikas Kumar, **Pramod Kumar**, Bharathi RB, Krishna Murthy Nayak, Sameena Pathan, Subhash BK, Om Prakash Kumar, and Tanweer Ali., A Novel Elliptical-Shaped UWB Two-Port MIMO Antenna with Enhanced Isolation for Wireless Application. *Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering* 2025, no. 1 (2025): 6617657.
- Pallavi, M., **Pramod Kumar**, Tanweer Ali, and Sathish B. Shenoy. Linearly Polarized Met Surface Inspired Multi-Element Antenna for Aircraft Surveillance Applications. *IEEE Access* (2024).
- Kavitha, S., Ashish Singh, **Pramod Kumar**, Asia Hazareena, Ravi Shankar Saxena, Kamakshi Kumari, and Mohammad Aneesh. Torus-Shaped Quantum Plasmonic Nano-Antenna Array for Optical Near-Field Communication. *IEEE Access* (2024).
- JhunJhunwala, Vikash Kumar, **Pramod Kumar**, Arun P. Parameswaran, Pallavi R. Mane, Om Prakash Kumar, Tanweer Ali, Sameena Pathan, Shweta Vincent, and Praveen Kumar. A four-port Flexible UWB MIMO Antenna with Enhanced Isolation for Wearable Applications. *Results in Engineering* 24 (2024): 103147.
- Bekal, Punith, **Pramod Kumar**, and Pallavi R. Mane. A Metaheuristic Approach for Hierarchical Wireless Sensor Networks Using Particle Swarm Optimisation-Based Enhanced Leach Protocol. *IET Wireless Sensor Systems* 14, no. 6 (2024): 410-426.

Authored in book chapters:

1. Veena Benakatti, Ramesh P Nayakar, and **Mallikarjun Anandhalli**, Deep Learning for Identification of Dental Implant Systems Using Radiographic Images—A Pilot Study. In: Goar, V., Kuri, M., Kumar, R., Senjyu, T. (Eds) Advances in Information Communication Technology and Computing. AICTC 2024. *Lecture Notes in Networks and Systems*, 2024. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-6106-7_51 Pages 865-875, Springer Nature Singapore, ISBN: 978-981-97-6106-7.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. Aswini Kumar and **Paramesha**, Design and Simulation of watt-level Power Amplifier with GaAs pHEMT technology, 2024 15th International Conference on Computing Communication and Networking Technologies, (ICCCNT), DOI: 10.1109/ICCCNT61001.2024.10724862.
2. Aiswarya Nair, Sangamesh Rajole, Uday Patil, Raghu Jayaram, and **Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar**, A real-time gesture-controlled robot car, Third International Conference on Computing, Communication, Security and Intelligent system (IC3SIS-2024) pp.1—4, 2024, SCMS School of Engineering & Technology, Kerala, India.
3. Vaibhav Singh, **Pramod Kumar**, Punith Bekal, Pallavi M, Pallavi R. Mane, Preethi Naik, Bandwidth improvement of Microstrip Antenna Using Defected Ground Structure, International Conference on Next Generation Communication & Information Processing (INCIP-2025), held at MIT, Bengaluru, from 23th -24th January 2025. (IEEE)
4. Vaibhav Singh, **Pramod Kumar**, Punith Bekal, Pallavi M, Pallavi R. Mane, Preethi Naik. Design and Performance Measurement of Microstrip Slot Antenna, International Conference on Next Generation Communication & Information Processing (INCIP-2025), held at MIT, Bengaluru, from 23th-24th January 2025. (IEEE).
5. H. Anwar Basha; Sudeshna Chakraborty; Kavita Rani; Tanu Sharma; Sweetly Rana; **Pramod Kumar**, Deep Learning Approach for Performance Analysis of Secure SDN-Industrial Networks, IEEE 2025 International Conference on Next Generation Communication & Information Processing (INCIP), January 2025. (DOI: 10.1109/INCIP64058.2025.11020136)
6. Punith Bekal, **Pramod Kumar**, and Pallavi R. Mane., Enhanced LEACH for improving Lifespan of Hierarchical Wireless Sensor Networks. First International Conference on Electronics, Communication and Signal Processing (ICECSP - 2024), held at NIT, Delhi, from 8th – 10th August, 2024. DOI: 10.1109/ICECSP61809.2024.10698285
7. Punith Bekal, **Pramod Kumar**, and Pallavi R. Mane. Performance Analysis of Metaheuristic Particle Swarm Optimization-based Enhanced LEACH Protocol, International Conference on Data-Processing and Networking (ICDPN-2024) held at Institute of Technology and Business in České Budějovice, Near Prague, Czech Republic, Europe from 25th – 26th October, 2024.
8. Punith Bekal, **Pramod Kumar**, and Pallavi R. Mane., Validating the performance of Enhanced LEACH protocol for Hierarchical Wireless Sensor Networks. International Conference on Data-Processing and Networking (ICDPN-2024) held at Institute of Technology and Business in České Budějovice, Near Prague, Czech Republic, and Europe from 24th-26th October 2024.

Ph.D awarded:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status Awarded/Sumitted
1	Mr. Pradeep Reddy	20DPECE01	Prof. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar,	Single Layer Gap Coupled Microstrip Antennas for UWB,	Awarded

**Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:**

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Mallikarjun Anandhalli	AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy FDP on Deep Learning and Computer Vision in the Field of Clinical Research at Thiagarajar College Of Engineering from 17/02/2025 to 22/02/2025.
2	Dr. Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar	Refresher Course (RC) organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana from 28-12- 2024 to 11-01-2025
3	Dr. Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar	Faculty Induction Program (FIP) organized by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) Incorporating Universal Human Values in Education, New-Delhi, from 20-01-2025 to 24-01-2025
4	Dr. Nrusingha Charan Pradhan	Faculty Induction Program (FIP) organized by All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) Incorporating Universal Human Values in Education, New-Delhi, from 20-01-2025 to 24-01-2025

Grants received:

Sl.No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ANRF - IRG	Design and Development of an Automated Teeth Diagnostic Detection System from Panoramic X-ray Images	Dr. Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar	29 Lakhs	2025-2028	Ongoing

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	IEEE Special Recognition Award-2025	Best IEEE Special Recognition Journal Publication Award-2025, IEEE AP/MTT Bangalore Joint Chapter, with a Rs 2500 Cash Prize

Students related Information**Accomplishments of students: International/National/State Level****Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)**

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	ADITYA AKHOURI	2021UGELE01	GATE	28.33	EC24571328085	03/2024
2	NARMADA SHREE K	2021UGECE22	GATE	26.0	EC24S71328096	03/2024
3	SANDEEP SWAMI	2021UGECE27	GATE	32.24	CS25S21337088	03/2025
4	MUDIT KUMAR SINGH	2021UGECE20	GATE	32.33	EC25S61337244	03/2025

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1	Akash Vishwakarma	2021UGECE02	Indian Space Research Organisation, Bangalore	Indian Space Research Organisation, Bangalore	20/05/24 to 22/08/24
2	Anurag Mishra	2021UGECE03	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	16/05/24 to 31/07/24



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3	Arun Kumar Choubey	2021UGECE04	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	03/06/24 to 12/08/24
4	Ayush Kumar Mishra	2021UGECE06	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	03/06/24 to 12/08/24
5	Chaitan Eslavath	2021UGECE08	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	27/05/24 to 22/06/24
6	Edagotti Satish Kumar	2021UGECE09	IIT, Dharwad	IIT, Dharwad	15/05/24 to 28/07/24
7	Eslavath Abhishek	2021UGECE10	IIT, Bhilai	IIT, Bhilai	27/05/24 to 26/06/24
8	Fizza Mumtaz	2021UGECE11	Indian Institute of Engineering, Howrah, WB	Indian Institute of Engineering Howrah, WB	09/06/24 to 10/08/24
9	Gangarapu Reema	2021UGECE12	NIT, Rourkela	NIT, Rourkela	19/05/24 to 18/06/24
10	Hitanshu Kumar	2021UGECE13	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd, Begusurai, Bihar,	Indian Oil Corporation Ltd, Begusurai, Bihar,	16/05/24 to 14/06/24
11	Khushi Kumari	2021UGECE15	NIT, Patna	NIT, Patna	21/05/24 to 19/06/24
12	Mudadla Lakshmana Rao	2021UGECE16	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	17/06/24 to 13/07/24
13	Mantu Kumar	2021UGECE17	IIT, Mandi	IIT, Mandi	25/05/24 to 24/07/24
14	Manglam Mishra	2021UGECE18	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	10/06/24 to 16/08/24
15	Mekala Samayochitha	2021UGECE19	NIT, Rourkela	NIT, Rourkela	19/05/24 to 18/06/24
16	Mudit Kumar Singh	2021UGECE20	Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehardun	Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehardun	11/06/24 to 10/07/24
17	Muhammed Zain P M	2021UGECE21	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	03/07/24 to 29/07/24
18	Narmadha Shree K	2021UGECE22	NLC INDIA Ltd, Neyveli TN.	NLC INDIA Ltd, Neyveli TN.	24/06/24 to 20/07/24
19	Pamidipamula Ratna Sri	2021UGECE23	NIT, Warangal	NIT, Warangal	12/06/24 to 12/08/24
20	Sagar Rathod	2021UGECE26	IIT, DHARWAD	IIT, DHARWAD	15/05/24 to 15/07/24
21	Sandeep Swami	2021UGECE27	NIT, Patna	NIT, Patna	03/07/24 to 03/07/24
22	Satyam Kumar	2021UGECE28	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	16/05/24 to 31/06/24
23	Seelam Uday Kiran Reddy	2021UGECE29	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam	17/06/24 to 13/07/24
24	Shaik Mahammad Tarik	2021UGECE30	IIT, Dharwad	IIT, Dharwad	15/05/24 to 15/07/24
25	Shreepad	2021UGECE31	Digisnare Technologies LLP, Kalaburagi,	Digisnare Technologies LLP, Kalaburagi.	15/05/24 to 15/07/24
26	Sujay Devarathnam Pullagura	2021UGECE33	Pratinik Infotech Ltd,	Pratinik Infotech Ltd.	24/04/24 to 23/06/24
27	Tangallapalli Santhosh Kumar	2021UGECE34	Kodacy SPACE	Kodacy SPACE	19/12/24 to 19/01/25
28	Malapati Venkata	2021UGECE36	NIT, Warangal	NIT, Warangal	15/06/24 to



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	Mahesh Babu				12/08/24
29	Aditya Akhouri	2021UGELE01	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad.	17/05/24 to 25/07/24
30	Ayushi Mishra	2021UGELE07	IWayplus Private Ltd, New Delhi	IWayplus Private Ltd, New Delhi,	20/05/24 to 22/06/24
31	Divyanshu Saxena	2021UGELE12	Indian Space Research Organisation, Bangalore	Indian Space Research Organisation, Bangalore.	20/05/24 to 22/08/24
32	Kruteeka Samal	2021UGELE16	Space Application Centre SRTD, Ahmedabad	Space Application Centre, SRTD, Ahmedabad.	20/05/24 to 22/08/24

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Arun Kumar Choubey	2021UGECE04	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
2	Ayush singh	2021UGECE06	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
3	Aditya Akhouri	2021UGELE01	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
4	Mudit Kumar singh	2021UGECE20	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
5	Akash Viswakarma	2021UGECE02	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
6	Mekala Samayochitha	2021UGECE19	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
7	Tangallapalli S anthosh Kumar	2021UGECE34	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
8	Ayush Kumar mishra	2021UGECE06	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
9	Melapativenkata Mahesh babu	2021UGECE36	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
10	Anurag Mishra	2021UGECE03	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
11	Divyanshu Saxena	2021UGELE12	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
12	Mahammad Tarik	2021UGECE30	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
13	Gangarapu Reema	2021UGECE12	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
14	Sujay Devarathnam	2021UGECE33	Software-Trainee	QSpiders	2025
15	Ayushi Mishra	2021UGELE07	Software Development-Intern	Kodnest Technologies	2025
16	Akash Vishwakarma	2021UGECE02	Software Development-Intern	Kodnest Technologies	2025
17	Shreepad	2021UGECE31	Software Development-Intern	Kodnest Technologies	2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	14-02-2024 to 20-02-2024	Cloud Computing, Robotics, and Blockchain Technologies	One Week National Level Workshop on “Cloud Computing, Robotics and Blockchain Technologies” from 14 th to 20 th February, 2024, organized by the School of Engineering.
2	12-12-2024	Bureau of Energy Efficiency	One-day workshop on the Bureau of Energy Efficiency, organized by the School of Engineering

Alumni Activities: Alumni meet was held on 10-03-2025 in the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, School of Engineering. There was an interaction with the 2019 batch students, and an interaction happened regarding the syllabus and scheme to be introduced at the UG and PG levels.



Events at the department:

On the recommendation of the competent authority, the Department of ECE nominated faculty members, along with the Dean of the School of Engineering, to visit the Director General of Electronics and Communication Systems (ECS), DRDO, for future collaboration. The discussion was fruitful. The visit was held on 18th March, 2025 at the office of the DG, DRDO (LRDE), Bengaluru.



Faculty members visited DRDO in March 2025

4.6.2 Department of Electrical Engineering

Head: Prof. Amarendra Matsa

The Department of Electrical Engineering is one of the most active departments in the School of Engineering. The Department comprises around 132 students, divided among 124 in UG and 8 in PG/Ph.D courses. The Department has an active IEEE student chapter that conducts regular curricular and co-curricular activities. The Department is actively involved in Teaching, Research and Projects.



Outgoing Students 2024-25

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B. Tech. in Electrical Engineering (4 Years)
- ❖ M. Tech in Power and Energy Systems (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering

B.Tech. students on-roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	18	40	10	10	13	0	91
Female	4	15	8	0	6	0	33

M.Tech. students on-roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Female	0	0	1	1	0	0	2

Ph.D. Students On-roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
Female	0	1	1	0	0	0	2

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Amarendra Matsa	Professor	Power Electronics, Multi-level Inverters and Microgrid
Dr. Modi Pandu Ranga Prasad	Associate Professor	Control Systems
Dr. Arunkumar Patil	Assistant Professor	Power System Analysis, Protection, Security, SmartGrid, WAMS
Dr. Santhosha Kuamr A	Assistant Professor	Power system, Renewable energy, Micorgid and Ev
Dr. Peddeeti Sudheer	Assistant Professor	Microgrids, Power Electronics and Drives, Electrical Vehicles and Stations
Dr. Uday Patil	Assistant Professor	Power Electronics and Drives, Electric Vehicles and Renewable Energy

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Mrs. Suhashini Shinde
Rashmi Hugar S

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)	Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Siva Prasad S. Technical Assistant (Regular)	1. Mrs. Lata R Kamble, MTS (Contract)
2. Mr. Akash , Lab Attendant (Regular)	2. Mr. Sheetal Chinde Laboratory Assistant (Contract)
	3. Mrs. Shantabai , Cleaner (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Vanlalhriatpuia F, Singh KR, **Matsa Amarendra**, Datta S, Islam Md, Ustun TS., A Comprehensive Review on Intelligent Torque Vectoring Control for Electric Vehicle. *Energy Exploration & Exploitation*. 2025;. doi:10.1177/01445987251328181 (SCIE Indexed Journal)
2. Kunal Samad, **Arunkumar Patil**, Katkar Siddhant Satyapal, Santosh Diggikar and N Mohan Synchrophasor, Driven Voltage Stability Assessment Using Adaptive Deep Learning Based Tools on Temporal Ensembling and Data Augmentation. *SSRG International Journal of Electrical and Electronics Engineering*, Volume 11 Issue 12, 26-35, Dec 2024, ISSN: 2348-8379/ <https://doi.org/10.14445/23488379/IJEEE-V11I12P103>

3. Layak Ali, A. **Santhosha Kumar**, Skin Cancer Detection Using Ant Colony Optimization Based Content-Based Image Retrieval System *SSRG International Journal of Electronics and Communication Engineering*, Volume 11 Issue 8, 55-61, August 2024, ISSN: 2348-8549/ <https://doi.org/10.14445/23488549/IJECE-V11I8P106>
4. Buts K, Dewan L, **Prasad M P R.**, Real-time examination of performance enhancement and power regulation in hybrid renewable energy system: a case study *Electrical Engineering*, March 2025.
5. Santosh Diggikar, **Arunkumar Patil**, Katkar Siddhant Satyapal and Kunal Samad, Short-term and long-term inertia forecasting with low-inertia event prediction in IBR-integrated power systems using a deep learning approach *Science Direct Elsevier e-Prime - Advances in Electrical Engineering, Electronics and Energy* 12 (2025)101021. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.prime.2025.101021>.

Conference proceedings:

1. Mr. Siddhant Satyapal Katkar and **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Enhancing the Electricity Theft Detection using Extreme Gradient Boosting with Optima Optimization in Smart Grid” at the 13th IEEE PES Innovative Smart Grid Technologies (ISGT 2024) Asia, Bangalore, Karnataka, India from 10th- 13th Nov 2024.
2. Mr. Santosh and **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Inertia Forecasting for Resilient High-IBR Power Systems using Deep Learning Techniques” at the 2024 IEEE 11th Power India International Conference (PIICON 2024), organized at Malaviya National Institute of Technology Jaipur, India from 10th- 12th Dec 2024.
3. Mr. Siddhant Satyapal Katkar and Dr. **Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Performance Analysis of Switched Reluctance Motor for Electric Vehicle Application” at the International Conference on Present Challenges and Innovations in Electrical Engineering (PCIE-2024), Osmania University, Hyderabad, India, on 20th and 21st Dec 2024.
4. Koushik S; Kavita Nanshikar;Soumitra Das;**Santhosha A**, Analysis of Control Methods for BLDC Motors in Electric Vehicle Powertrain Systems 2024 IEEE International Conference on Power Electronics, Drives and Energy Systems (PEDES),18-21 December 2024, Mangalore, India
5. Aman Kumar, **M P R Prasad**, Analysis of Master Slave Interfacing of I2C Using Verilog HDL, 2024 International Conference on Emerging Technologies and Innovation for Sustainability, 20th-21st December 2024, DOI: 10.1109/EmergIN63207.2024.10961280.
6. Nair, A., Rajole, S., **Uday Patil**, Jayaramu, R., Yamanakkanavar, N. (2025). A Real-Time Gesture Controlled Robot Car. In: Mumtaz, S., Rawat, D.B., Menon, V.G., Kumar, A. (eds) Proceedings of the Third International Conference on Computing, Communication, Security and Intelligent Systems. IC3SIS 2024. Algorithms for Intelligent Systems. Springer, Singapore. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-96-0228-5_19

Patents

1. **Prof. Amarendra Matsa** et al., “System for 3D Object Detection and Recognition Using Stereo Images and Deep Learning in Autonomous Vehicles” *Indian Patent*, Application No:202541001372. Date of Publication: 17-01-2025

Authored in book chapters:

1. Sen, D., **Prasad, M.P.R.**, “Performance Analysis of DNN and Adaptive Neuro Fuzzy Controller in Comparison to Conventional Controller for Closed Loop Single Switch Semi Quadratic Buck Converter”, Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering, 1260 LNEE, pp. 115-124, 2025.
2. Arun, **Prasad, M.P.R.**, “Optimal Control Applications in Marine Robot Vehicles”. Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering, 1260 LNEE, pp. 75-84, 2025.
3. Sen, D., **Prasad, M.P.R.**,” Tuning of PI Controller Using Genetic Algorithm and Differential Algorithm for Closed-Loop Single-Switch Semi-Quadratic Buck Converter”, Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering, 1302, pp. 127-138, 2025.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Sudheer Peddeeti** delivered an invited talk on “Droop Controlled Parallel Inverter Interfaced Microgrids in Isolated Operation” Organized by IEEE PELS/IAS/PES Jt. Chapter, Vizag Bay Section, India on 29th November 2024.
2. **Dr. Sudheer Peddeeti** delivered an invited talk in a one-day workshop on “Power Electronics and it’s Applications”. Organized by Dept.of EEE, CBIT Proddatur on 15th November 2024.
3. **Dr. Sudheer Peddeeti** delivered an invited talk in a two-day workshop on “Power Electronics and it’s Applications”. Organized by Dept.of EEE, SVIST, Kadapa on 16th and 17th January 2025.
4. **Dr. Santhosha Kumar A**, delivered an invited talk in an Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on “AI Empowered Power Systems Control”, 17th – 26th March 2025, Organized by EEE of department, Seshadri Rao Gudlavalluru Engineering College, sponsored by E&ICT NIT Warangal.
5. **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** chaired a session at the International Conference on Present Challenges and Innovations in Electrical Engineering (PCIEE-2024), Osmania University, Hyderabad, India, on 20th and 21st Dec 2024.
6. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered expert lecture on “Impact of AIoT in Industrial Automation” in online Ten-day Faculty Development Programme on "AI based Technologies for Electrical Engineering Applications" during 10-20, February 2025 jointly organized by the Department of EEE, JNTUA College of Engineering, Anantapur; E&ICT Academy (Hub), NIT Warangal and E&ICT Academy (Spoke), IIITDM Kurnool on 17th February 2025.
7. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered expert lecture on “AI Control Techniques and Applications to Marine Robotics” in Ten-day Online Faculty Development Programme on "AI based Technologies for Electrical Engineering Applications" during 10th-20th, February 2025 jointly organized by the Department of EEE, JNTUA College of Engineering, Anantapur; E&ICT Academy (Hub), NIT Warangal and E&ICT Academy (Spoke), IIITDM Kurnool on 20th February 2025.
8. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered a special lecture on “Current Trends in Digital Electronics and Communication Systems”, in the Department of PG Studies & Research in Applied Electronics, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka State on 21st March 2025.
9. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered special lecture on “Industrial Automation and Control” in the Department of Electrical Engineering, Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka State on 1st February 2025.
10. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered the session on “Academic Leadership, Governance, Autonomy and Management” in connection with the NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme18 being conducted by UGC-MMTTC, JNTUH, Hyderabad on 4th December 2024.
11. **Dr M P R Prasad** delivered the session on “Academic Leadership, Governance, Autonomy and Management” in connection with the NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme18 being conducted by UGC-MMTTC, JNTUH, Hyderabad on 12th February 2025.
12. **Dr. Uday Patil** has chaired a session in the Conference IEEE-INNOVA 2024 on 21st December held at BLDEA's V P Dr PG Halakatti College of Engineering & Technology, Vijayapur.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. Mr. Siddhant Satyapal Katkar and **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Enhancing the Electricity Theft Detection using Extreme Gradient Boosting with Optuna Optimization in Smart Grid” at the 13th IEEE PES Innovative Smart Grid Technologies (ISGT 2024) Asia, Bangalore, Karnataka, India from 10th- 13th Nov 2024.
2. Mr. Santosh and **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Inertia Forecasting for Resilient High-IBR Power Systems using Deep Learning Techniques” at the 2024 IEEE 11th Power India International Conference (PIICON 2024), organized at Malaviya National Institute of Technology Jaipur, India from 10th- 12th Dec 2024.
3. Mr. Siddhant Satyapal Katkar and **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** have presented a paper entitled “Performance Analysis of Switched Reluctance Motor for Electric Vehicle Application” at the International Conference on Present Challenges and Innovations in Electrical Engineering (PCIEE-2024), Osmania University, Hyderabad, India, on 20th - 21st Dec 2024.

4. Mr. Kunal Samad, **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** and Dr Amarendra Matsa have presented a paper entitled “Bus- Centric Temporal Graph Neural Network Framework for Fault Localization and- Risk Profiling Using PMU Time Series Data” at 2025 13th International Conference on Smart Grid (icSmartGrid).

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Prof. Amarendra Matsa	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> “Electric Vehicle & Charging Station Technology for Sustainable” by NIT Jamshedpur, AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Faculty Development Program, on 13th - 18th Jan, 2025 Hybrid Renewable Energy Systems in Microgrids” (Course ID: 2412236), National Institute of Technology Warangal, GIAN Course, during 20th - 25th February 2025. “Electric Power Distribution Systems: Meeting New Challenges with Sustainable Solutions” conducted at Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, Nagpur, GIAN Course from 10th to 15th February 2025.
4	Dr. Sudheer Peddeeti	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> “Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning & Data Engineering” organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana from 28.12.2024 to 11.01.2025 Five days FDP on “Role of Advanced Digital Controllers in Power Electronics Converter Applications”
6	Dr. Arunkumar Patil	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> “Renewable Energy in Smart Grid” organized by NIT Warangal, Telangana from 6th to 10th Dec, 2024. International Hands-on Workshop on “Power Converters and Control Schemes for Solar PV-based Applications” from 30th Dec, 2024 3rd Jan, 2025 at NIT, Warangal, Telangana.
8	Dr. Santhosha Kumar A	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Online NPTEL certificate “Power System Protection and Switchgear, July to September 2024. Online NPTEL, AICTE Approved FDP “Facts Devices” January to March 2025.

Grants received:

S. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	HEFA CSR	Development of Intelligent Algorithms for Energy Analytics and Visualization in Smart Distribution Grid	Dr Arunkumar Patil	2,300,000/-	3 Years	Completed

Memberships in Professional bodies:

- Dr Santhosha Kumar, IEEE Professional Member, ISTE Life member
- Dr Sudheer Peddeeti, IEEE Member, IAENG Life member



Students related information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	MALOTHU NAGARAJU	EE25S41337126	GATE	318	EE25S41337126	02-02-2025
2	TUSHAR KUMAR RAM	EE25S41337011	GATE	338	EE25S41337011	02-02-2025
3	AKANKSHA KODIPELLE	EE25S41337020	GATE	252	EE25S41337020	02-02-2025
4	ANNI RAJ GUPTA	EE25S41337120	GATE	382	EE25S41337120	02-02-2025

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1.	Akanksha Kodipelly	2021UGELE02	N I T Warangal.	National Institute of Technology, Warangal.	11-06-2024 to 05-07-2024
2.	Anjali	2021UGELE03	R I N Limited., Visakhapatnam	Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited. Visakhapatnam Steel Plant Visakhapatnam.	10-06-2024 to 06-07-2024
3.	Anjali Kumari	2021UGELE04	BSPTCL, Patna	BSPTCL, Patna	15-05-2024 to 11-06-2024
4.	Ayush Singh	2021UGELE06	H R D DBhilai	Human Resources Development Department Bhilai.	13-05-2024 to 08-06-2024
5.	Banoth Naveen	2021UGELE08	CSIR Durgapur.	CSIR- Central Mechanical Engineering Research Institute Durgapur-713 209.	15-05-2024 to 11-07-2024
6.	Basawar Pavan	2021UGELE09	S V N I T Surat.	Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology, Surat.	May-July-2024
7.	Cheripelly Keerthana	2021UGELE10	N I T Warangal.	National Institute of Technology, Warangal.	11-06-2024 to 05-07-2024
8.	Deepika	2021UGELE11	N I T Andhra Pradesh	National Institute of Technology Andhra Pradesh.	20-05-2024 to 03-08-2024
9.	Hridya P	2021UGELE14	SRTD Ahmedabad.	Scientific Research and Training Division (SRTD) Space Applications Centre Ahmedabad.	15-05-2024 to 24-07-2024
10.	K Uday	2021UGELE17	NIT Andhra Pradesh	National Institute of Technology Andhra Pradesh	15-05-2024 to 15-06-2024
11.	Malothu Nagaraju	2021UGELE18	NIT Warangal	National Institute of Technology Warangal	11-06-2024 to 05-07-2024
12.	Mandapalli Jahnvi	2021UGELE19	NIT Andhra Pradesh	NIT Andhra Pradesh	12-05-2024 to 12-07-2024



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13.	Nikhil Kumar	2021UGELE22	R I N Limited., Visakhapatnam	RashtriyaIspat Nigam Limited. Visakhapatnam Steel Plant Visakhapatnam.	17-06-2024 to 13-07-2024
14.	Nitish Joshi	2021UGELE23	R I N Limited., Visakhapatnam	RashtriyaIspat Nigam Limited. Visakhapatnam Steel Plant Visakhapatnam.	10-06-2024 to 06-07-2024
15.	Priyanka	2021UGELE24	IIT Goa	Indian Institute of Technology Goa	16-05-2024 to 16-06-2024
16.	Priyanshu Kumar Anshu	2021UGELE25	I I T Jammu	Indian Institute of Technology Jammu	20-05-2024 to 30-06-2024
17.	Priyanshu Srivastava	2021UGELE26	H R D D Bhilai	Human Resources Development Department Bhilai	13-05-2024 to 08-06-2024
			T C P Limited Jamshedpur	Tata Cummins Private Limited, Jamshedpur	10-07-2024 to 10-07-2024
18.	Shivapratapsimha	2021UGELE28	R I N Limited., Visakhapatnam	RashtriyaIspat Nigam Limited. Visakhapatnam Steel Plant Visakhapatnam.	27-05-2024 to 22-06-2024
19.	Smrutishree Pati	2021UGELE29	N I T K Surathkal.	National Institute of Technology Karnataka Surathkal	27-05-2024 to 19-07-2024
20.	Sourabh Kumar Choudhary	2021UGELE30	IIT GOWAHATI	“Numerical design of Tamm Plasmon cavity”	14-05-2024 to 15-07-2024
21.	Sumiti Priya	2021UGELE31	N I T Patna	National Institute of Technology Patna	21-05-2024 to 19-06-2024
22.	Suryakrishna R	2021UGELE32	Kodacy Space	Kodacy in association with Scientific Platforms and Cosmic Explorations (SPACE)	30 days Completion 27-09-2024
23.	Tushar Kumar Ram	2021UGELE34	I I T Madras	Indian Institute of Technology Madras.	21-05-2024 to 21-07-2024
24.	Vandana Kumari	2021UGELE35	N I T Patna.	National Institute of Technology Patna	21-05-2024 to 19-06-2024
25.	Vishnu Kini	2021UGELE37	BHEL Bangalore	Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited Bangalore.	27-05-2024 to 26-06-2024
26.	V P Keerthigha	2021UGELE38	Fuzzy Logic based EVCS Planning’, Tiruchirappalli.	‘Fuzzy Logic based EVCS Planning’, National Institute of Technology Tiruchirappalli.	27-05-2024 to 03-07-2024

Awards and recognition (Academic)

Sl.No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Swati Sahani, Satyam Kumar, Rohan Patel, Ankur Mishra, Koushal Kumar, Karthik Raja	Won 2 nd prize with cash prize of Rs. 50,000 in Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) New Generation Ideation Contest 2024.



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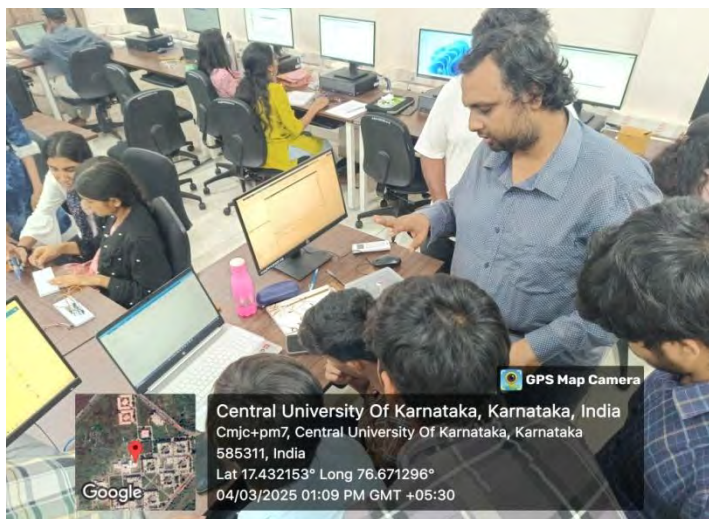


New Generation Ideation Contest 2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	12/12/2024	One-Day Workshop on "Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE)"	On the eve of National Energy Conservation Day One-Day Workshop on "Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE)" was organised on 12 th December 2024. The event was organized through the School of Engineering, Central University of Kalaburagi. In association with the KSCST Regional Centre, Kalaburagi. Coordinator: Dr. Uday Patil Dr. Sangamesh, Dr. Niteen.
2	03/03/2025-04/03/2025	Organized Two Days hands-on workshop on "MAT lab applications for Engineers" on 3 rd and 4 th March 2025	A two-day workshop on MATLAB Software, designed to equip students with essential skills in programming, simulation and modelling using MATLAB. The workshop aimed to bridge the gap between theoretical and practical knowledge. Coordinator: Dr Arunkumar Patil and Dr Santhosha Kumar A



Organized Two Days hands-on workshop on “MAT lab applications for Engineers” on 3rd and 4th March 2025

BOS Details:

1. The 5th Board of Studies (BoS) meeting was held on 30th May 2024.

Alumni Activity:

8th Electronics and Engineering of CUK alumni meet was conducted on 11/03/2025 in the EE Seminar Hall, SOE, CUK, Kadaganchi. The 2019 Batch of Electrical Engineering Alumni participated in the program. They remembered their college days and gave suggestions for the development of their Departments.

4.7 School of Humanities and Languages

Dean: Prof. Vikram Visaji

The School of Humanities and Languages at Central University of Karnataka is an outstanding representation of a school dedicated to linguistic competence, cultural awareness, and literary inquiry. Tucked away on a gorgeous campus, this esteemed school is a hive of activity for students interested in deciphering the complexity of cultural legacy and human expression. With a wide variety of undergraduate, graduate, and research programs, the school offers an array of disciplines including literature, linguistics, foreign languages, performing arts, and more. Students are free to explore profoundly the subtleties of language, literature, and culture under the direction of faculty well-known for their knowledge and commitment, which promotes critical thinking and creative expression. The School of Humanities and Languages at CUK fosters a community of scholars poised to make meaningful contributions to the global discourse and cultural landscape using experiential learning opportunities and multidisciplinary cooperation.

School of Humanities and language

- + Department of English
- + Department of Kannada
- + Department of Hindi
- + Department of Foreign Languages Studies
- + Department of Linguistics
- + Department of Music and Fine Arts

4.7.1 Department of English

Head: Prof. Basavaraj Donur

The Department of English represents a dynamic community of learners, researchers, and teaching staff motivated to contribute to the ongoing dialogues in various areas of study. The Department aims to foster a tradition of academic excellence. Faculty members engage not only in interdisciplinary teaching but also in diligent research, creative work, and awareness initiatives. The Department is conceived with the broader understanding that humanistic knowledge provides an ideal foundation for exploring and understanding the human experiences. It recognizes the study of subjects categorized under Humanities and Languages that help us to have a better understanding of the past and gives us a clearer picture of what the future has in store.

Programmes offered:

1. BA in English
2. MA in English
3. Ph.D. in English

BA in English students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	KKR	PWD	Total
Male	2	02	01	02	01	02	--	10
Female	11	11	08	02	01	04	--	37

MA in English students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	KKR	NCC/ NSS/Sport	PWD	Total
Male	05	10	05	02	02	01	--	--	25
Female	16	13	05	02	01	04	02	01	44

Ph.D. in English Students on roll (2019) onwards*

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	04	03	--	01	--	08
Female	08	02	01	01	--	--	12

* PhD scholars enrolled from 2019 to 2024 who are still researching on their topic.

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. N. Nagaraju *	Senior Professor	Eco Literature, Literary Theory, Postcolonial Studies
Dr. Basavaraj P. Donur	Professor	Theatre Studies, Postcolonial Literature and Translation Studies
Dr. Mrs. Renuka L. Nayak	Assistant Professor	Indian Literature, Comparative Literature, Cultural Studies
Mr. Mahendra M.	Assistant Professor	Literary Criticism and Theory, Indian Classical Literature
Dr. Mahima Raj C.	Assistant Professor	Gender Studies, Indian Writing in English, Film Studies
Dr. Prakash Balikai	Assistant Professor	Post-colonial Studies, Indian English Literature, Research Methodology, Postmodern Literature, Indian Knowledge System
Dr. Ashish Belamkar	Assistant Professor	Gender Studies, Postcolonial Studies and Contemporary Literature and Criticism

* Serving as Vice-Chancellor of Gangadhar Meher University, Odisha

Visiting professors:

Name	Institute/University
Prof. Vijay F. Nagannawar	Rani Channamma University, Belagavi

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Mr. Anil B. Kamble (Centre for English Language Teaching)
Dr. Sunil Kumar Pandey (Centre for English Language Teaching)
Dr. Nirmal Joseph (Department of English)
Dr. Payal Sudhan (Department of English)
Dr. Veeresh Basavaraj Pujari (Department of English)
Dr. Bheem Rao Pandu (Department of English)

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Outsource)
1. Mr. Mahendrakumar M. R. (Office Asst. Cum Computer Operator)
2. Mr. Rajkumar D. (Attender)
3. Mrs. Peeramma (Sweeper)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Renuka L. Nayak**, Silent Voices from the Margines: Critique of the Novel Havana. *Man and Development*, Vol.No.XLVI, No.2, June 2024. ISSN: 0258-0438, UGC CARE.
2. **Renuka L. Nayak**, Unveiling the Subaltern Narratives in B.T.Lalita Naik's *Gati* and *Nele-Bele*. *Man and Development*, Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development, Chandigarh, India. Vol.No.XLVI, No.3, September 2024. ISSN: 0258-0438, UGC CARE.
3. **Renuka L. Nayak**, "Contrapuntal Reading of *Panchatantra*". *Annals of the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute*, Pune, India. Vol. No. CI, Issue-12, December 2024. ISSN: 0378-1143, UGC CARE.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, Madhurchenna Mareyada Anubhava Kathana, *Aruhu Kuruhu*, Vo. No. 15, Issue 76-77, Jan-Feb, 2025.
2. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, Vachanagala Adhyana Hosa Kramagalannu Jodisuva Prayatna, "*Vikram*", August 2024.

3. **Dr. Prakash Balikai**, Representation of the ‘Other’: An Interpretation of the Post-Colonial Writings, *Journal of the School of Language, Literature and Cultural Studies*, Series: 26, Book No.06, Year: 2024. ISSN: 0972- (Impact Factor- 5.61)

Books authored:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, *Asmite*, a Collection of Critical Essays on Literature, Language and Culture, Publisher Tejas India, Bengaluru, 2024.
2. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, *Poorva-Paschima Anusandhana*, Publisher Tejas India, Bengaluru, 2024.
3. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, *Giraddi Govindaraj-A Monograph in English on Kannada Writer*, ISBN 978-93-5548, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, 2025.

Books edited:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, *Natyaranga* (Collection of Critical Articles) on the Plays of D. R. Bendre, Published by Dr. Da. Ra. Bendre Rashtriya Smarak, ISBN No. 978-81-054524-4-4, Trust, Dharwad, 2025.
2. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, *Savyasachi* (A felicitation volume to Shri Arvind Despande) Published by Shri Arvind Despande Abhinanandan Samithi, Athani 2025.

Book chapters authored:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, Basavannanavar Vachanagalalli Mani-Mahamaneya Kalpane, Vachana Darshana, Edited by Jagadaguru Shri Sadashivananda Mahaswamigalu, Prajna Pravah, Karnataka, 2024.

Invited talks:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Nudi Namana to Dr. Guruling Kapase” on 01-04-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
2. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, interviewed B Suresh for Dharwad Katte on 06-04-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
3. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Wordsworth’s Poetry” on 13-04-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
4. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Philosophical Views in P. B. Shelly's Poetry” on 20-04-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
5. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Ramachandradev's "Shakspeare: Eradu Samskrtutigalalli" on 23-04-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
6. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Bharatiya Darshanika Parampare & Basava Darshana” on 04-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
7. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Keatsna Kavyadalli Palayana” on 27-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
8. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Shaiva Darshanagalu & Basavanna” on 11-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
9. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Adi Shankaracharyaru & Bharatiya Darshanagalu” on 17-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
10. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Basavannavara Vachanagalalli Mane & Mahamane Kalpane” on 18-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
11. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Basavarannavara Vachanagalalli Nade, Nudiya Kalpane” on 25-05-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
12. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on on “Vrudda Mattu Samudra' a Translation by Rajanna Taggi” on 01-06-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.

13. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Tejasvi Sahityadalli Parisara Kalpane” on 09-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
14. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Jaina Kavyagalu: Deha Mimamse” on 15-06-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
15. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Prema Mattu Mrutyu-Shri Aurobindo's Love and Death's Anusandana” on 22-06-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
16. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Shri. Aurobindo's 'Bhavishyada Kavite': An Analysis” on 29-06-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
17. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “The Canterbury Tales by Geoffrey Chaucer” on 06-07-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
18. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on The Defence of Poesy by Sir Philip Sidney” on 13-07-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
19. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on "The Faerie Queene by Edmund Spencer” on 20-07-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
20. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Movements in English Literature: Different Perception” on 27-07-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
21. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Early Play in English Literature” on 03-08-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
22. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk “Thomas Nash's The Unfortunate Traveller” on 10-08-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
23. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Thomas Kyd's Spanish Tragedy” on 17-08-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
24. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “George Peele’s The Old Wives Tales” on 24-08-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
25. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Lily's The Anatomy of Wit” on 31-08-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
26. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Mahantesh Patil's Chalisuva Modagalu” on 01-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
27. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on "Doctor Faustus by Christopher Marlowe” on 07-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
28. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Thomas Heywood's A Women Killed with Kindness” on 14-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
29. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “D.S.Akki's 'Gere Eke Korede” on 15-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
30. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Thomas Dekker's The Shoe Maker's Holiday” on 21-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
31. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Robert Green's Mammalia” on 28-09-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
32. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Navya's 'Maya Guhe” on 03-10-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
33. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “George Chapman's The Shadow of Night “on 05-10-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
34. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Metaphysical Poetry: An Analysis” on 12-10-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.

35. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Fet "The Maid's Tragedy" by John Fletcher on 19-10-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
36. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Ben Jonson’s The Alchemist” on 26-10-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
37. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “William Shakespeare’s Antony and Cleopatra” on 02-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
38. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “William Shakespeare’s The Merchant of Venice” on 09-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
39. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “William Shakespeare’s Twelfth Night” on 16-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
40. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Milton’s Paradise Lost” on 23-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
41. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Andrew Marvel’s To His Coy Mistress” on 30-11-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
42. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Milton’s Paradise Regained” on 07-12-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
43. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “William Shakespeare’s Macbeth” on 14-12-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
44. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Henry Vaughan’s Silex Scintillans” 21-12-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
45. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “William Shakespeare’s As You like It” on 28-12-2024, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
46. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Webster’s The Duchess of Malfi” on 04-01-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
47. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Bacon’s The Essays of Francis” on 11-01-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
48. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “John Dryden’s All for Love” on 18-01-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
49. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Re-Reading of Kuvempu’s Malegalalli Madumagalu” on 19-01-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
50. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Re-Reading of Bendre’s Sakhigeeta” on 26-01-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
51. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Revisiting Tolstoy’s Resurrection” on 01-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
52. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Daniel Defoe’s Robinson Crusoe” on 06-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
53. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Jonathan Swift’s Gulliver’s Travels” on 08-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
54. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Laurence Sterne’s Tristram Shandy” on 13-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
55. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Alexander Pope’s The Rape of the Lock” on 15-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
56. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Richard B. Sheridan’s The Rivals” 20-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.

57. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, delivered a talk on “Henry Fielding’s Joseph Andrews” on 22-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
58. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Mahantappa Nandur’s Arive Pramanu” on 23-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
59. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Samuel Johnson’s The Preface to the Plays of William Shakespeare” on 27-02-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
60. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on Thomas Grey’s Elegy written in a Country Churchyard on 01-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
61. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Walpole’s The Castle of Otranto” on 06-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
62. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Jane Austen’s Pride and Prejudice” on 08-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
63. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on William Blake’s The Songs of Innocence and the Songs of Experience on 13-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
64. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on Oliver Goldsmith: The Vicar of Wakefield on 15-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
65. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “George Orwell’s Animal Farm” on 22-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
66. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Mary Wollstonecraft’s A Vindication of the Rights of Woman” on 23-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
67. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on “Mary Shelly’s Frankenstein” on 27-03-2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
68. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur** delivered a talk on Charles Dickens’s Great Expectations on March 29th, 2025, organized by Dharwad Katte, Dharwad.
69. **Dr. Prakash Balikai**, invited as a resource person in the Webinar on Recent Trends in Literature at Sharadchandra Pawar Arts and Commerce College, Pune, on 27th March 2025.
70. **Dr. Prakash Balikai**, invited as keynote speaker in One Day National Level Conference on “Indian English Literature and Nation: Identity, Culture and Politics” at Karnataka Arts, Science and Commerce College, Bidar on 27th February 2025.
71. **Dr. Ashish Belamkar** delivered an online talk on Metaphysical Poetry at Dharwad Katte on Dec. 13, 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Mr. Mahendra M.** attended and delivered a talk on Samakaalina Kavya Prayogagalu in the Kalyana Karnataka National Literary Festival, organized by the Department of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, on 17th and 18th February 2025.
2. **Mr. Mahendra M.**, delivered a keynote on Geo-Spatiality in English Literature in a one-day National Seminar at the Department of English, Syed Ammal Arts and Science College, Ramanathapuram on 26th March 2025.
3. **Dr. Renuka L. Nayak**, “Women’s Health and Awareness in Select Novels of Sara Aboobacker”. One Day International Conference on Health Humanities: A Multidimensional Exploration of the Mind, Body and Soul, 6th March 2025. Organised by Department of English, PSGR Krishnammal College for Women, TN.
4. **Dr. Mahima Raj C.**, participated and chaired a session in the Two-Days E-Conference on Bridging Realms: Exploring Intersections in Humanities and Social Sciences held on 4th and 5th October, 2024, organized by New Literaria-An International Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Humanities in collaboration with The Department of History, Humanities and Society, University of Rome, Tor Vergata Italy Department of English, Central University of Karnataka, India.
5. **Mr. Anil B. Kamble**, presented a paper on Narayan Meghaji Lokhande: The Pioneer of Labour Reforms, in One Day Interdisciplinary National Conference on Contribution of Social Reforms in Indian Social Reforms, organized by the Dept.

of Sociology and IQAC, Shri. Asaramji Bhandwaladar Arts, Commerce, and Science College, Deogaon (R), Tq. Kannad, Dist. Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, on January 21st, 2025.

Attended/organised:

1. **Dr. Renuka L. Nayak** attended the One-Day National Seminar on AI and Research: Implications and Applications on August 12th, 2024. Organised by the Central Library, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.
2. **Dr. Renuka L. Nayak** attended the One-Day Virtual National Seminar on Research Paper Writing, September 11th, 2024. Organised by Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai, India. (National).
3. **Dr. Renuka L. Nayak** organized a Talk by the Kannada poet and short story writer Vasudhendra, on “Creative Writing” at the Department of English, School of Humanities and Languages, CUK, Kalaburagi, on October 22nd, 2024.
4. **Dr. Renuka L. Nayak** organized a Talk by Jagadish Angadi on “English Language: Employment Opportunities for the Graduates”, at the Department of English, School of Humanities and Languages, CUK, Kalaburagi, on February 18th, 2025.

Workshop:

1. **Mr. Anil B. Kamble**, participated in A Three Day National Workshop on Bhartiya Bhasha Pariwar subtitled “An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi” organized by Dept. of Linguistics, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti (BBS), Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, from February 12 to 14, 2025.

Articles/Stories prescribed in syllabus of different universities:

1. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, No Longer the Shift Upper-Lip, Basic English, Bagalkot University, Jamakhandhi (B. Com I semester).
2. **Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur**, Bhale Ette (A Short Story) Vijan Sourabha-2, B. Sc-II (Semester), Kannada Basic, Kuvempu University, Shivamogga, 2025-28.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Renuka L.Nayak	Five Days Faculty Development Programme on “Narratives of Reproductive Health, Choices, Justice, and Motherhood”, organized by Warblers: Network of Reproductive Pain from Southern India in association with Northern Network for Medical Humanities Research (under the New Networks in Critical Medical Humanities Funding Scheme), United Kingdom, and Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai, from 17.03.2025 to 21.03.2025. (International).
2	Dr. Mahima Raj C	Faculty Development Programme on “Student Diversity and Inclusive Education”, conducted by the Department of Education, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, under the UGC scheme, held during the period from 26.08.2024 to 31.08.2024
3	Dr. Ashish Belamkar	UGC-Sponsored FIP (Residential) at Goa University from 15.11.2024 – 13.12.2024

4	Dr. Ashish Belamkar	One Week International Virtual FDP on “Humanities in the AI Era: Teaching Innovations, Research Directions, and Funding Pathways” organized by SR University, Warangal from February 17 – 22 , 2025
5	Mr. Anil B Kamble	Participated in One Week Online National Level Faculty Development Program (FDP) on “Exploring the Educational Potential of ChatGPT” organized by Career Development Cell, Gokul Global University, Siddhapur, Gujarat, from 11 Dec. to 17 Dec. 2024.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR	Community Knowledge Centers as Repositories for Digital Archiving of Tribal Knowledge Systems: Exploring Frameworks for Indigenous Knowledge Preservation and Dissemination - The Case of Karnataka	Dr. Mahima Raj C. Project Director	Rs. 9,00,000/-	March 2025 to February 2026	Ongoing

Memberships in Professional Bodies:

1. **Dr. Mahima Raj C.,** Member of South Asian Literary Association

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1.	Shawn John Regi	20UGENG15	NET	190	KL17671566	2024
2.	Akruti	2019MEG01	K-SET	Qualified Asst. Professorship and PhD	KL17200716	2024
3.	Soorya U. K.	24PENGL034	NET	162	KK08001340	2024
4.	Pavitra Nayeem	23PENGL011	NET	Qualified Asst. Professorship and PhD	KL11001244	2024
5.	Veeralakshmi Math	2019DEG30	NET	150	KK08001517	2024
6.	Ameena Sakeera Hussain	21PGENG04	NET	154	KL17001453	2024
7.	Deva Nanda R J	23PENGL003	NET	194	KL17001355	2024
8.	Sharad S. Lawate	23PENGL020	NET	146	KK08001626	2024

**Higher education (Ph.D., and above)**

S.No	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Tanisha L. N.	H0PHDLIT20240563	PG to Ph.D.	EFLU, Hyderabad	08/2024
2	Dhwani N Sudhi	SE24PHSS010	PG to Ph.D.	Mahindra University, Hyderabad	2024
3	Arunita Patra	487842	PhD	Banaras Hindu University	2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Name of the Student	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with Contact details	MM/YEAR
1	Komal	22PGENG02	Asst. Teacher	SRN Mehta School, Kalaburagi	11-03-2024
2	Veeralakshmi	2019DEG30	Asst. Teacher	Poornagnyana School, Kalaburagi	01-08-2024
3	Akruti	2019DEG01	Asst. Teacher	Azim Premji	04-06-2024
4	Siddamma Kanni	2019DEG27	Lecturer at PUC College	SBR, Shorapur, Dist: Yadgir	15-08-2024

Departmental Activities**Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:**

S. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	19-06-2024	Special talk by Prof. N. H. Kallur	Interaction with UG, PG and PhD Students
2	4-10- 2024 To 5-10-2024	Bridging Realms: Exploring Intersections in Humanities and Social Sciences	Organized in collaboration with New Literaria and the Department of History, Humanities and Society, University of Rome, Italy.
3	06-10-2024	Inauguration and magazine release Imagika	by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana followed by an address to UG, PG and PhD scholars in the Department of English on 06-10-2024
4	22-10-2024	Special Talk by Dr. Vasudhendra	Creative Writing
5	18-02-2025	Special Talk by Dr. Jagadeesh Angadi	English Language: Employment opportunities for Graduates



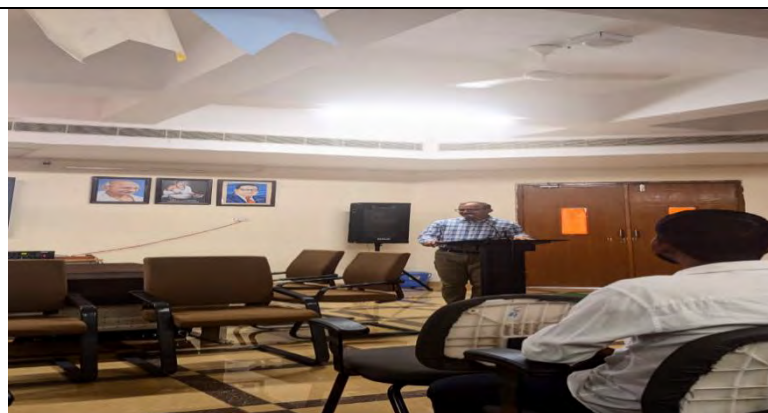
Inauguration and magazine release by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana, followed by an address to UG, PG and PhD scholars in the Department of English on 06-10-2024



Inauguration of Sports activities on 06-10-2024



Inauguration of Sports activities on October 6, 2024



Special Talk organized by the Department of English by Dr. Jagadeesh Angadi on February 18, 2025, on "English Language: Employment opportunities for Graduates"



A special talk by Dr. Vasudhendra, writer, poet, and activist on Creative Writing on October 22, 2024



A special talk by Prof. N. H. Kallur on June 19, 2024

4.7.2 Department of Kannada

Head: Prof. Shivaganga Rumma

The Department of Kannada was established in the year 2010, which holds teaching and research as equal responsibilities. The Department is involved in disseminating the existing knowledge in the areas of Kannada language, literature and culture, understanding and adaptation of suitable theories in the concerned areas, questioning the established theories and working to develop new theories for the better understanding of Kannada language, literature and society. The Department focuses on new dimensions for the better understanding of the history of language and literature within. The Department is also involved in translation between Kannada and several other languages, interpretation of Old Kannada literature and inscriptions, training to decode the folklore belief, costumes etc. The Department provides quality training to the youngsters to develop their interest in research, translation, and teaching and to explore possibilities in all other allied and related disciplines.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ MA Kannada
- ❖ Ph.D. in Kannada.

MA Kannada students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	---	4	1	---	1	---	6
Female	---	6	2	----	---	---	8

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	---	2	6	---	---	---	8
Female	---	---	---	1	---	--	1

Faculty Related Information

Regular faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Shivganga Rumma	Professor	Old Kannada, Medieval Kannada, Poetics, Metre Vachana, Feminist Studies
Prof. Vikram Visaji	Professor	Literary Theories, Translation Studies, Modern Kannada Literature

Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti	Professor	Linguistics, Grammar, Historical Linguistics, Case System, Deictic
Dr. Appagere Somashekara	Associate Professor	Folklore, Dalit, and Modern Kannada Literature
Dr. T D Rajanna	Associate Professor	Ancient and Medieval Kannada Literature, Epigraphy, Prosody, Translation
Dr. Vijayakumar H	Assistant Professor	Kannada Modern Literature, Literary Criticism, and Film Studies

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Vijay Kumar Garampalli (MTS)

Books authored:

1. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Candide*: A novel in Original French by Voltaire, translated into Kannada, Srushti Publications, Vijayanagara, Bangalore 2024, ISBN: 978-81-972194-1-2.
2. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *The Girl with the Golden Eyes*: A novel, Original French by Honore de Balzac, translated into Kannada, Srushti Publications, Vijayanagara, Bangalore 2024, ISBN: 978-81-972194-6-7.
3. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Vruddha Mattu Samudra*: A novel Original English by Earnest Hemingway, translated into Kannada, Srushti Publications, Vijayanagara, Bangalore 2024, ISBN: 978-81-972194-8-1.
4. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *My Father Balaiah*: (An Autobiography) original Telugu translated into Kannada, Siddalingeshwara Prakashana, Kalaburagi, 2024, ISBN: 978-81-19452-12-5.
5. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, *Kallyanapura* (A Play); Vikram Visaji), Nelada Nudi Prakashana, Kalaburagi, 2025.
6. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Nadugannada Kavya Sanchaya*: Sri Siddhalingeswara, Book Depot and Prakashana, Kalaburagi: ISBN: 978-93-93167-80-4: 2024.

Book edited

1. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, *Avaduta Parampar*. Dr. Divakara Narayana Pujaru. Bandara Prakashana, Maski. 2024.
2. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, *Lio Tolstoy sahityada nelegalu: Kannada anuvadagalannu anulakshisi*. Dr. Pradeepa R.N.
3. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, *Nelada asmite mattu antasatva: Chandrashekara kambarara kadambarigala desiyateya adyayana*. Dr Sandesh A.N.
4. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, *Akka Kelavva*, Jilla Sharana Sahitya Parishattu, ISBN: 9789391457938, October 2024.
5. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Champu Sanchaya*: A Prescribed Text Book for MA Kannada of Gulbarga University, Siddalingeshwara Prakashana, Kalaburagi, 2024, ISBN: 978-81-954043-6-0
6. **Dr. Vijayakumara Vishwamanava**, *Kannada Muktha Ganga-2*, Siddaganga Book Depot Mathu Prakashana Kalaburagi, 2022, ISBN: 978-93-93167-31-6

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1. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, *Halagannada Kavya Sangraha*, Text Book (BA-1st Year), Bidar University, Jolla Kannada Sahitya Parishattu 2024.

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1. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Kumaravyasa Bharatha Udyogaparva*, Srikrishnudi Patra Vishleshana: UGC Care Listed Journal, Auchityam, March 2025, Vishakapattanam, ISSN: 2583 4797.
2. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Yashodhara Charitam*, Kalpitha Katha Pradhana Patrala Chitrana: UGC Care Listed Journal, Auchityam, February 2025, Vishakapattanam, ISSN: 2583 4797.
3. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, *Yagnaseni Atmakata*, Navala Droupadi Antarangam: UGC Care Listed Journal, Auchityam, December 2024, Vishakapattanam, ISSN: 2583 4797.
4. **Dr. Vijayakumara H Vishwamanava**, *Ajnathananobbana Athmacharite*: Janapadeeya Amshagalu, Chinthana Bayalu Edi, Reshma G Bhat Modankapu Bantawal Dakshina Kannada, Kannada Quarterly UGC Care Journal, January-March 2024. ISBN: 2278-2192 Volume 12, Issue 3.
5. **Dr. Vijayakumara H Vishwamanava**, *Beda Budakattu Mahileyara Ahara Karamagalu*, Chinthana Bayalu Edi, Reshma G Bhat Modankapu Bantawal Dakshina Kannada, Kannada Quarterly UGC Care Journal, April-June 2024, ISBN: 2278-2192 Volume 12, Issue 4.
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7. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, *Numerals in Koracha*, Asian Languages and Linguistics. John Benjamin's Publication. Vol. 5.2. 2024. pp. 280- 308.
8. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, *Non-Scheduled Tibeto-Burman Languages*, Jadavpur Journal of Language and Linguistics. Vol. VII-I. Pp. 129-57.
9. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, *Gair samjooti*: Kathana kaleya hosa majalu, Chintana Bayalu, Kannada Quarterly, Volume 12, Issue 3, Jan-March 2024, Page 23 to 27, ISSN: 2278-2192.
10. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Janapada Mahakavya Parampare*, Chintana Bayalu, Ed-Reshma G. Bhat: Chintana Bayalu, Daxina Kannada: Page No-112: ISSN: 2278-2192, October-December 2024.

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2. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, Bhagthi Yemba Vishada Koda, October 2024, ISSN 2584-0088
3. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Bisila Nadina Bannagalu; Prajavani Deepavali Visheshanka 2024, The Printers Mysore Private Limited, Bengaluru.
4. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Interview with Prof. Arun Kaml, Mayura (Magazine), The Printers Mysore Private Limited, Bengaluru. September 2024.
5. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Interview with Prof. H.S. Raghavendra Rao, Mayura (Magazine), The Printers Mysore Private Limited, Bengaluru. December 2024.
6. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, *Sanjana Deedi Sahitya Seve; Saptahika Puravani (Prajavani)*, The Printers Mysore Private Limited, Bengaluru. June 2025.
7. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Numerals in Koracha, *Asian Languages and Linguistics*, John Benjamin, 2024.
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9. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Kannada Kaliyuvalli Kannada Makkala Solu. *Samajamukhi*. August 2024.

10. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Karnatakada Bashegalu. *Kammitunadu*. Vol . 9-1, 2024.
11. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Shishtakannada, Shuddakannada, Accakannada-samajakke eravo-varavo? *Sangata*. Sept. 2024.
12. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Shikshana madyama: vicarisabekada vishayagalu yavuvu? *Samajamukhi*. June .2024.
13. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Tripitaka-Gowthama Budharu Bodhisida Boudha Chinthanegala Tatvika Savmvidhana: Samvada: Ed-Indudhara Honnapura: Bangalore, ISSN-2454-6054: Jan-2025.
14. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Dalita Sanghatane Hagu Samudayagala Samskruthika Asmitheya Bikkattu Hagu Sadhyathegalu: Samvada: Ed-Indudhara Honnapura: Bangalore, ISSN-2454-6054: April-2025.
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4. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Daxina Bharathada Modala Dalita Horatagara Panditha Ayothidas*, Badukin Beragu, Ed-Dr. Pradeep Malgudi: Pallava Prakashana, Channapattana, Ballari: ISBN-978-81-955903-9-1: 2024
5. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Samudayika Sabalikiranada Yojaneya Sutta Badavarannu Hangisuva Matugalu: Gyaranti Yojanegalu, Ed: Dr. D. Srinivasa Managalli: Vibha Prakashana, Mysore : ISBN: 978-81-976119-3-3: 2024
6. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Tatvagnani Gowthama Budhara 'Sanghada' Parikalpane Hagu Dhammada Tatvikatheya Swarupa: Nava Bowdhayana, Ed: Dr. Chandrashekara Doddamani: Mahabodhi Prakashana, Gulbarga: ISBN-819294908-7: 2024.
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8. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Adho Jagattina Akavya-Damanitha Lokada Prathinidhikarana*, Amarachintha Sahithya, Ed-Parashurama Kodagunti, Sayad Mujeeb Ahamad, Bandara Prakashana, Maski, ISBN: 978-81-974541-4-1, December 2024.
9. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Nadugannada Sahithya Patyagalallina Tatvikatheya Swarupa*, Nadugannada Kavya Sanchaya, Ed-Dr. Appagere Somashekar: Sri Siddhalingeshwara Book Depot and Prakashana, Kalaburagi: ISBN: 978-93-93167-80-4, 2024.
10. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Ramabai: Dalitara Samskruthika Asmithe*, Prathikathana Vichara-Vimarshe: Ed-Dr. M. B. Katti, Sapna Book House, Bangalore, 2025.
11. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, *Tayi Gunada Santha Kudmal Rangarao*, Arivu-2, Kannada Avashyaka Patya, B.Com. 1st SEM: Ed-Prof. S. V. Managundi, Prof. Shivananda Koravara: Prasara, Karnataka University, Dharawada, 2025.

Awards/Fellowship/ Honors and prizes received:

1. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, Karnataka Lekhakiyara Sanghàda Prashasti 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Kuvempu, Bendre's Creative Philosophy; Vikram Visaji, One-day symposium on 20th Century Kannada Literature, Philosophy and Achievements, Central Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, organized by Christ University, Bengaluru, November 2024.
2. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Gajalugalalli Kannada Samskruti; Vikram Visaji, One-day Symposium on 'Kannada Gajal Kavya', Central Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, organized by Raichur University, Raichur, January 2025.
3. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Mogalli Ganesh Avara Sahitya-Samskruti Chintane; National Literary Festival, Dept. of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
4. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Janapada Rangabhoomi; Vikram Visaji, National Theatre Festival, Nirdiganta, Dharwad, February 2025.
5. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Kannada Dalita Sahitya Swarupa; Vikram Visaji, One-day National Seminar on 'India's Dalit Literature', Dept. of Kannada, University of Mumbai, March 2025.
6. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Multilingual Vachana Translation Workshop; Vikram Visaji, Basava Samithi, Bengaluru, July 2024.
7. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, Basava Siri Prashasti Pradahana Samarambha hagu Kayaka Dinacharane, Chamber of Commerce, Kalburgi, May 2024.
8. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, Kalyana Chalukyara Charithre Dhakalegalu, 2-day Nation Seminar, Kalyana Chalukyara Kaladali Matha panthagala Sangarsha mathu samnvaya, Maski, Raichur, June 2024.
9. **Prof. Shivaganga Rumma**, Two-Day National Seminar "Charitre, Parisara mathu Ithiruthagalu (Samajo Darmika Hinnale), Anubhava Mantapa, Basavakalyana, July 2024.
10. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Kannada Samshodhaneya Savalugalu: Kannada Adhyayana Samsthe, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
11. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Janapada Mahakavyagala Bahutvada Ayamagalugu: Janapada Sahithyada Bahutvada Ayamagalugu-National Seminar: M. S. Irani Kala Vignana Mattu Vanijya Padavi Mahavidyalaya, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
12. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Vachana Sahithya Chaluvali-Kayaka Tattva-Samajik Tattva Prathipadane: 12th State Level Kadali Mahila Samavesha: Akhila Bharatha Sharana Sahithya Parishat, Kalaburagi, October 2024.
13. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Pragathi Sheela Sahithyada Tatvika Kalagigalu: Kendra Sahithya Academi and Kannada Sangha Crist VV, Bengaluru, November 2024.
14. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Director of Workshop: Kannada Vichara Sahithya Darshana, Karnataka Sahithya Akademi, Bangalore: Rangayana, Dharawada, February 2025.
15. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Kannada Samshodhaneya Savalu: National Seminar, Kannada Department, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
16. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Dalita Sanghatane-Samajika Ayama-Asmithe: State Level Janapara Utsava-2025: Kannada Mattu Samskruthi Ilake, Kolara, February 2025.
17. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Samskruthika Lokadalli Chitrakaleya Mahatva Hagu Prastuthathe, Chitrakala Shibira, Karnataka Lalithakala Academi, Bengaluru: Morarji Desayi Vasathi Shale, Vadagera, March 2025.
18. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Kannada Samshodhaneya Savalu, National Seminar, Kannada Department, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
19. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, As Chairperson in the State Level Seminar, on Hyderabad Nizamara Kalada Itihasa Mattu Puratatva, Dept. of Kannada, CUK. March 2025.
20. **Dr. T D Rajanna** presented a paper on Kalyana Karnataka Rastreeya Sahityotsava at the Department of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, February 2025.
21. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, Delivered a Special Lecture on Kannada Katharachaneyalli Tantragarika at Janaranga, Kalaburagi, January 2025
22. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, Delivered a Special Lecture on Kannada Anuvada Sahitya at the Department of Kannada, Govt.

Degree College, Madana Hipparaga, Gulbarga, 2025

23. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, Delivered a Lecture on Halagannada Sahithyadalli Samshodhane at the Department of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Gulbarga, 2024
24. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, Delivered a Lecture on Anuvada Sahityadalli Samshodhane at the Department of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Gulbarga, 2024
25. **Dr. T D Rajanna**, Delivered a Lecture on Kavirajamarga: Samajo Samskritika Ananyate at the Department of Kannada, Gulbarga University, Gulbarga, 2024

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Prof. Vikram Visaji**, Chaired the Session; 'Hosa Talemarina Sahitya, 87th Akhila Bharata Kannada Sahitya Sammelana, Mandya, December 2024.

Research Projects Ongoing:

1. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Editor: Nuru Ayamagalu Nuru Esalugalu (Hundred books on Hyderabad Karnataka region), by KKRDB, Govt of Karnataka during 2025-2027

Awards/Fellowship/ Honors and Prizes received:

1. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Award-2025: Adikarnataka Chalavadi Mahasamstana Gurupeeta, Ashokapuram, Mysore, February 2025.
2. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Swamy Vivekananda Rastriya Sadbhavana Prashasti: Karnataka Rajya Yuva Sanghagala Okkuta, Bangalore: Muddebihala, February 2025.

Membership of professional bodies, editorship of journals, etc.:

1. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Member of the Language Policy for the State of Karnataka.
2. **Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti**, Editor, Aray. A Kannada Double Blind Peer Reviewed Research Journal.
3. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Member: Editorial Board, Ambedkar Caravan-Bilingual Monthly, Rni No-KAR BIL/2014/60228, Mandya.
4. **Dr. Appagere Somashekar**, Member: Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Study Centre: Advisory Committee: Karnataka State Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapura, July 2024 to July 2026.

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Prof. Vikrm Visaji	Kuvempu Bhasha Bharati Pustaka Bahumana, translated Book 'Dehave desha' got the best translation work from Kuvempu Bhasha Bharati Pradhikara, Govt of Karnataka, Bengaluru, 2024
2	Prof. Vikrm Visaji	, Karnataka Sahitya Akademi Book Award, Translated Book 'Dehave desha' got best translation work from Karnataka Sahitya Akademi, Govt of Karnataka, 2024

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the Faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Vijayakumara H	"Role of Indian Languages in National Integration with special reference to South India" (29.04.2024 to 05.05.2024) organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Manch and Shiksha Sanskriti Utthan Nyas, South Zone.

Events at the Department:



National Seminar on March 20 & 21, 2025



National Seminar on March 20 & 21, 2025

4.7.3 Department of Hindi

Head: Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar

The Department of Hindi offers an M.A. program. Considering the present challenges at the national and global levels, the Master's program is designed to give a more inclusive and expansive approach to Hindi literature and functional aspects of the Hindi language. The program includes allied, supportive, elective, and social orientation courses and core subjects.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ M.A. in Hindi (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Hindi

MA Hindi students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	3	--	1	--	--	4
Female	1	1	--	--	--	--	2

Ph.D. in Hindi students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	3	2	3	1	1	--	10

Female	4	4	1	--	--	--	9
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Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail	Professor	Functional Hindi and translation, Hindi natya sahitya, linguistic, comparative literature
Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar	Professor	Hindi Literature, Stri Vimarsh, Dalit Vimarsh, Functional Hindi And Translation, Journalism
Prof. Sandeep V. Ranbhirkar	Professor	Hindi Fiction, Poetics, Medieval Poetry, Women's Studies
Dr. Sanjeevarayappa N C	Assistant Professor	History of Hindi Literature, Dalit Vimarsh, Hindi aur Computer And Translation, Vachna Sahitya
Dr. V. Govind	Assistant Professor	Hindi Fiction, Hindi Journalism, and Translation
Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao	Assistant Professor	Hindi Fiction, Women's Studies, Prayojanmoolak Hindi
Dr. Bhawna	Assistant Professor	Hindi Fiction, Modern poetry, History of Hindi literature, Hindi Aalochna, Hindi Bhasha

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Jagdevi (Contract)
2. Vijay (Contract)
3. Eramma (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Prof. S. V. Ranbhirkar**, *Mahatma Gandhi Ka Shiksha Vishayak Drushtikon Aur Nai Rashtriya Shiksha Niti 2020*, Gaveshana, Vol. 168, pp. 144–150, Oct.–Dec. 2024, ISSN 0435-1460, UGC-CARE.
2. **Prof. S. V. Ranbhirkar**, *Nayi Rashtriya Shiksha Niti 2020 aur Bharatiya Bhasha Madhyam se Uchcha Shiksha*, Gaveshana, pp. 60–64, Dec. 2024, ISSN 0970-9398, UGC-CARE.
3. **M. D. Sarjerao**, *21vi Sadi ke Pratham Dashak kee Naarevadee Kahaaniyaan aur Stree Jeevan Mulya*, Sankalya, Vol. 01, Jan.–Mar. 2025, Hindi Akademi Hyderabad, UGC-CARE.
4. **M. D. Sarjerao**, *Hindi ki Stree Aatmakathaon Mein Pitrasattatmak Samaj ka Prabhav*, Shodh Rityu, Vol. 04, Nav Sahityakaar Publication, Nanded, Jan.–Mar. 2025.
5. **Prof. S. Manjanbail**, *Kannada Kahani, Veena Shanteshwar*, Samkaleen Bhartiya Sahitya, July–Aug. 2024.
6. **Dr. B. Bhawna**, *Bhumandlikaran: Palayan Aur Visthapan, Paricharcha*, APNI MAATI, Vol. 57, Oct.–Dec. 2024, ISSN 2322-0724.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar**, *Adiwasi Samvedanasheelata, Aupaniveshika Aadhunika aur Sanjeev ke Upanyas*, Dakshinapath, Vol. 3, No. 4, pp. 84–94, Apr.–Jun. 2024, ISSN 2583-3367.
2. **Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar**, *Sahitya, Samaj Tatha Satta ka Antarsambandh aur Mahua Maji ka Upanyas*, Dakshinapath, Vol. 3, No. 1, pp. 114–120, Jan.–Mar. 2024, ISSN 2583-3367.
3. **Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar**, *Dalit Samaj ki Gatishilata Mein Shiksha aur Sahitya ki Bhoomika*, Dakshinapath, Vol. 3, No. 11, pp. 115–123, Jul.–Sep. 2024, ISSN 2583-3367.
4. **Dr. V. Govind**, *Main Hizra Main Lakshmi: Tritiya Lingi Samuday ke Sangharsh aur Sweekriti ki Yatra*, Gina Shodh Sangam, Vol. 21, No. 1, Jan.–Feb. 2025, ISSN 2321-8037.
5. **V. Govind**, *Premchand Poorv Upanyas Aur BAL-Manovigyan*, Akshara, Vol. 16, No. 4, Feb. 2025, ISSN 2582-5429.
6. **B. Bhawna**, *Soofi Kaavya: Udaarwadi Drushtikon*, Akshara, Vol. 5, No. 3, Mar. 2025, ISSN 2582-5429.
7. **M. D. Sarjerao**, *Samakaleen Stree Kahaniyon Mein Chitrit Dampatya Jeevan*, Samagam, Vol. 2, Mar. 2025.

Books edited

1. **Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar**, *Banjara Kannada General Dictionary, Devanagari Script Verifier, Banjara Language Study Centre, Karnataka Tanda Abhivridhi Nigam, Bengaluru. (2024).*

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Premchand ki Kahaniyon Me Jeev-Vimarsha” in the National Webinar organized by Sant Kabir Pratishthan, Latur, Maharashtra, on July 7, 2024.
2. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “The Role of Languages in NEP 2020” in a National Seminar, organized by Women’s College of BCA, Aurangabad, Maharashtra, on September 19, 2024.
3. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Uchcha Shiksha me Bharatiya Bhashayen: Chunautiyan aur Sambhavnayen” in a Refresher Course, organized by UGC-HRDC Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, Maharashtra, on October 10, 2024.
4. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Bharatiya Gyan Parampara Me Bharatiya Kavyashastra ki Upadeyata” in a Refresher Course, organized by UGC-MMTTC, University of Calcutta, Kolkata, on December 12, 2024.
5. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Reimagining Literature: Interdisciplinary Perspectives in the Contemporary Age” in a National Seminar, organized by Punyashlok Ahilyabai Holkar University, Solapur, Maharashtra, on February 5-6, 2025.
6. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Hindi Evam Marathi Sahitya me Abhivyakt Samajik aur Sanskrutik Samarasata” in a National Seminar, organized by Bhosala Military College, Nasik, Maharashtra, on March 3-5, 2025.
7. **Prof. Sandeep Ranbhirkar** delivered an invited talk on “Dakshin Bharat me Hindi ki Dasha aur Disha” in a National Seminar, organized by Kristu Jayanti College, Bangalore, on March 7, 2025.
8. **Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail**, keynote speech at a day national seminar on the challenges of teaching Hindi as a second Language. University of Hyderabad on February 17, 2025.
9. **Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail**, Resource person for a day workshop on project report writing at the Government First Grade Degree College, Kamalapur. August 9, 2024.
10. **Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail**, resource person, Hindi Saptah, CUK, November 27, 2024.
11. **Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail**, panel speaker, Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav, CUK, December 11, 2024.
12. **Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar**, a Lecture on “Bharatiya Sahity Aur Kannada Bhashi Sahityakar” Organized by Arts, Science & Commerce Degree College, Naladirg, Solapur, and Maharashtra State on February 5, 2025.

13. **Dr. V. Govind**, Bhartiya Gyan Parampara Ke Vividh Aayam, December 30, 2024 – Telangana social welfare residential degree college for women, Nagarkurnool, Telangana.
14. **Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao**, “Aadarsh Virodh”, Vishwa Hindi Sangathan, New Delhi, March 21, 2025
15. **Dr. Bhawna**, “Maanviki aur Bhartiya gyan parmpra” Two-day National Seminar on “Rashtriya Shiksha Niti-2020 aur Bharatiya Gyan Parmpra”, jointly organized by the Department of Hindi, EFLU University, Hyderabad on August, 22.08.2024.
16. **Dr. Bhawna**, “Hindi Bhasha ka Mahatav”, Hindi Diwas, Organized by Sharanbasveshwar Residential School, Kalaburagi, on 14 September 2024.
17. **Dr. Bhawna**, “SaraI Rajbhasha Hindi mein kaarye karne hetu sarkaari niti” Hindi workshop organized by Rajbhasha section, CUK on November 27, 2024.
18. **Dr. Bhawna**, “Bhakti ka Lokroop aur Tatkaleen Parivesh”, Three-day International seminar on “Madhyakaleen Hindi Sahitya: Samajik Swaroop evam Lokrang”, Organized by Kaashi Hindu Vishvavidyalay, Varanasi, on October 17th-19th, 2024.
19. **Dr. Bhawna**, “Hindi Sahitya Mein Stri Vimarsh”, Organized by Department of Hindi, Karnatka State Akkamahadevi Women University, Vijayapur on March 4th, 2025.
20. **Dr. Bhawna**, “Stri Soshaktikaran”, International Women’s Day, Organized by EPFO, Regional Office Kalaburagi on 11th March 2025.

Paper presentation in Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Symposia:

1. **Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao**, “Sagun Raamabhakti Dhara Mein Raam ka Lokanaayak Roop ”Three-day International conference Hindi Anubhag, Mahila Mahavidyalay, Kashi Hindu Vishwavidyalay, Varanasi, August 17th-19th, 2024.
2. **Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao**, Chair of Session, “Hindi Saahitya ke Maadhyam se Tanaav Prabandhan Kaushal”, Two-day National conference, Central Hindi Directorate, Ministry of Education and Hindi Department, Calcutta University, Kolkata. August 24th-25th, 2024
3. **Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao**, “Vaishvikaran ke Pariprekshya mein Hindi”, Two-day International conference, Mount Carmel College, Autonomous, Bengaluru, PGDAV College, DU, January 23rd-24th, 2025,
4. **Dr. Bhawna**, Paper Presentation in National Seminar “Hindi Sahitya aur Bundelkhandi kavita”, August 4th-5th, 2024, P. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Shodhpeth, Bundelkhand University, Jhansi, Uttar Pradesh.
5. **Dr. Bhawna**, Paper Presentation in National Seminar “Kunwar Chandrprakash Singh ki Rachnadharmita”, Hansraj College, Delhi, October 14th, 2024
6. **Dr. V. Govind** “Anuvad Ka Vishay/Mahatva: Hindi Mein Takniki Shabdavali Ka Vikas”. Three-Day International Seminar on “Anuvad: Badalte Pariprekshya, Ubharti Sambhavnayein at Osmania University, Hyderabad, January 8th-10th, 2025.
7. **Dr. V. Govind**, “Uchha Shiksha Ke Vishesh Sandarbh Mein Rashtriya Shiksha Niti 2020”. National Conference on “Revival & Interpretation of Epistemological Roots of Indian Knowledge System in The Light of Modern Intellectual Landscape” University College of Education, Osmania University, October 28th-30th, 2024.
8. **Dr. V. Govind**, “Bhaktikaal Vividh Sandarbh Aur Prasangikta”. International Conference on “Madhyakaleen Hindi Sahitya: Samajik swaroop Evm Lokrang” at Mahila Mahavidyalay, Banaras Hindu University, October 17th-19th, 2024.

**Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:**

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/ FDP
1	Dr. Sanjeevarayappa N C	UGC-sponsored faculty induction programme from March 3 rd -29 th , 2025, Organized by Malvia Mission teachers' training center. Karnataka University, Dharwad. Karnataka
2	Dr. Mudanar Datta Sarjerao	Guru-Dakshta, 1 st Faculty Induction Program, conducted from January 27 to February 2025 in online mode, organized by UGC-MMTTC, Indian Institute of Teacher Education, Gandhinagar
3	Dr. Bhawna	CPDHE(UGC-MMTTC) Center of Professional Development in Higher Education Education, Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, University of Delhi, Delhi, from December 26 th , 2024, to January 22 nd , 2025

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. **Dr. Sanjeevarayappa N C**, Advisor for Rajbhasha committee member for heavy industries, nominated by the Home Ministry, Govt. of India.

Students related Information***Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level*****Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)**

Sl. No.	Name	Exam	Registration Number	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Nitish Kumar Anand	UGC-NET	24HIND006	DL01016358	22/02/2025
2	Deepak Kumar Tiwari	UGC-NET	24HIND001	UP18004413	22/02/2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Shushma K	2021MHN02	Assistant Professor (Contractual)	Karnatak Kala Vigyan Evam Vaanijay Mahabidyalay, Bidar	02/09/2024
2	Nikita	2021MHN04	Assistant Professor (Contractual)	Shri Shivaji Vidya Mandir and Kanishth Mahavidyalaya, Aundh, Pune	04/09/2024
3	Arpita	2021MHN01	Assistant Professor (Contractual)	AKR Devi College, Kalaburagi.	26/12/2024
4	Bharti pal	PHDHIN1901	Assistant Professor (Contractual)	Gulbaraga University, Kalaburagi	10/11/2024
5	Babita	PHDHIN1902	Assistant Professor (Contractual)	St.Pious X Degree & PG College for Women, Hyderabad	02/03/2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	13/09/2024	Centenary Literature Ram Darsh Mishra	Sahityik Saanskrutik Manch
2	13/10/2024	Inspection Meeting	Shri Anirban, Deputy director, Department of official language, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, Bangalore
3	17/01/2025	World Hindi Day	Sahityik Sasnskruthik Manch
4	24/01/2025	Indian Folk Festivals	Sahityik Sasnskruthik Manch
5	28/02/2025	Baroda Meritorious Student Award	Organised under the joint auspices of the Bank of Baroda regional office, Kalaburagi
6	28/02/2025	Poetry Conference & Poetry recitation comptition	Organised under the joint auspices of the Bank of Baroda regional office, Kalaburagi
7	21/03/2025	Centenary Writers of Hindi	Sahityik Saanskruthik Manch

BOS Details:

The BOS meeting was conducted on 25.06.2024 per the UGC norms at the Head Chamber, Department of Hindi, CUK.

Alum Activity:

Alumni meet held on March 11, 2025

Events at the department:



Meritorious Student Award Ceremony, February 28, 2025



Honoring meritorious students by the Bank of Credit Department and the successful organization of Kavi Sammelan, poetry recitation competition, February 28, 2025



Inspection meeting, Shri Anirban Kumar, Deputy Director, Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, Bengalur, October 13, 2024.



Centenary Litterateurs of Hindi Literary Cultural Forum, March 21, 2025

4.7.4 Department of Foreign Languages Studies

Head: Prof. Vikram Visaji

Coordinator: Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam

The Department of Foreign Languages Studies, under the esteemed School of Humanities and Languages, is one of the most dynamic and recent academic additions to the Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi (www.cuk.ac.in). Established in 2019, the department is rapidly emerging as a hub for global language learning and cross-cultural exploration.

Currently, the department proudly offers Ph.D. programs in Arabic and Spanish, and starting next academic Year 2026. We are excited to introduce the Master of Arts (M.A.) program at the postgraduate level. Additionally, the department contributes to the broader educational landscape by offering Multidisciplinary Courses (MDC) for undergraduate students and Generic Elective Courses for doctoral students.

Beginning from the upcoming academic session, the department will launch Intensive Certificate Courses (one semester each) in Arabic, German, Japanese, and Spanish, with an intake of forty students per language. In the following sessions, Diploma and Advanced Diploma programs in these languages are also planned, expanding academic access and linguistic proficiency.

Our curriculum is carefully crafted to be modern, market-relevant, and culturally rich, offering student's deep insights into the histories, philosophies, literatures, and cultures of the regions where these languages are spoken. This multidimensional academic approach encourages students to forge meaningful connections across disciplines, empowering them to identify innovative and relevant research themes in their chosen fields. With a commitment to educational excellence and global engagement, the Department of Foreign Languages Studies stands as a vibrant platform for aspiring linguists, researchers, and culturally curious minds.



Programmes offered:

- UG Multi-disciplinary courses in Arabic, German, Japanese, and Spanish
- PG Generic Elective courses in Arabic, German, Japanese, and Spanish
- Ph.D. in Arabic and PhD in Spanish

Ph. D. students on roll:

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Female	-	-	1	1	-	-	2

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam	Assistant Professor	Spanish
Dr. Inamul Azad	Assistant Professor	Arabic
Mr. Shivam Mishra	Assistant Professor	German
Mrs. Piyali Roy	Assistant Professor	Japanese

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Nagendra (Attender)
2 Lakshmi (cleaner)/ daily wage

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Dr. Inamul Azad**, *India and Indonesia: Historical Bonds, Cultural Parallels, and Contemporary Differences*, Itihas Darpan, October 2024, Special Issue, ISSN: 09743065, pp. 132, UGC CARE.
2. **Dr. Inamul Azad**, *Ba'z Al-Qazaya Al-Mohimmah Fee Masrahiyyat Sa'ad* (Arabic-Title) Kalikoot Arabic Journal, ISSN 2278- 764X, Vol-14, Issue-1, pp-10-18, (Jan-April) 2024, UGC CARE.
3. **Dr. Inamul Azad** (& Bulti Sarkar), *Language and Philosophy of Humanism in Broken Wings* by Gibran Khalil Gibran, Itihas Darpan, October 2024, Special Issue, ISSN: 09743065, pp 36-45, UGC CARE.
4. **P. K. Mangalam, S. Mishra**, *Bisavi sadi ka vaishvik paridrishya: Speni aur German bhasha shahitya-sandarbh*, Apni Maati, 2024, 56. https://www.apnimaati.com/2024/12/blog-post_66.html, UGC-Care.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles

1. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam**. "Where Defending Mother-Earth and Quests for a Just World are the same and one: Some Instances from Latin America". Accepted for Critical Zones: Environmental Humanities in South Asia, edited by Stephen Muecke and Jennifer Eadie. To be published by Routledge India, New Delhi, under publication.
2. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam**. "Translating the 'Enemy': Translation Dynamics in Medieval Spain". Indian Journal of Social Work and Social Sciences (IJSWASS). Volume: IV, Issue: 1, March 2025. pp. 220-230.

Books authored

1. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam.** *Auratein*, Hindi translation of Eduardo Galeano's work *Mujeres* from Spanish to Hindi. Parikalpana Prakashan, February 2025.

Authored in book chapters

1. **Dr. Inamul Azad**, *Women's Rights in Islam: Theology, Law and Social Practice, Sambhavana*, Edited Book, A Collection of Research Papers and Articles on Women, Khanin Medhi, Ninka Books, Chandmari, Guwahati-21, India, October 2024, pp.330-340

Invited talks

1. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam** delivered an invited talk entitled "Interfaces of History, Culture and Languages: India and Spain, Department of English and Modern European Language, University of Allahabad. December 19, 2024.
2. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam** delivered an invited talk entitled "तुलनात्मक साहित्य के अध्ययन की दृष्टियाँ: भारतीय और स्पेनी साहित्य (Insights on the Study of Comparative Literature: Indian and Spanish Literature), Department of Hindi and Modern Indian Languages, University of Allahabad. December 19, 2024.
3. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam** delivered a book talk entitled "Translating Eduardo Galeano into Hindi: A Cross-Cultural Exploration. Jindal School of Languages and Literature, O P Jindal Global University, Sonipat, Haryana. February 12, 2025.
4. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam** delivered an invited talk as part of a panel discussion on "Navigating the Complexities of Cultural Translation in a Globalised World: Balancing Linguistic Accuracy with Cultural Sensitivity in Diverse Contexts". Woxsen University, Hyderabad. March 26, 2025.
5. **Dr. Inamul Azad** delivered a Lecture as a Speaker in the "First Global Knowledge Forum" on the theme of "Harnessing Knowledge for a Sustainable and Innovative Future" in Indonesia virtually on January 21, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia

1. **Dr. Inamul Azad** presented a paper on "Engaging Language Learners through Interactive Digital AI Experiences" in the 3rd AELTE International Conference "Unlocking the Potential: Inspirational Practices in Language Pedagogy", School of Foreign Languages, Amasya University, Turkey, Virtually, October 18-19, 2024.
2. **Dr. Inamul Azad** presented a paper on "Empowering Arabic Language Mastery through Digital Platforms: Envisioning the Future of Education" in the ULEAD 2024 Annual Conference, School of Foreign Languages, Ankara, Turkey, virtually, September 27-28, 2024.
3. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam** presented a paper "Desembarcar en terreno desconocido: algunas experiencias de la enseñanza del español en un nuevo departamento de idiomas extranjeras en la India (Landing on uncharted waters: Some experiences of teaching Spanish in a new foreign language department in India) at First International Conference on the Learning and Teaching of Spanish as a Foreign Language (E/LE): Contemporary Challenges, Perspectives, and Experiences. The English and Foreign Language University (EFLU), Hyderabad, February 2025.
4. **Shivam Mishra** presented a paper, "The Role of AI in Identifying and Addressing Individual Learning Gaps in Foreign Language Acquisition". Two-day International conference on "The Future of AI in Foreign Language Education: Implications and Challenges, VIT AP, March 28-29, 2025.

Memberships in Professional bodies

1. **Dr. Inamul Azad**, Member of International Quranic Studies Association (USA), 8th Nov 2024 to 8th Nov 2025
2. **Dr. Inamul Azad**, Member of All India Association of Arabic Teachers and Scholars, from 1st Oct 2020, lifetime.
3. **Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam**, Member and Joint Secretary. *Asociación de Hispanistas de la India*.

BOS Details:

- Conducted a workshop for Syllabus Revision at the Department on March 5, 2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

SL.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	March 4, 2025	“Challenges and Opportunities of Teaching and Learning Foreign Languages in the Age of AI”	An expert talk at the Department of Foreign Languages Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi
2	March 5, 2025	Syllabus Revision	Syllabus revision at the Department of Foreign Languages Studies, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi

Events at the department:



A special talk by Dr G. Sushant on “Challenges and Opportunities of Teaching and Learning Foreign Languages in the Age of AI” on March 5, 2025



A special talk by Dr G. Sushant on “Challenges and Opportunities of Teaching and Learning Foreign Languages in the Age of AI” on March 5, 2025



During a special lecture on March 5, 2025



Syllabus revision at the Department on March 5, 2025

4.7.5 Department of Linguistics

Head: Prof. Vikram Visaji

Coordinator: Dr. Manjulakshi L

India has one of the world's oldest and richest linguistic study traditions. The rich multilingual situation of India provides both challenges and opportunities for a well-designed research and training programme in Linguistics/Language Sciences. The incredible 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. The justification for a systematic language study in India is scholarly and pragmatic regarding urgent regional, state, and national priorities. India faces many challenges in language education, both in mother tongues and second languages. 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 need 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 the adoption of techniques from natural language processing. Thus, India needs a trained workforce in different applied areas of Linguistics to meet society's present and future needs. The programme and courses offered by the Department of Linguistics at CUK are designed to address these issues in research and teaching.

The Department of Linguistics was established in 2013. It strives to solve linguistic problems in multilingual situations by exploring the history of languages and language families and the cases of language contact and convergence among them. Through research and practical training, the program trains young linguists in modern theories, methodologies, applications, and interdisciplinary studies. It fosters curiosity and interest in language, one of humanity's greatest treasures, and linguistics, one of India's oldest sciences.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ MA. In Linguistics (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Linguistics (6 Semesters)

MA Students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
Female	--	4	--	--	--	--	4

Ph.D. Students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Female	--	--	1	--	--	--	1

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Manjulakshi L	Assistant Professor	Descriptive Linguistics-(Phonology, Morphology, Semantics)Sociolinguistics, Translation Studies, Lexicography
Dr. Ankita Satapathy	Assistant Professor	Phonetics, Phonology, Morphology, Sociolinguistics, and English Language Teaching (ELT)
Dr. G. Anjaneyulu	Assistant Professor	Phonetics, Phonology, Morphology, Sociolinguistics, and English Language Teaching (ELT)
Dr. Mada Srilatha	Assistant Professor	Sociolinguistics, Semantics, Phonology, and English Language Teaching (ELT)

Visiting professors:

Name	Institute/University
Prof. Bhimrao Panda Bhosale	Department of Linguistics, CUK

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Veerayya Muthinamath

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles

1. Kota Sai Krishna, Dr P Asha Madhavi, **Dr. Mada Srilatha**, Exploring the Role of Emotional Intelligence in English as a Foreign Language Proficiency among Technical Graduates: A Co relational Study, *Library Progress International*, Vol. 44, July-December 2024, pp.722

Conference proceedings

1. **Dr. Anjaneyulu** Ghandapuram sent a paper on “Distinctive Grammatical Features of the Telugu Language: A Review,” organized by the English Teachers Forum-Bharat at A One-Day National Conference on Grammar Through Literature, at the Osmania University Centre for International Program, Hyderabad, Telangana, October 15, 2024.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote address/ Chaired the session:

- 1 Dr. Ankita Satapathy delivered an invited talk on “Munda Melodies: Discovering the Voices of India’s Linguistic Heritage” in the Online Refresher course at HRDC, Osmania University, Jan. 24, 2025.

- 2 Dr. Ankita Satapathy delivered an invited talk on “Field Linguistics and Sociolinguistics Documentation” at Lingua Fest 2k25 - Bringing language and culture together, EFLU, February. 27, 2025.
- 3 Dr. Manjulakshi L: delivered an invited talk on Sarvagnana Tripadiga Lalli jiivana mvolyaga Lu, in a national seminar, organized by Davanagere University, and chaired the session, February 20, 2025.
- 4 Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram invited and delivered a talk on “Structure of Language” as a Resource Person for the Two-Week Online Refresher Course on “English Language & Literature” organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, JNTU-Hyderabad, February 10-22, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr. Manjulakshi L:** participated in A three-day workshop by Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar, Subtitled/themed “*An Integrated Approach to Language studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi*” in Collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti. Organized by the Department of Linguistics, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka, February 12-14, 2025.
2. **Dr. Manjulakshi L.** Participated as a Volunteer to explain the models in Science Loka on the eve of 7th Bharatiya Samskruti, at Prakruti Nagar, Beeranalli Crorr, Sedam, Kalaburagi, January 29th - February 6th, 2025.
3. **Dr. Manjulakshi L** participated and presented a paper titled MahiLe Samanate Mattu B. R. Ambedkar in the Online National Level Conference on Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Philosophies and Social Transformation Movements, organized by the People’s Research Association in collaboration with the Center for Kannada Studies, Bangalore University, Bangalore, April 26th, 2025.
4. **Dr. Manjulakshi L.** Invited as a Resource person in the state-level Women's conference, organized by Akhila Bharatiya Sahitya Parishat, Karnataka, Dharmasthala, from October 24, 2024.
5. **Dr. Manjulakshi L.** Invited as a Resource person in Hyderabad Samsthanada Samskritika Parmpaare, organized by the Department of Kannada, CUK on March 20, 2025.
6. **Dr. Anjaneyulu G** and Manjulakshi L. “An Observation on the Pan-Indian Characteristics of Echo Word Formation and reduplication with special reference to Telugu and Kannada” in the National Seminar on “India as a Linguistic Area- A Revisit” Organized by the International School of Dravidian Linguistics in Collaboration with Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore, at V.I. Subramonian Memorial ISDL Complex, Thiruvananthapuram February 5-7, 2025.
7. **Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram:** Coordinator for - A Three-Day Workshop by Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar, Subtitled/ Theme “*An Integrated Approach to Language studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi*” in Collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti. Organized by the Department of Linguistics, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka, February 12-14, 2025.
8. **Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram** presented a paper on “Adjuncts in Telugu: An Systemic Functional Linguistic Study” in the 13th International Telugu Linguistics Conference, organized by the Department of Linguistics, Osmania University, Hyderabad, in collaboration with the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysuru, March 25-26, 2025.
9. **Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram** presented a paper on “A Study of Multilingualism and the Power of Language in Education” in the Two-Day National Seminar on Envisaging New Bharat: Educational Reforms and Indigenous Systems at Hotel Vivanta, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, June 8-9, 2024.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram	Completed UGC-Sponsored Faculty Induction Programme, Organized by MMTTC, Osmania University, from July 1-31, 2024.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR Major PVTGs 7/2024-25/ICSSR/RP/PVTGS/GEN	Language Maintenance through Music: A Transdisciplinary Approach for Collaborative Language Documentation of the Kutia-Kondh Tribe of Odisha	Dr. Ankita Satapathy (PD)	15 Lakhs	March 2025- March 27	Ongoing

International collaborations:

Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram: (Programme Coordinator) Collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti (Ministry of Education) - A Three-Day Workshop on Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar, Subtitled/ Theme “An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi” in Collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti. Organized by the Department of Linguistics, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka.

Memberships in professional bodies:

Dr. Manjulakshi L. Nominated as a Member of the Governing Council of ISDL, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Sangyan Rani Mahapatra	1811	NET	98.8656195	2705001715	17/10/2024
2	Kallakunta John Abhishek	4203050900	TS-SET	Qualifued	4203050900	2024
3	Satyapriya Raj Kumari	2705001741	NET	Qualified	2705001741	17/10/2024

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Chandrima Srkar	2023DLING001	Ph.D Scholar	IIT- Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat. Chandrima199cuk@gmail.com 6296097242	2024

Placement details

Sl. N.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/Y
1	Polkam Poojitha	2023PGLIN05	Research Intern	SMT Lab,---CSE Dept. IIT Madras, Chennai, working at ShivNadar University, Kalavakkam, Chennai	2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	12-14 February, 2025	“An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu, and Marathi”	A Three-Day Workshop by Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar, Subtitled “An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu, and Marathi” in Collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti. Organized by the Department of Linguistics, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka, from February 12-14, 2025.

BOS Details:

The BOS meeting was conducted on 10.05.2024 per the UGC norms at the department, CUK.

Memberships in professional bodies:

1. **Dr. Manjulakhhi L. I.** appointed as Member of the Board of Examination for the 2024-25 Academic Year at Kuvempu University, Shankaragatta, Shivamogga District, Karnataka
2. **Dr. Manjulakhhi L. I.** Member of the Board of Examination for the 2024-25 Academic Year at Kannada University, Kamalapura, Vijayanagara District, Karnataka
3. **Dr. Anjaneyulu Ghandapuram** appointed as a Board of Studies Member for the 2024-25 Academic Year at Visvesvaraya College of Engineering (Autonomous), Affiliated to JNTU- Hyderabad, Telangana.

Any other activity in the department:

1. Organized a Talk on “**Preserving Cultural Identity through Intercultural Exchange**” by Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam, Dept of Foreign Languages, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka.
2. **The Department of Linguistics** conducted a Field Visit on 05th April, 2025, at Kallabavi Tanda, Taluku-Chincholi, Kalaburagi District. A separate sheet is attached.

Events at the department:



Celebration of International Mother Language Day, February 21, 2025.



Celebration of International Mother Language Day, February 21, 2025.



A Three-Day Workshop on Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar on “ An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi” from February 12-14, 2025.



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana, Resource Persons and Participants of - A Three-Day Workshop on Bharatiya Bhasha Pariwar on “ An Integrated Approach to Language Studies: A Systemic Functional Description of Kannada, Telugu and Marathi” from February 12-14, 2025

4.7.6 Department of Music and Fine Arts

Head: Prof. Vikram Visaji

Coordinator- Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti

The Department of Music and Fine Arts, under the School of Humanities and Languages, is a new addition to the widening academic horizon of the Central University of Karnataka. Established in 2019, it offers Master's degrees in Music and Fine Arts.

The department provides training in Gharana-based classical music and semi-classical forms such as Thumri, Hori, and Dadra. It also offers a platform to learn native musical forms like Vachana, Dasavani, and folk traditions, emphasising narrative-based rendition and spirituality.

The art and technique of playing tabala from different Gharanas for solo performance and accompaniment techniques are taught in percussion. 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 and scope to creative rendition in the parallel jargon of percussion performance.

The department is committed to training in creative visual art, focusing on painting and sculpture. It provides a 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 trained students in human expressions, visual, and performing arts. It focuses on building artists with contemporary, classical, spiritual, and academic ascendancy.



Teaching Staff

Programmes offered:

- ❖ MPA Hindusthani Vocal
- ❖ MPA Tabla
- ❖ MVA. Painting (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Vocal, Tabla, Visual Arts (3 to 5 Years)

MVA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	--	--	--	--	--	1
Female	1	--	--	--	--	--	1

MPA Vocal students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	--	1	--	--	--	1
Female	2	--	--	--	--	--	2

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	1	--	--	--	--	2
Female	2	--	1	--	--	--	3

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Shivanand Bantanur	Assistant Professor	Fine Art (Drawing and Painting)
Dr. Jayadevi Jangamshetti	Assistant Professor	Hindustani Classical Vocal, Music Theory
Dr. Ravikiran Nakod	Assistant Professor	Tabala
Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar	Assistant Professor	Hindustani Classical Vocal, Music Theory

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Mr. Vinayakumar Rudraswamimath (Fine Art)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar.** Swadheenabhartrika Nayika from the Ashtanayika-s in the Compositions of Khayal Music: An Analytical Study. *Sangeet Galaxy e-Journal*, Vol. 13, No. 2, pp. 186–192, July 2024. ISSN: 2319-9695, UGC CARE.
2. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar.** Musical Analysis of Adaptation of Folk Music Form ‘Lavani’ in Contemporary Marathi Films. *Swar Sindhu*, Vol. 12, Issue 03, pp. 211–214, December 2024. ISSN: 2320-7175, UGC CARE.
3. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar.** Depiction of Ashtanayika-s in Khayal Bandish-es and Indian Miniature Paintings: An Interdisciplinary Comparative Study. *Sangeet Galaxy e-Journal*, Vol. 14, No. 1, pp. 149–158, January 2025. ISSN: 2319-9695, UGC CARE.
4. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** and Vidyashree Salimath (Research Scholar, Dept. of Music and Fine Arts, CUK). Techniques and Methods of Training and Tuning the Voice. *Naad Nartan: Journal of Dance and Music*, ISSN: 2349-4654, January 2025, UGC CARE.
5. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** and Prashant Kumar. Role of Contemporary Indian Visual Arts in Socio-Cultural Reality. *AnhadLok*, India. ISSN: 2349-137X, December 2024, UGC CARE.
6. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** and Prashant Kumar. Bhartiya Samakalin Kala ki Prayogatmak Disha. *Apni Mati*, Chittorgarh, Rajasthan. ISSN: 2322-0724, October 2024, UGC CARE.

Non-UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** Rashreeya Bhavaikyate: Sangeetada Patra. Article published in the prestigious journal *Hosatu Monthly*, Bengaluru. ISSN: 2319-7307, Issue 2024.
2. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** Vachana Sangeeta Yana. Article published in the prestigious journal *Hosatu Monthly*, Bengaluru. ISSN: 2319-7307, Issue – August 2024.
3. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** Pradarshanakale Mattu Madhyama. Article published in the prestigious journal *Hosatu Monthly*, Bengaluru. ISSN: 2319-7307, Issue – January 2025.
4. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** Impact of Transport Growth on Gharana Tradition: Specific Overview of Karnataka. *International Journal for Research Trends and Innovation* (Peer-reviewed, Refereed Journal). ISSN: 2456-3315, December 2024.
5. **Vinayakumar Rudraswamimath.** Wood Carvings of Three Gond Artists of Bijapuri No.1 Village. Proceedings of *Indian Art History Congress*, 31st Session of IAHC, Amarkantak. UGC Peer-reviewed. ISSN: 2454-8871, February 2025.
6. **Dr. Ravikiran Nakod.** Tabale ki Vibhinna Shailiya ka Sowdarya. *Shodhayan: An International Peer-Reviewed Research Journal Approved & Granted by ICSSR*, Vol. 45, Year 13. ISSN: 2249-7536 (Shodhayan/MPHIN32060/2015), October–December 2024.

Non-peer-reviewed Publications (articles in newspapers and others)

1. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar** contributed a Marathi article, “Sangeetatil Bhaav Japuyaa,” in the souvenir “Abhijaat Bhaaratiya Sangitaache Bhavitavya,” released at the 23rd Devagandharva Mahotsava organized by Kalyan Gayan Samaj, Mumbai, December 13-15, 2024.
2. **Dr Shivanand Bantanur**, V G Andaniyvara Kala Srushti, ISBN: 978934030808, Bayala Belaku, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, 2024.

Books authored

1. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** *Vachana Sangeetha Ratna: Pandit Siddarama Jambaladinni*. Research book. ISBN: 978-81-974541-8-9. Bhandara Prakashana, Maski, 2025.
2. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti.** *Nijada Belagina Naada*. ISBN: 819745416-7. Bhandara Prakashana, Maski, 2025.

Authored in book chapters:

Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar. Analytical Study of Changes in Teaching-Learning Hindustani Classical Music due to the Pandemic. In Akanksha Pal (Ed.), *Sangeet Sahitya Srijan*. Greater Noida: Disha International Publishing House. ISBN: 978-81-971092-5-6, July 2024.

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered an invited talk on “Women's Art Workshop” in Kannada at MMK College of Arts, Kalaburagi, on 1st May 2024
2. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered an invited talk on “On Landscape Painting” in Kannada at the Solo Art Exhibition by Kavithakate at Ankur Art Gallery, Kalaburagi, on 15 Dec 2024
3. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered an invited talk on “Observation on Development of Visual Arts” in the 87th Akhil Bharat Kannada Sahitya Sammelan, at Mandya on 20-22 Dec 2024
4. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered the Chief Guest Address on National Artist Camp at MMK College of Visual Arts, Kalaburagi, on 4th Oct 2024
5. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered a Resource person talk on “Scope of study on Contemporary Visual Art” in Kalyan Karnataka National Literary Festival at Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi on 17th Feb 2025
6. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered a Resource person talk on “Visual Art Literature and Criticism” at the Visual Art Dept, Kannada University, Hampi on 28th Dec 2024
7. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur** delivered the Book Release Speech on “Chitrakshara” written by Sri K V Subramanyam at Kalanekethan, Gajendragada on 14th April 2024.
8. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Classical Music Concert given in the International Hampi Utsav. Organised by Kannada and Culture, Govt of Karnataka, March 2025
9. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Classical Music Concert given in Krantiveera Sangolli Rayanna Utsav. Organised by Kannada and Culture, Government of Karnataka, January 2025
10. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Vachanagayana Music Concert given at Bangalore Utsav. Bangalore International Centre, Karnataka, August 2024.
11. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Classical Music Concert given in Shivaratri Sangeetotsav Organised by Shri Siddharoodha swami matha, Hubballi, Karnataka, February 2025
12. **Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Classical Music Concert given in 87th Akhil Bharat Kannada Sahitya Sammelan, at Mandya on 20-22 Dec 2024, organised by the Government of Karnataka
13. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar** was invited as a panellist for a session in the 3rd Annual Seminar on “Role of Science and Technology in Vikasit Bharat” at P. D. A. Engineering College, Kalaburagi, March 2025.
14. **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar** was invited as a speaker in a one-day national conference on “Indian Knowledge Systems in Music: Ancient, Medieval and Modern Perspectives,” organized by the School of Kalayoga, Chinmaya Vishwa Vidyapeeth in collaboration with Naad Nartan Journal of Dance and Music, Pune, March 10th, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti** Dharege Doddavaru - a paper presented in Vidyavardhaka Sangha Dharwad, Title Padmashree M Venkateshkumarra Sangeeta, November 2024
2. **Dr. Shivanand Bantanur**, “Modern and Contemporary Sculpture of Karnataka” at Baratiya Samskruti Utsav- 7 at Sedam, Kalaburagi Dist, January 30th, 2025
3. **Vinayakumar Rudraswamimath**, “Collection of depicted scenes from Mahabharata at Jayachamarajendra Chitrasala of Mysore from early 1942” at 32nd Session of IAHC Conference under the Theme “Rendering of Indian Epics in Art and Culture, Indian Institute of Heritage, Noida, February 2025.

Ph. D awarded:

Sl.No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status
1	Vidyashree Salimath	21DPMVO01	Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti	Contribution of Selected Veerashiva Lingayat Mathas of Karnataka to Music.	Submitted

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti	Refresher Course-(MMTTC) Organized by UGC Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Bangalore University, Bangalore, October 14-29, 2024.
2	Dr. Ravikira N Nakod	1. Completed the NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme Under Malviya Mission Teacher Training Program [MM-TTP] UGC Organized by Malviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab, during July 8-16, 2024. 2. Completed the NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme under Malviya Mission Teacher Training Program [MM-TTP] of the University Grants Commission UGC, organized by UGC MMTTC, University of Kerala, and Kariyavattom, Thiruvananthapuram, February 3-13, 2025.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR	Language Maintenance through Music: A Transdisciplinary Approach for Collaborative Language Documentation of the Kutia-Kondh Tribe of Odisha	Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar (Co-PI)	15 Lakhs	March 2025 to March 2027	Ongoing

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti	1. Best Playback Singer: Govt of Karnataka for Kannada Movie Raga Bhairavi January, 2025 2. Samskrutika Sangama: Award for Lifetime Achievement in Hindustani classical Music, (Dr. C Somashekhar – Shrimathi N Sarwamangala Sahitya Seva Pratishthana, Bangaluru) 2024
2	Vinayakumar Rudraswamimath	AIFACS Award 2024-25 for Graphics Print

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti, Rajyotsav Award Committee, Government of Karnataka.
2. Mr. Vinayakumar Rudraswamimath, Indian Art History Congress 2024-25.

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Summer Fellowships/Residency/Workshop:

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1	Sitanshu Mukherjee	01	Aaspada Art Space	Aaspada Art Space, Bengaluru	1 week
2	ShivaniRawat	02	Aaspada Art Space	Aaspada Art Space, Bengaluru	1 week

Awards and recognition (Academic)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Details of the award
1	Vidyashree Salimath	21DPMVO01	Kalashri- by Irakal Matha Raichur (Vocal)

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Nayana Baburao	21DPVAR01	Permanent TGT Art Teacher	Eklavya Model Recycleng School and College, Taruve, Karnata	02/09/2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Resource person
1	26/ 03/ 2025	Painting Demonstration	V B Biradar

BOS details:

- BoS of the department held on 18th June 2024 in virtual mode.

Any Other activity in the department:

- **Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar** accompanied four CUK students (Prameesha Sastry, BA History, Sem III; Divya, BBA, Sem III; Tarun Daga, BBA, Sem III and Nishant Saptal, Public Administration, PG Sem III) to participate in a 4-day SPIC MACAY regional convention for the Karnataka region between, where participants from all the higher educational institutes were invited. The team is immersed in learning music, dance, and Yoga, 17-20-2024.

Events at the Department:



Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and Dean SHL, with the team selected for SPIC MACAY convention. October 17, 2024.



Dr. Swapnil Chaphekar and Students at the SPIC MACAY convention, IIT Dharwad, October 19, 2024.

4.8 School of Life Sciences

Dean: Prof. N. Sathyanarayana

The School of Life Science at the Central University of Karnataka was established in the year 2019, with a vision to provide high-quality education and research. The school has been supported by the UGC Special Assistance Programme to maintain a high standard of teaching, training, and a cutting-edge research facility. The Department of Life Science is currently the only constituent of this school. The primary goal of the school is to generate and nurture highly motivated, skilled future-ready human resources (undergraduates, postgraduates, research scholars, and postdoctoral students) to address scientific challenges in the area of plant & animal health, agriculture, and the environment.

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4.8.1 Department of Life Science

Head: Prof. N. Sathyanarayana

The Department has a team of six faculty members with excellent research and teaching experience from recognized premier institutes across the world in frontier areas of biology. The Department faculties have earned several national and international distinctions in terms of fellowships, awards, and travel grants. The entire team is working towards disseminating knowledge among students with critical thinking and hands-on training to will help them lead their career path.

The Department of Life Science offers a four-year B.Sc. programme, a two-year M.Sc. programme, and a five-year PhD programme in Life Sciences. The Department offer **B.Sc. Life Science** undergraduate degree programme of either 3 or 4 years duration with or without research, as per the NEP guidelines. This programme would not only specializes students in the discipline (i.e. Life Science) but also expose them to a wide range of allied disciplines owing to the flexibility of choosing intra-disciplinary, inter-disciplinary, and skill-based courses, resulting into a holistic learning and training. The curriculum is designed to fulfill the significant knowledge areas of vocational, professional, and skill development. Upon completion of the courses, the students would be equipped with skills to take up either Plant or Animal Biology or continue further higher studies.

The M.Sc. programme is one of the most demanding courses offered by the Department. The first year includes common subjects such as biochemistry, cell biology and biodiversity and systematic, ecology and evolution, molecular genetics, plant and animal physiology, analytical techniques, and an ability enhancement course. The second year is focused on specialized training in **Animal Sciences** and **Plant Sciences** that covers all the frontier areas of plant/animal biology, including dissertation work in the last semester. The selection of specialization by students is based on the merit cum preference basis. Overall, all these courses offered by the Department will provide a platform for students to expand their knowledge and technical skills in the basic and applied areas of life sciences and motivate them to pursue higher studies both nationally and internationally.

The Department also offers Doctorate programme in Life Science is in the research thrust areas of the Department. Upon successful completion of the Ph.D. coursework of required credits as documented in the UGC regulations, the student, as per his or her research interest, would be attached with a research supervisor to submit his/her synopsis. Research scholars in the Department would carry out in-depth research in emerging areas of biological sciences with a prime focus on local, national,

and global issues to obtain scientific solutions. Students would have access to sophisticated instrumentation and state-of-the-art research facilities. The programme is designed to develop scientific thinking, a practical approach & innovation, and instill professional ethics and a spirit of service to society at large.

Department Facilities:

The Department is currently equipped with 3 research laboratories, 2 postgraduate teaching laboratories, 2 smart classrooms, and 1 seminar hall. Apart from this, basic research instruments such as refrigerators, -20 freezer, pH meter, water distillation unit, laminar air hood, water bath, tabletop centrifuge, incubator, inverted microscopes, the Department also possesses a MilliQ water purification system, -80 deep freezer, ice machine, and one refrigerated centrifuge & CO₂ incubator. The Department is in the process of establishing a state-of-the-art cell culture facility supported by the Higher Education Funding Agency (HEFA).

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Life Science (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Life Science (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Life Science (5 Years)

B.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	05	02	04	01	00	00	12
Female	06	14	04	00	00	00	24

M.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	13	10	03	01	00	00	27
Female	16	10	07	02	05	00	40

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	02	-	-	-	-	01	03
Female	02	-	01	02	01	-	06

Faculty Related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. N. Sathyanarayana	Professor	Plant Biotechnology and Clinical Ecology
Dr. R. Krishna Chaitanya	Associate Professor	Insect Molecular Biotechnology



Dr. Rakesh Kumar	Assistant Professor	Plant Development & Biotechnology
Dr. Kavishankar Gawli	Assistant Professor	Diabetes and Drug Discovery
Dr. Rasmita Samal	Assistant Professor	Animal Biotechnology and Disease Biology
Dr. Kavitha Y Hiremath	Assistant Professor	Cancer Biology

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual	Hourly Basis
Dr. Vimal Kishore	-

Non-teaching staff:

Sl.No.	Name	Regular/Contract
1.	Shwetha S Belagavi	Regular
2.	Malingaraya Awatageri	Contract
3.	Virendra Kumar Patil	Contract
4.	Kalavathi	Contract (Housekeeping)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/ UGC-CARE) with Impact Factor

1. Patrush Lepcha, Mahesh Sehkhari, Leelambika Murugesan, Mahammad Jaheer, Ratan Chopra, Vikas Belamkar, **Sathyanarayana, N.** *Association Mapping of Important Agronomic Traits in Mucuna Pruriens (L.) DC. Bot Stud* 65, 2024, 26. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s40529-024-00421-3> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 4.1)
2. Jitendra Kumar Shukla, Preeti Dhakal, Sandhya Thapa, Evanylla Kharlyngdoh, Sunil S. Thorat, Pardeep K. Bhardwaj, Sushil K. Chaudhary, **N. Sathyanarayana**, Vinod Singh Gour, Pulok K. Mukherjee. *Growth, Yield, and Metabolite Substantiated, Eco-Physiological Evaluation of Overcoming Accessional and Agro-Climatic Differences in Ex-Situ Raised Valeriana Jatamansi Jones*. At a lower altitude of the Sikkim Himalayan region, *Industrial Crops & Products* 207, 2024, 117730. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.indcrop.2023.117730> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 5.6)
3. **Kavishankar Gawli**. *Catechin Inhibits Glycosidases, Ameliorates Glucose Uptake, and Glut-4 Expression In 3T3-L1 Adipocytes*. *Nat. Prod. Res*, 2024, 1-7. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14786419.2024.2439007> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 2.1)
4. Bomireddy, D., Sharma, V., Gangurde, S.S., Mohinuddin, D.K., **Kumar, R.**, et al. Multi-Locus Genome-Wide Association Study Uncovers Genetics of Fresh Seed Dormancy In Groundnut. *BMC Plant Biology*, 24(1), 2024, 1-14. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12870-024-05897-6> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 4.2)
5. Gautam, A., Sharma, V., Chauhan, C., Thakur, A., Pandey, M.K., **Kumar, R.** Fortifying Crops with Micronutrients for Sustainable Global Nutritional Security. *Agronomy Journal*, 2024, e70086. <https://doi.org/10.1002/agj2.70086> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 2.0)

Conference proceedings:

1. Kavya Bojja, **Kavishankar Gawli**. Isoform-Specific AMPK Activation through Substituted Chalcone and Their Derivatives Against Type 2 Diabetes. *IDF 2025*, Bangkok.
2. Kavya Bojja. And **Kavishankar Gawli**. The Gut-Drug Axis: A Promising Avenue for Type 2 Diabetes Amelioration. International Conference on Pure and Applied Sciences, January 04-05, 2025. Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi.

3. **Kavishankar Gawli**. Secoisolariciresinol Diglucoside Enhances Glucose Uptake in Skeletal Muscle Cells Via an Insulin-And AMPK-Independent Pathway. ICABB 2024, Pune, India.

Authored in book chapters:

1. Kavya Bojja. And **Kavishankar Gawli**. *Universal Stress Proteins: A Lifeline for Microbes to Survive*. In *Microbial Stress Survival*. 9: 1-19. 2025. Elsevier Publications. ISBN: 9780443276224.

Invited talks:

1. **R.K. Chaitanya**, invited lecture on “Crafting a Compelling Scientific Review: Tips & Best Practices” as a part of Biotech Talk Series at Department of Biotechnology, Central Tribal University of Andhra Pradesh, 12th March, 2025
2. **R.K. Chaitanya**, invited lecture on “Harnessing Insect-Mediated Plastic Biodegradation for Sustainable Environment” in the two-day national conference cum workshop on Advances in Plant Science and Biotechnology for Sustainability at Central Tribal University of Andhra Pradesh, 27th - 28th February, 2025
3. **R.K. Chaitanya**, invited lecture on “Sustainable Living and Thinking: The Indian Way” in the International Conference on Translational Trends in Natural and Health Science at Central University of Punjab, Ghuddha, 4th-6th December, 2024
4. **R.K. Chaitanya**, invited lecture on “Transgenic Mice and Their Applications” in the One-day Seminar on Laboratory Animal Experimentation in Biological Sciences at Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi, 7th August, 2024
5. **Rakesh Kumar** delivered an invited talk on “Functional Genomic Approach for Decoding Traits in Groundnut” in the National Conference cum Workshop “Cultivating the Future: Advances in Plant Science and Biotechnology for sustainability 2025”, 27th – 28th February 2025, Central Tribal University of Andhra Pradesh, Vizianagaram, India.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. Alok Dubey and **Chaitanya, R.K.**, “Elucidating the Early Events of Plasmodium Transmission In *Anopheles Stephensi*”, at 1st Entomology Students Conclave (**ESC-2024**), February 21st – 23rd, 2024, organised by Entomological Society of India at UAS, GKVK, Bengaluru along with ICAR-National Bureau of Agricultural Insect Resources, Bengaluru, and ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi. GKVK, Bengaluru.
2. Vishnu Hari, Alok Dubey and **Chaitanya R.K.**, “Diet-Induced Gut Microbe Variation: Exploring the Thermoplastic Degradation Potential Of *Corcyra Cephalonica*”. Entomology Students Conclave (**ESC-2025**), March 15th – 17th, 2025, organised by the Entomological Society of India at Assam Agriculture University, Jorhat, Assam.
3. **Kavishankar Gawli**. Secoisolariciresinol Diglucoside Enhances Glucose Uptake in Skeletal Muscle Cells Via an Insulin-And AMPK-Independent Pathway. ICABB 2024, Pune, India.
4. Kavya Sritha Bojjaa, **Kavishankar Gawli**. Isoform-Specific AMPK Activation through Substituted Chalcone and Their Derivatives against Type 2 Diabetes. IDF 2025, Bangkok.
5. Kavya Bojja. And **Kavishankar Gawli**. The Gut-Drug Axis: A Promising Avenue for Type 2 Diabetes Amelioration. International Conference on Pure and Applied Sciences, January 04th – 05th, 2025. Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi.
6. Bhumireddy Sandhya and **Rasmita Samal** presented on the topic titled “Therapeutic Potential Of Ginger-Derived Extracellular Vesicles as Drug Delivery Nanocarriers”. Two days “International Conference on Pure and Applied Sciences”, January 04-05, 2025. Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi.
7. Bhumireddy Sandhya and **Rasmita Samal** presented a poster on the topic titled “Therapeutic Potential of Ginger-Derived Extracellular Vesicles as Drug Delivery Nanocarriers”. Three-day International conference “VESICON 2025” organized by the Indian Extracellular Vesicle Society (IEVS), March 11th – 13th, 2025, Mahindra University, Hyderabad.
8. **Rasmita Samal** has participated in the workshop titled “International Hands-On Training Workshop on Extracellular Vesicles Isolation and Characterization Using Nanoparticle Tracking and Digital PCR,” October 22nd – 24th, 2024. Apollo Hospitals Educational and Research Foundation (AHERF), Hyderabad.

9. **K.Y. Hiremath** “Mitigating Pollution using Biosurfactants and Nanotechnology”. Three-day International Conference on Pesticides and Related Emerging Organic Pollutants – Impact on the Environment and Human Health and Remedial Strategies, November 7th – 9th, 2024. East Point College of Engineering and Technology (EPCET), Bangalore-560049, India.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1.	Dr. Kavishankar Gawli	Refresher Course on ‘Research Methodology and Data Analytics’ University of Hyderabad from July 1-13, 2024
2.	Dr Kavita Y. Hiremath	Refresher Course in Life Sciences, Central University of Kerala, from January 20, 2025 to February 1, 2025.

Grants received:

Sl.No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Granted (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	DBT BT/NER/95/SP42533/20 21	The Chemical Ecology of High L-Dopa Containing Plants and their Interaction with Herbivores	Prof. N. Sathyanarayana	73,91,540/-	2021-2024	Ongoing
2	DHR-GIA F. No. R.11013/13/2023- GIA/HR	Identification and Characterization of Thermoplastic-Degrading Enzymes from the Stored Grain Pest, <i>Corcyra Cephalonica</i>	Dr. R. Krishna Chaitanya (PI)	45,05,280/-	2023-26	Ongoing
3	NBCC No./R & D Division/LOI/2024/11, Dated 27-11-2024	Impact Assessment of Water Bodies, Watershed Management, and Perennial Plantation Interventions on Sustainable Campus Development.	Dr. Kavishankar Gawli	1,21,20,000/- (University-level grant)	2024-2027	Ongoing
4	UGC-BSR No.F.30- 546/2021(BSR)- 29/07/2021	Biomolecule Characterization: Targets of Antidiabetic Interest.	Dr. Kavishankar Gawli	10,00,000/-	2021-2024	Completed
5	UGC-BSR No.: No.F.30-546/2021 (BSR)	Metabolomics Study of Leaf to Capture the Molecular Signatures, and Their Association with Fruit Metabolic Footprint in Tomato Novel NOR Mutants	Dr. Rakesh Kumar	10,00,000/-	2021-2024	Completed
6	UGC-BSR	Regulation of Sunshine	Dr. Rasmita	10,00,000/-	2021-2024	Complete



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	No.: No.F.30-546/2021 (BSR)	Vitamin on Megakaryocyte-Platelet System: Focus on Thrombosis	Samal			d
7	CUK -ACAD (CUK/ACAD-II/F-3787/29)	Microbial Lectin Screening for Sugar Specificity to Explore in Cancer Biology	Dr Kavita Y. Hiremath (PI)	1,50,000/-	2025-2026	Ongoing

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. Prof. N. Sathyanarayana, Life Member, International Society for Chemical Ecology
2. Dr. Kavishankar Gawli, Member, Endocrine Society, USA
3. Dr. Kavishankar Gawli, Member, International Congress of Comparative Endocrinologists, Canada
4. Dr. Kavitha Hiremath: Life Member in the Indian Science Congress Association (L43013)
5. Dr. Rasmita Samal: Life Member of Indian Extracellular Vesicles Society

Students Related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: PMRF/NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Kareti Kaveri	23PLIFE012	GATE	9208/168	BT25S71512252	2025
2	Shri Avantika J	23PLIFE028	GATE	4846/384	XL25S81308001	2025
3	Pratyush Kumar Sahoo	23PLIFE021	GATE	3489/429	XL25S86416114	2025
4	Aishwarya	23PLIFE002	KSET	188	117928295	2025
5	Avinash Bellad	23PLIFE004	KSET	182	117828436	2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Pruthviraj Tonnage	23PLIFE023	Faculty	Akash Educational Service Ph. No: 011-47623148 Package: 4.2 L/Annum	2025
2	Avinash Bellad	23PLIFE003	Associate Resource Person	Ajim Premji Foundation Koppala Block, Karnataka Ph: 8066144900 Package: 4.56L/Annum	2025

Departmental Activities

Events at the department:



MoU with Sharnbasva University, Kalaburagi



Cleaning drive on 24.09.2024



National Science Day 28/02/25



‘Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam’ 05/10/24



Interaction with Prof. K Muralidhar



Alumni Meet 11/03/25

4.9 School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies

Dean: Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi

School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies has been constituted as per Ordinance No.14 and Clause 15(5) (a) of the statute of Central University of Karnataka. School is recognized for its way of imparting Legal Education and the school is keen on investing in students' intellectual and personal development. The School aims to provide quality legal education in India. The school moulds its students through a combination of exposure to the advanced syllabus and faculty monitored participation in curricular and extra-Curricular activities. The school strives to work with an untiring commitment to the cause of rule of law and promotion of excellence in the realm of legal education in India. The School of Legal Jurisprudence Studies aspires to be a global center of scholarly excellence in the field of law and justice.

4.9.1 Department of Law

Head: Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi

The Department of Law was established in 2021 to set a new benchmark of excellence in higher legal education in India. The objective is to pursue steady steps toward excellence. To strive toward an acclaimed center of excellence in teaching and research in the field of legal studies and, to nurture students' talent and skills for their inclusive growth, to contribute to strengthening the rule of law.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ LL.M. (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. (3 Years)

LL.M students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	5	4	4	3	1	-	17
Female	9	5	1	1	-	-	16

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	4	1	-	1	-	7
Female	1	-	-	-	-	-	1

**Faculty related Information****Permanent faculty members:**

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi	Associate Professor	IPR, Constitutional Law, Criminal Law, Women and Child Laws, etc,
Dr. Anant D Chinchure	Assistant Professor	Cyber Law and Cyber Security, Intellectual Property Laws, Criminal Law, Corporate Laws and Constitutional Law
Dr. Renuka S Gubbewad	Assistant Professor	Constitutional Law, Criminal Law
Dr. Jayanta Boruah	Assistant Professor	Environmental Law, Humanitarian Law, Human Rights, Criminal Justice Administration, IPR, Space Law

Professor of practice

Name	Designation	Research Area(s)
Dr. Subhashchandra Rathod	Professor of Practice	Labour Law, Professional Ethics, Personal Laws, Jurisprudence.

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)	Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Peddagudi Saibabu, LDC (Regular)	3. Kashamma, Sweeper (Outsource)
2. Mallikarjun, Attendar (Outsource)	-----

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **Sarma, K. M. K. S., Kubakaddi, B. M., & Rajbhor, R. (2024).** A Comparative Study of Consumer Protection Legislations of India, China And United States of America in Context of E-Commerce. *Library Progress International*, 44(3), 25200–25208.
2. **Rajbhor, R., & Kubakaddi, B. M.** A Critical Analysis of Interstate Migrant Legislation in India, *Indian Journal of Politics and International Relations*, 2025, ISSN 0973-5011
3. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, National and International Perspective of Right to Privacy, Juni Khyat, *Marubhumi Shodh Sansthan*, 2024 ISSN 2278-4632 <https://www.rbhpsdungargarh.com/pages-about-prakashak.php>
4. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, National Education Policy, 2022 – Opportunities and Challenges, *Bhav Anubhand*, 2024 <https://ugccare.unipune.ac.in/Apps1/User/WebA/ViewDetails?JournalId=101002602&flag=Search>
5. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, New Criminal Laws – A brief Analysis, *Bhav Anubhand*, 2024 <https://ugccare.unipune.ac.in/Apps1/User/WebA/ViewDetails?JournalId=101002602&flag=Search>
6. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, Nationality, Movies and Music – The Study of Early Movies of Raj Kapoor, *Bhav Anubhand*, 2025, <https://ugccare.unipune.ac.in/Apps1/User/WebA/ViewDetails?JournalId=101002602&flag=Search>

7. **Dr. Renuka. S. Gubbewad**, Legal Liabilities of Artificial Intelligence: An Overview. *SDG Journal of Law and Sustainable Development*, ISSN: 2764-4170 <https://doi.org/10.55908/Sdgs.V12i8.3861>

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Pavankumar Sharma**, Fair use of Copyrights and Comparative Analysis of its Various dimensions in digital era, *Indian Journal of Law and Legal Research*, 2025 <https://www.ijlrr.com/post/fair-use-of-copyrights-and-comparative-analysis-of-its-various-dimensions-in-digital-era>
2. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Pavankumar Sharma**, Comparative Analysis of fair use of IPR and its various dimensions: An analytical approach, *International Journal of Law Management & Humanities* 2025 <https://doi.org/10.10000/IJLMH.119191>
3. **Dr. Renuka. S. Gubbewad**, Law Technology And Human Dignity: Shaping Rights, Respecting Digital Future, *International Journal of Innovative Science and Research Technology* ISSN No:- 2456-2165 <https://doi.org/10.38124/Ijisrt/25may1618>

Conference proceedings:

1. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Pavankumar Sharma**, National Conference on “Implementation of Indian Knowledge System (IKS) in Contemporary Legal Education” organised by Faculty of Law, University of Delhi in association with the Bhartiya Bhasha held on 19th & 20th April 2024. Title of the paper “Settlement of Dispute under Indian Knowledge System: An ancient approach”

Authoured in book chapters:

1. **Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi & Ms. Ragini Rajbhor**, Indigenous Environmental Practices and Disaster Risk Reduction: Harnessing Ancestral Wisdom for Cultivating Resilience, *The Just Transition: Navigating Change for a Sustainable Future*, EBH Publishers (India) Guwahti-1, ISBN 9789392038914
2. **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi, Dr. Nataraj B. Patted and Dr. Jagadish Biradar**, FAME Scheme Towards the Transformation of Electric Vehicles in India, *Vikasit Bharat@2047 way Towards Self-Reliance*, Samvit Prakasham & Media Pvt. Ltd., ISBN 978-81-976091-3-8
3. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, The Intersection of Human Rights with the Right to Privacy in Digital Era: Legal and Judicial Perspective. in Dr. Sandeep S. Desai, Dr. Anilkumar H. Hawaldar & Dr. Samina Nahid Baig (Eds) *A Journey from the First Generation to the Fourth Generation Human Rights – Conflicts and Issues emerging due to multiplication of Rights and future challenges*, KLS Belgavi 2024, ISBN 9788197887666
4. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Vana Ramanmurthy**, Legal Accountability vis-à-vis Users Responsibility in the Age of Social Media, In Dr. R. B. Konda and Dr. Maheshkumar (Eds) *Social Media and Society*, Lulu.Com USA 2024, ISBN 9781300897248
5. **Dr. Renuka. S. Gubbewad**, Economic Democracy and Social Justice in The Era of Globalization: Dr. B. R. Ambedkar’s Vision for Modern India and The World

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi**, delivered an invited on “Intellectual Property Rights” at the School of Law, BLDE (Deemed to be University) Vijayapur on 18th January 2025.
2. **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi**, participated as Resource Person in the Inauguration of Departmental Yoga Awareness Session held on 3rd September 2024.

3. **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi**, participated as Resource Person in the Orientation and common Course Registration Program held on 26th November 2024.
4. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, delivered an invited talk on “Plagiarism in writing and publishing legal research” in the Department of Law, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, August 26th, 2024
5. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, delivered an invited talk on Protection of Children from Sexual Offence act, 2012 (POCSO) at District Health and Family Welfare office, Kalaburagi December 20th, 2024
6. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure** delivered an invited talk on “Plagiarism” at Department of Legal Studies, University of Madras, Chennai, Tamil Nadu February 21st, 2025
7. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure** delivered a talk as Resource Person on “Journey as Student: Rights, Duties and Opportunities” at PDA College of Engineering, Kalaburagi April 4th, 2025
8. **Dr. Renuka.S. Gubbewad**, Invited Lecture “Copy Right Act 1957” at Nijalingappa Dental College, Kalaburagi 14th December 2024.
9. **Dr. Renuka. S.** Resource Person in Refresher Course “Gender Sensitization” On 28th April 2025 at Police Training College, Kalaburagi.
10. **Dr. Jayanta Boruah** chaired a session as a resource person and delivered a special lecture on Legal Pluralism and Tribal Autonomy in India with Special Reference to the Sixth Schedule in the Two-Day National Seminar on Vision Vikshit Bharat @ 2047: Constitutional, Legislative, and Judicial Reforms in India, organized by Department of Studies in Political Science, Vijayanagara, Sri Krishnadevaraya University, and sponsored by ICSSR on February 20th, 2025.
11. **Dr. Jayanta Boruah** delivered a Lecture on “Ensuring Equal Access to Justice through Legal Aid Cells: A Pillar of India’s Welfare State” in the Legal Aid Cell, Department of Law, Aligarh Muslim University, Malappuram on January 25th, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi and Mr. KMK Sekhar Sarma** presented paper on “The scope of Geographical Indications in the protection of Tribal Cultural Heritage” in two days National Conference on Viksit Bharat Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities' organised by Central University of Karnataka in association with ICSSR New Delhi on February 11- 12, 2025.
2. **Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi & Ragini Rajbhor** presented a paper at Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities on 11th & 12th February 2025, organised by Central University of Karnataka & ICSSR on “Forest Rights Act 2006: Balancing Cultural Continuity and Livelihood Protection in the face of conservationist Legislation in Kendrapara District, Odisha, India”.
3. **Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi & Ragini Rajbhor** presented a paper at “International Conference on Migrants and Displaced Persons: Protection of Human Rights and Challenges (Ad Meliora-6)” on May 8th – 9th, 2025, organised by Christ Academy Institute of Law in collaboration with HWPL on “Resettled Yet Rootless: A Case Study of Secondary Migration in the Aftermath of Climate Displacement in Coastal Odisha”.
4. **Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi**, presented a paper at the two-day National Seminar on “Vikasit Bharat@2047: way towards self Reliance” held on 17th to 18th September 2024.

5. **Arun Lagidi and Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi**, presented a paper at the 1st International Multi-Disciplinary Conference on Victimising the Victims: How India's Remission Policies Perpetuate Injustice in Heinous Crimes organized by Kristu Jayanti Law College, Bengaluru
6. **Arun Lagidi and Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi**, presented a paper at the International Virtual Seminar on Artificial Intelligence and Law: Navigating the Legal Landscape in the age of Artificial Intelligence organized by The Kerala Academy Law College in association with The Centre for Advanced Legal Studies and Research on 5th April 2024.
7. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, presented a paper on "The intersection of Human Rights with the Right to Privacy in Digital Era: Legal and Judicial Perspective". In NHRC, New Delhi sponsored One-day National Seminar on "**Human Rights**" October 26th, 2024. R. L. Law College, Belagavi
8. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Vana Ramanmurty**, presented a paper on "Legal accountability vis-à-vis users responsibility in the age of social media: A perspective" In ICSSR, New Delhi sponsored Two-day National Seminar "Artificial Intelligence, Social Media and Society" November 5th & 6th, 2024. V. G. College of Women, Kalaburagi
9. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Dr. Jagadish Biradar**, presented a paper on "Tribal empowerment with respect to the Kalyan Karnataka region". In ICSSR New Delhi sponsored Two-day National Seminar "Viksit Bharat through tribal empowerment harnessing the traditional wisdom, cultural heritage and entrepreneurial abilities" February 11th & 12th 2025, CUK Kalaburagi
10. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, presented a paper on "Reproductive rights of women and criminal law - An Overview of Legislative and Judicial Approach in Changing Society: A perspective" In Sixth International and Forty-Fifth All India Criminology Conference of the Indian Society of Criminology on "Trends in Crime Against Women And Children: Interventions For The Changing Society", 21st, 22nd and 23rd February, 2025 Department of Criminology, University of Madras
11. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure**, presented a paper on "Tourism and Geo-Tourism vis-à-vis Crime: Deviant Criminal Behaviour against Foreign Tourist – The State response for safe Tourism" In three-day International Conference sponsored by Anusandhan National Research Foundation, New Delhi on "Earth and Environment in Anthropocene (ICEEA-2025)", 5th 6th & 7th March, 2025. Department of Geology, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi
12. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Ms. Wasgha Shafkat**, presented a paper on "Protection of women and children under BNS, 2023: A Comprehensive Study" In one-day National Conference on "Legal Aspects of BNS and its Impact on Criminal Justice System", (Hybrid Mode) 21st March, 2025 *Saraswathy Law College, Tindivanam, Villipuram, Tamil Nadu*
13. **Dr. Anant D. Chinchure and Mr. Pavankumar Sharma**, presented a paper on "Dimensions of Forensic Science in Combating Crime and Criminal Behavior: An Analytical Approach" In three-day National Conference of Forensic Science on "Criminology and Forensic Science: Bridging Traditional and Digital Frontiers", April 7th to 9th, 2025 Shri Vaishnav Institute of Forensic Science Shri Vaishnav Vidhyapeeth Vishwavidyalaya, Indore
14. **Dr. Renuka. S. Gubbewad**, presented a paper on "Dr. Ambedkar's Vision Beyond His Constitutional Role- As An Economist, Social Reformer and Policy Maker" As Part of Ambedkar Jayanti Week 2025, The Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar Chair, Faculty of Law, SRM University, Delhi –NCR.

15. **Dr. Jayanta Boruah**, presented a paper on “Optimizing the Judicial Interventions in Harmonizing the Conflicting Personal Laws for preserving Indian Democracy” in the International Research Conference on the Role of the Law in Development and Democracy, 8th and 9th November, 2024, Faculty of Law, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1.	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi	Organized 7-Days Online Faculty Development Program from 27 th January to 2 nd February 2025
2.	Dr. Anant D. Chinchure	7-Days Online Faculty Development Program on “Empowering Innovations: Advancing Knowledge and Practices in Intellectual Property Rights” organised by Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi from 27 th January to 2 nd February 2025
3.	Dr. Renuka S Gubbewad	1 Days online FDP on Empowering Innovations; Advancing Knowledge and Practices in IPRs 27 th January to 2 nd February 2025. 2 International online FDP on “The Emerging Technology Trends; Shaping the futher of forensics”.1 st to 5 th August, 2024 organised by Department of Forensic Science, NFSU, Delhi Campus in association with IAF. 3 NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme under MM-TTP of UGC organised by IISC, BHOPAL, 15 th to 24 th July 2024. 4 5 th Edition Online Short-Term Course On Legal Aid And Allied Laws, Organised By Pro Bono India In Collaboration With Pro Bono Club, GNLU, Gandhinagar from march 1 st to 15 th march 2025.
4.	Dr. Jayanta Boruah	28 Day (Online) Faculty Induction Programme (Guru Dakshita) organized by Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC), Central University of Kerala from 19 th November to 12 th December,2024.

Grants received:

Sl. No. .	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR	Empowerment of Tribal and its Role in the Vision Vikasit Bharat@2047: A Study on Traditional Knowledge, Culture and Entrepreneurial Abilities Among Selected Tribal Communicates of Sothern States of Bharat. (Collabrative)	Dr. Basavaraj M Kubakaddi (Co-PI)	8,00,000	One Year	Ongoing

Industry collaborations:

Entered an MOU with Police Training College, Naganahalli, Kalaburagi on 21st March 2025.

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi, Life Member of All India Law Teachers Congress.
2. Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi, Member of Institute of Scholars.
3. Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi, Member, Karnataka State Law College Teachers Association.
4. Dr. Anant D Chinchure, Life Member of Professional Academic Bodies
5. Dr. Anant D Chinchure, Advisory Board Member of Professional Academic Bodies

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Marks	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1.	Vana Ramanamurty	23DPLAW002	UGC-NET (JRF)	204	1206001635	10/2024
2.	Ragini Singh	23PLAWM012	UGC-NET (Category 2)	180	2705001829	10/2024
3.	Hechu Bhagath	23PLAWM008	UGC-NET (Category 3)	160	KK08002902	02/2025
4.	Dimple Kumari	22PGLAW08	UGC-NET (Category 3)	158	BR05003168	02/2025
5.	Rohinth T	22PGLAW25	UGC-NET (Category 3)	164	TN02004813	02/2025

Summer internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1.	Amara Venkata Prathibha	23PLAWM001	Hon'ble Sri Justice K. Surender	High Court of Telangana	02/12/2024 to 17/12/2024
2.	Anish Shukla	23PLAWM002	Sudhir Kumar Shukla	Swargiya Kanhai Shukla Samajik Sewa Sanstan	02/12/2024 to 21/12/2024
3.	Bathranghok k lawriniang	23PLAWM004	Sharif Uddin	Shillong Law College	02/12/2024 to 20/12/2024
4.	Fathima Punakkal	23PLAWM006	Kamaluddin Ahmad	Kamal & CO. Advocates	09/12/2024 to 24/12/2024
5.	Gaddam Nikhil Kumar	23PLAWM007	M Mallasham Yadav	District Court, Peddapalli, Telangana.	03/12/2024 to 24/12/2024
6.	Hechu Bhagath	23PLAWM008	Principal	Seth Shankarlal Lahoti Law College	02/12/2024 to 21/12/2024
7.	Kavya T Kurup	23PLAWM010	Syam Mohan C.R Advocate	District Munsiff Court Kottarakkara	09/12/2024 to 23/12/2024
8.	Nikhil Kumar	23PLAWM011	Sudhir Kumar Shukla	Swargiya Kanhai Shukla Samajik Sewa Sanstan	02/12/2024 to 21/12/2024

9.	Ragini Singh	23PLAWM012	Principal	Sidhartha Law College	02/12/2024 to 17/12/2024
10.	Risa Nongrum	23PLAWM013	Sharif Uddin	Shillong Law College	02/12/2024 to 20/12/2024
11.	Rohit Kumar Yadav	23PLAWM014	Mr. Aswadhesh Kumar Pal	High Court, Allahabad	01/12/2024 to 30/12/2024
12.	Saranya Krishnan K	23PLAWM015	Syam Mohan C.R Advocate	District Munsiff Court Kottarakkara	09/12/2024 to 23/12/2024
13.	Siddhartha Chaudhary	23PLAWM016	J.P. Yadav	Arya Kanya Inter College New Hyderabad Lucknow	01/12/2024 to 15/12/2024
14.	Sreelakshmi R Nair	23PLAWM017	Arun Luckose Abraham, Advocate	High Court of Kerala	02/12/2024 to 18/12/2024
15.	Theertha	23PLAWM019	C. Saji Chandralal, Advocate	District and Sessions Court, Trivandrum	05/12/2024 to 26/12/2024

Placement details:

The course being professional in nature, all the students after passing of their post graduation will practice before the different courts.

Departmental Activities

Seminars/Webinars/Conferences/Workshops/Symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1.	5 th September, 2024	Online Lecture session on 'Validity Issue in the mixed Research'	Prof. R. Burke Johnson, Department of Professional Studies, University of South Alabama was invited as the resource person for an online lecture session on 'Validity Issue in the Mixed Research' which was organized by the Department of Law.
2.	20 th September, 2024	Prison Visit	The students of the Department of Law have visited the Prison in Kalaburagi.
3.	01 st October, 2024	Forensic Lab Visit	The 2nd Year LL.M students of the Department of the law have visited the Forensic Science Laboratory in Kalaburagi.
4.	4 th October, 2024	Online Lecture session on 'Explanatory Sequential Mixed Methods Research Design'	Dr. Mandy Archibald, Assistant Professor, University of Manitoba, Canada was invited as the resource person for an online lecture session on 'Explanatory Sequential Mixed Methods Research Design' which was organized by the Department of Law.
5.	4 th October, 2024	Online Lecture on 'Cyber Security'	Sri Venkata Bhairreddy, Senior Vice-President and Seasoned Professional QRC Assurance and Solutions was invited as the resource person for an online lecture session on 'Cyber Security' which was organized by the Department of Law.



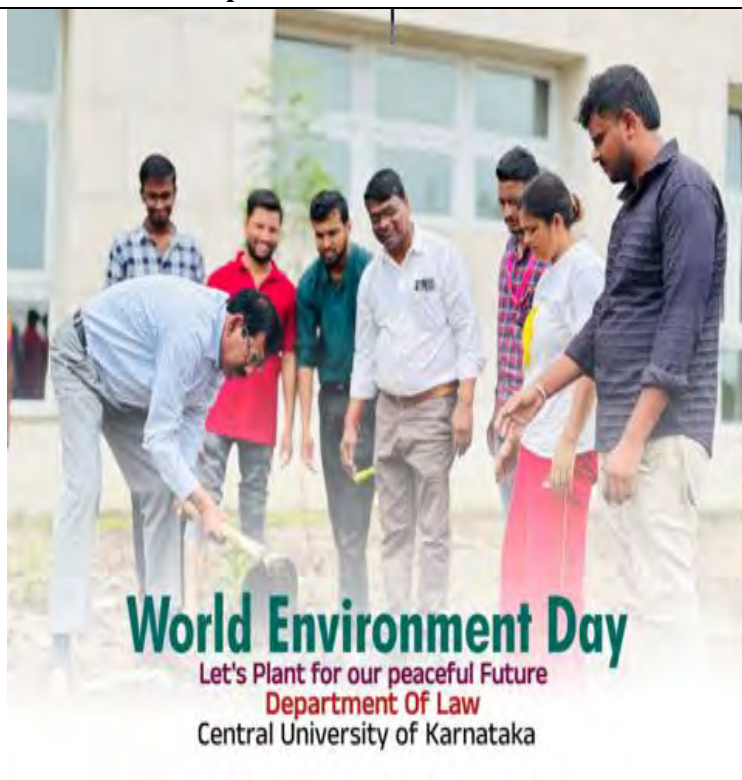
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6.	23 rd November, 2024	Conducted Extempore and Poster Making Competitions	On the occasion of Samvidhan Diwas – 2024, Department of Law has conducted Extempore and Poster Making Competitions in the university and prizes were distributed on the Samvidhan Diwas.
7.	25 th November, 2024	Organized Legal Awareness Programs	On the occasion of Samvidhan Diwas – 2024, Department of Law has organized Legal Awareness Programs at Chemistry, Tourism, Mathematics and History Departments.
8.	3 rd December, 2024	Celebrated National Advocates' Day	Commemorating the birth anniversary of Dr. Rajendra Prasad, India's first President and a prominent lawyer, Department of Law has celebrated the National Advocates' Day.
9.	6 th December, 2024	Observed Mahaparinirvan Diwas	On the day of Mahaparinirvan Diwas, students and faculty of the Department of Law has paid tributes to Dr. Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar.
10.	16 th December, 2024	Webinar on 'Asaadharana Vyavahara Matrukaa of Mitakshara'	The Department of Law has organized a webinar in association with the Vijnaneshwara Pratisthana Trust and Karnataka State Law University. The webinar covered the topic – <i>'The Smritis as a representation of social organization. Living tradition & perspective of Dharma Shastra to protect well-being of Dharma'</i>
11.	17 th December, 2024	Webinar on 'Asaadharana Vyavahara Matrukaa of Mitakshara'	The Department of Law has organized a webinar in association with the Vijnaneshwara Pratisthana Trust and Karnataka State Law University. The webinar covered the topic – <i>'Adverse Possession and other principles related to property'</i>
12.	18 th December, 2024	Webinar on 'Asaadharana Vyavahara Matrukaa of Mitakshara'	The Department of Law has organized a webinar in association with the Vijnaneshwara Pratisthana Trust and Karnataka State Law University. The webinar covered the topic – <i>'Hierarchy of courts under Dharma Shashtram, disputes affected by various factors, principles related to lost/stolen/found properties'</i>
13.	17 th January, 2025	Special Lecture on 'Socio-Economic Offences and the Law in India'	Dr. Bijoy Sharma, Assistant Professor, VIT School of Law was invited as the resource person to deliver a special lecture on 'Socio-Economic Offences and the Law in India' organized by the Department of Law.
14.	23 rd January 2025	Special Talk on Parakram Diwas	Commemorating the birth anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose, Department of Law has celebrated the Parakram Diwas and paid tributes to Subhash Chandra Bose. Dr. Shiva, Assistant Professor, Department of Tourism was invited as a guest speaker to the program.
15.	27, Jan 2025 to 02 Feb 2025	National Online Faculty Development Program on Intellectual Property Rights	The Department of Law organized a week long National Online Faculty Development Program on Intellectual Property Rights
16.	22 nd February	Study Visit	Students along with the faculty of the Department of Law went for

	2025		a study tour & library visit at Vijnaneshwara Pratishthana Trust, Maratur.
17.	22 nd March, 2025	International Webinar on 'Identifying Variables in Hypothesis and Testing'	Dr. Rhea Roy Mammen Post - Doctoral Fellow, Van Vollenhoven Institute, Leiden University & Director, Jusfocus Research Institute, The Netherlands was invited as the resource person for the International Webinar on 'Identifying variables in hypothesis and testing' which was organized by the Department of Law.
18.	29 th March 2025	International Webinar on 'Influence of Emerging Technologies on the Enforcement of the Law'	Dr. Bhavna Mahadev, Lecturer of Law, University of Technology, Mauritius was invited as the resource person for the International Webinar on 'Influence of Emerging Technologies on the Enforcement of the Law' which was organized by the Department of Law.

Alumni activity: Organized Alumni Meet on March 12th, 2025

Events at the department:





4.10 School of Media Studies

Dean: Prof. R. S. Hegadi

The School of Media Studies is one of the youngest schools of the university, established in the year 2021. Presently, it has only one department under its wing, and two more departments are in the pipeline. The school has established a studio for television and news production. Besides that, the Video Editing Lab is well equipped with Workstations and Professional Software such as Adobe Creative Cloud. The Department of Mass Communication and Journalism is equipped with high-end video cameras and audio recording devices. The faculty members in the school are well-trained in both academia and industry, and they are approachable, dynamic, and enthusiastic in giving quality training in media education.

School of Media Studies

- Department of Mass Communication and Journalism

4.10.1 Department of Mass Communication and Journalism

Head: Prof. R. S. Hegadi

Coordinator: Dr. Deepthi

The Department of Mass Communication and Journalism 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 Mass Communication and Journalism focusing on professional development with skill-oriented courses, industry-based training, and research. The Ph.D. programme in Media Studies, started in the year 2021, is designed to enhance knowledge and understanding through the development of concepts, ideas, and scientific theories in the field of mass media. 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.



Programmes offered:

- ❖ MA in Mass Communication and Journalism (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Media Studies.

MA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	5	8	1	1	0	1	16
Female	7	18	3	0	2	0	30

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	3	-	1	-	-	-	4
Female	2	1	2	-	-	-	5

Faculty-related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Deepthi	Assistant Professor	Film Studies, Community Communication, Gender & Media
Dr. K. Karthik	Assistant Professor	Communication for Development, Health Communication, Visual Culture, Film Theory, and Audio Visual Production.

Dr. Oinam Bedajit Meitei	Assistant Professor	Film and Television Studies, Cross-Cultural Communication, Visual Culture, Print Production.
Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal	Assistant Professor	Journalism, Television Production, Gender Studies, Social Media, Health Communication, Designing for Print Media.

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Nikhil Kivade, Technical Assistant (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. **R. R. Sonowal**, and A. Newme, Communicating the Global Pandemic: A Comparative Analysis of the News Portals on “COVID-19”, *Cuestiones de Fisioterapia*, Feb, 2025, Volume 54, Issue 3, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.48047/fkn33y19> (Scopus).
2. CA Pawan, KD Dilip, and **OB Meitei**, Thematic Mapping and Network Dynamics of Media Literacy Post-2000: A Bibliometric Analysis, *Journal of Media and Communication*, 2024, 8(1): 85-103. (UGC-CARE)
3. D.D. Kamble, and **O.B. Meitei**, Individualization and Sexuality of Aging Women in Contemporary Women’s Cinema of Bollywood. *Indian Journal of Health, Sexuality and Culture*. 2024; 10(2): pp.77-84. DOI: 10.5281/zenodo.14842082 (UGC-CARE)
4. **Deepthi** and **K. Karthik** (2024). Muslim Women Representation in South Indian Cinema: An Analysis of Positive Character Traits. *Pragyaan: Journal of Mass Communication*. 22(1). pp 1-6. ISSN: 0974-5521. (UGC-CARE)

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal participated as a Resource Person for the Plenary Session on, “Digital Media Representation EDI (Equality, diversity and inclusion)”, during the Two day International conference on “Diversity and Representation in Media & Society”, Organised by Reva University, Bengaluru, India and South Asian Communication Association, on November, 13th-14th, 2024.
2. Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal chaired a session in the Two Days International E-Conference on Bridging Realms: Exploring Intersections in Humanities and Social Sciences organised by New Literary, An International Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Humanities in collaboration with the Department of History, Humanities and Society, University of Rome, Tor Vergata, Italy & Department of English, Central University of Karnataka, on October, 4th-5th, 2024.
3. Dr. Oinam Bedajit Meitei participated as a Resource Person for the Plenary Session on Indigenous Governance: A Theoretical Framework, during two day ICSSR-sponsored national seminar on Trajectories of Indigenous

Administrative Practices in India: A Road Ahead for Academia and Practices, organized by the Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, on March, 20th-21st, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. Mr. Shabarish K B and **Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal**, “The impact of Video-Reel Allusions to Abusive Substances on Social Media”, in National Conference on Well-Being and Mental Health, organised by the Department of Liberal Arts, Indian Institute of Technology, Bhilai, on March, 21st-22nd, 2025. (National)
2. Ms. Noorul Hidayat P.K., Ms. Abhaya Vilsan, and **Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal**, "Emergence of Screen-Life In Indian Cinema: A Post-Pandemic Analysis of Ç U Soon”, in International Conference Rethinking Research: Uniting Arts, Science & Social Enquiry, organized by the Kerala University, Research Students' Union, 2023-2024, in collaboration with IQAC, University of Kerala, on March, 18th, 2025. (International)
3. Amritha Balakrishnan and **Karthik K.**, “Towards Menstrual Equity? An Analysis of Contemporary Print Materials on Menstrual Health in India” paper presented at the International Conference on Innovative Paradigms in Communication & Media: Bridging the Global Perspective organised by Centre for Journalism and Mass Communication, Visva- Bharati: A Central University and an Institute of National Importance, Shantiniketan, West Bengal on January, 7th-9th, 2025. (International)
4. **Deepthi** and **Karthik K.**, “Construction and Representation of Homosexuality in Contemporary Malayalam Cinema” paper presented at the International Conference on Innovative Paradigms in Communication & Media: Bridging the Global Perspective organised by Centre for Journalism and Mass Communication, Visva- Bharati: A Central University and an Institute of National Importance, Shantiniketan, West Bengal on January, 7th-9th, 2025. (International)
5. **Karthik K.** and **Deepthi**, “Digital Media, Health Information, & Democratization: Negotiating Health & Fitness on YouTube” paper presented at the International Conference on Innovative Paradigms in Communication & Media: Bridging the Global Perspective organised by Centre for Journalism and Mass Communication, Visva- Bharati: A Central University and an Institute of National Importance, Shantiniketan, West Bengal, on January, 7th-9th, 2025. (International)
6. **Dr. Oinam Bedajit Meitei**, “Narrative Framework of Communicating Identity of Male Sex Worker in Indian Web Series Tribhuvan Mishra CA Topper” paper presented at a ICSSR sponsored Three-Day International Conference on Bodies across Boundaries: Representing Human Trafficking, and Sex Works in Contemporary Indian Films and Media organised by the Manipal Institute of Communication, MAHE, Karnataka on October, 24th-26th, 2024. (International)
7. Mr. Shabarish K B and **Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal**, “A Study on Mari Selvaraj’s Films: Iyothetheasariyam Folklore Analysis in Tamil Songs”, in the Two Days International E-Conference on Bridging Realms: Exploring Intersections in Humanities and Social Sciences, organised by New Literary, An International Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in Humanities in collaboration with the Department of History, Humanities and Society, University of Rome, Tor Vergata, Italy & Department of English, Central University of Karnataka, India. on October, 4th-5th, 2024, (International)

8. Mr. Shabarish K B and **Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal**, “The influence of Indian Knowledge System(IKS) in Digital Story Telling of Anime: An outlook from Buddhist Philosophy”, in ICSSR sponsored Two-Day Multidisciplinary National Conference on 'Viksit Bharat@2047: Digital Transformation and Media Convergence for Transforming India' jointly organized by Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Tumkur University, Indian Communication Congress (ICC) and Karnataka State Journalism and Communication Teachers' Association (KSJCTA) at Sir M. Visvesvaraya Auditorium, Tumkur University, Karnataka, on July, 19th-20th, 2024, (National).

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Oinam Bedajit Meitei	UGC, Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Gauhati University, Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on Climate Change and Sustainable Development during the period from 28/08/2024 to 13/09/2024
2	Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal	UGC, Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Student Diversity & Inclusive Education was designed, developed, and conducted by the Department of Education, Shivaji University, Kolhapur during the period from 26/08/2024 to 31/08/2024
3	Dr. K. Karthik	UGC, Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, University of Kerala, Trivandrum, Online Refresher Course on Women's Studies and Women's Empowerment (multidisciplinary) from 04/12/2024 to 17/12/2024.

Memberships in professional bodies

Dr. Deepthi

1. Member of International Association of Media and Communication Research (IAMCR) - Membership No: 12053

Dr. K. Karthik

1. Member of International Association of Media and Communication Research (IAMCR)- Membership No: 2758

Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal

1. Member of International Association of Media and Communication Research (IAMCR)- Membership No: 12702
2. Member of Association for Asian Studies - Membership No : 447570
3. Member of The Association for Women in Communications, USA - Membership No : 1004222
4. Member of Life Member of Unity Education Foundation, India
5. Life Membership of the Indian Academic Researchers Association, India

6. Member of South Asia Communication Association (SACA)
7. Member of American Communication Association, USA - Membership No : U03TSRETJC

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Mr. Akhil S	2801002550	NET-JRF	142	240510393467	06/2024

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	University/Institute	Duration
1	Abhinandh Viswam	22PGMCJ01	Digital Bricks VFX Studio, Kochi	May - June 2024
2	Akanksha Roy	22PGMCJ02	Pasay Invento, Pune	May - June 2024
3	Ansila A P	22PGMCJ03	Snakeplant PR and Marketing LLP, Kochi	May - June 2024
4	Anwaya P S	22PGMCJ04	India Today, Bangalore	May - June 2024
5	Arunima P	22PGMCJ05	Azura Creative Studio, Cochin	May - June 2024
6	Aswini T M	22PGMCJ06	K2 Communications, Bangalore	May - June 2024
7	Bandaru Rama Vinay Kumar	22PGMCJ07	ABN Telugu, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
8	Ch Suresh	22PGMCJ08	NTV, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
9	Divya P	22PGMCJ09	InFocus Media Solutions, Cochin	May - June 2024
10	Joan Jose S	22PGMCJ10	Chameleon Advertising, Thiruvananthapuram	May - June 2024
11	Kesav Gopan	22PGMCJ12	Amrita Television, Thiruvananthapuram	May - June 2024
12	Navya Suresh	22PGMCJ14	Adsflo Worldwide Pvt.Ltd, Kochi	May - June 2024
13	Nitish Kumar Dhonge	22PGMCJ15	Faculty Media and Research, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
14	Muhammed Ihjas Kp	22PGMCJ16	Powerdrift Studios Pvt. Ltd, Pune	May - June 2024
15	Rosali Ghosh	22PGMCJ18	Times of India, Noida	May - June 2024
16	Salini S J	22PGMCJ19	Tenpoint Media Pvt. Ltd. Kochi	May - June 2024
17	Sandra K	22PGMCJ20	Sequence Communication Pvt. Ltd., Kochi	May - June 2024

18	Shibangi Biswas	22PGMCJ21	Foresight Advertising, Pune	May - June 2024
19	Shubham Kumar	22PGMCJ22	MMAG Creative Agency, Pune	May - June 2024
20	Sona Sunil	22PGMCJ23	Times of India, Bangalore	May - June 2024
21	Sreelakshmi K N	22PGMCJ24	Oglivy & Mather Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore	May - June 2024
22	Suguna Pudu	22PGMCJ25	Teal Films, Mumbai	May - June 2024
23	Utlavavya	22PGMCJ27	V3 News, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
24	Abhimanyu P	20PGJMC01	Deshabhimani Malayalam Daily, Kochi	May - June 2024
25	Abhaya Vilsan	23PMASS001	Tenpoint Media Pvt. Ltd., Thiruvananthapuram	May - June 2024
26	Aiswarya U	23PMASS002	Accurate Media, Kochi	May - June 2024
27	Akhil. S	23PMASS003	Integrated Brand Comm Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore	May - June 2024
28	Akshara P	23PMASS004	Mathruboomi TV, Thiruvananthapuram	May - June 2024
29	Ananya Bhattacharyya	23PMASS005	Radio Mirchi, Guwahati	May - June 2024
30	Avandhik S Ashok	23PMASS006	Artmonks Creative Monastery, Bangalore	May - June 2024
31	Badhavath Srikanth	23PMASS007	V5 News, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
32	C B Binitha	23PMASS009	Watercolor Productions LLP, Ernakulam	May - June 2024
33	Giri Pooja Vitthal	23PMASS011	Giri Media Services Pvt. Ltd, Nashik	May - June 2024
34	Hariraj K K	23PMASS012	The Cue, Kochi	May - June 2024
35	Harisanth K	23PMASS013	The News Minute, Bangalore	May - June 2024
36	Jilakara Ashwini	23PMASS014	eDigital Consultants, Hyderabad	May - June 2024
37	Muhammed Riyasudheen. A.P	23PMASS016	Quikoo, Perinthalmanna, Malapuram	May - June 2024
38	Noorul Hidayat P. K	23PMASS017	Kochi Cable Vision, Kochi	May - June 2024
39	Roshan Tony	23PMASS021	Mathruboomi Newspaper, Kozhikode	May - June 2024
40	Sandeep. P	23PMASS022	Capio, Calicut	May - June 2024
41	Shibila	23PMASS023	Beeka Ads, Kochi	May - June 2024
42	Shilpa Sudharman	23PMASS024	PR 360 Degree, Kochi	May - June 2024
43	Shubhangi Chowdhury	23PMASS025	PromotEdge, Kolkatta	May - June 2024
44	Shubhangi Sharma	23PMASS026	The Brand Exact, Noida	May - June 2024
45	Soumya K Sivan	23PMASS027	Concept Public Relations India Ltd, Kochi	May - June 2024
46	Thulasi. K	23PMASS028	Mathruboomi TV, Kochi	May - June 2024
47	Vanamolla Mallesh	23PMASS029	NTV, Hyderabad	May - June 2024



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48	Veerapureddy Sai Deeksha	23PMASS030	Vaisa Ad Agency, Cuddapah	May - June 2024
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Awards and recognition (Co-curricular) (including Ankur)

S. No	Name	Registration Number	Details of the award
1	Ms. Devi Santhosh	24PMASS007	The Goal-Keeper of the Kerala Women's Water Polo Team Won the GOLD at the 38 th National Games in Uttarakhand on February 4 th , 2025 after defeating Maharashtra.

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

S. No	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ms. Padmaja P G	24DMED1002	Ph. D. Scholar	Central University of Karnataka	11/01/2025

Placement details

S. No	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ms. Swathi Krishna RK	21PGJMC29	Associate Consultant	Star Squared PR, Bangalore	05/02/2025
2	Ms. Anwaya PS	22PGMCJ04	Content Writer & Video Presenter	CINEMA PRANTHAN, Kochi, Kerala	27/11/2024
3	Mr. Rasuri Shiva Kumar	21PGJMC19	Associate in Digital Communications	Amplify Insights, Hyderabad	19/10/2024
4	Ms. Shibhangi Biswas	22PGMCJ21	Content Writer	Dwij Media, Pune	01/10/2024
5	Ms. Divya P	22PGMCJ09	Content Writer	Apsensys Media, Bangalore	30/09/2024
6	Ms. Sreelakshmi K N	22PGMCJ24	Copy Writer	Sunny Side Up Advertising (I) Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore	02/09/2024
7	Ms. Sandra K	22PGMCJ20	Business Development Executive	Sequence Communication Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore	19/08/2024
8	Mr. Harshavardhan A	21PGJMC10	Content Writer	Innovkraft Inc., Bangalore	05/08/2024

9	Ms. Veshali Dhanik	21PGJMC30	Content Writer	Degree 360 Solutions Pvt. Ltd, Delhi	02/08/2024
10	Ms. Akanksha Roy	22PGMCJ02	Content Writer Intern - Video & Production House	Pasay Invento, Pune	29/06/2024
11	Mr. Ajay Baby	21PGJMC01	Video Editor	International Knowledge Academy Private Limited, Bangalore	03/06/2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	04/11/2024	Debunking Misinformation	Dr. Jawed Akhtar, GNI India Training Network Trainer, was invited as a resource person for the workshop organized by the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, School of Media Studies, Central University of Karnataka. (Convenor:Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal).

BOS details: Board of Studies (BoS) meeting was held to revise the Syllabus of MA-Mass Communication and Journalism Programme in circulation mode, and proceedings were approved on July, 5th, 2024

Alumni activity: Alumni Meet 2025 was organised by the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, School of Media Studies, Central University of Karnataka on March, 11th, 2025.

Events at the department:



Fresher's Day on 6th September, 2024



Seminar on Debunking Misinformation organized on 4th November, 2024



Alumni Meet on 11th March 2025.

4.11 School of Physical Sciences

Dean: Dr. Bharat Kumar

The 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 Mathematics and Physics at the undergraduate and postgraduate 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 Mathematics and Physics. 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 Ph.D. degrees.

School of Physical Sciences

- Department of Mathematics
- Department of Physics

4.11.1 Department of Mathematics

Head: Dr. G Janardhana Reddy

The Department of Mathematics was established in 2012 as a constituent of the School of Physical Sciences. Mathematics is important for all the departments of CUK. The Department of Mathematics shares the vision of our University in striving for excellence in teaching and research. Currently 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 UG, PG & PhD courses in Mathematics. The curriculum of UG and PG programs are designed in a unique way to nurture future industry professionals and scientists. The frontier areas of research of the department include Fluid Mechanics, Number Theory, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Numerical Analysis, Functional Analysis, Fixed Point Theory, Modular Forms, Theory of Hydrodynamic Stability and Mathematical Theory of Control. The laboratories in the Department and the computer centre are equipped with modern facilities to provide a good work environment. The students are trained in several computer programming languages like C, C++, and FORTRAN. They also gain exposure in handling problems through mathematical software's like MATLAB, Mathematica, Python, Scilab, Maple, R etc.

The academic programmes of the Department are designed to attract motivated and talented students to the master's and doctoral programmes of the Department. The faculty strives to provide a stimulating learning environment for the undergraduate, post graduate and doctoral students of the Department. To meet these objectives, the Department is setting up excellent computer facilities, library facilities and also provides good administrative support.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Tech. in Mathematics and Computing (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Mathematics (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Mathematics

B.Tech. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	24	14	9	0	6	0	53
Female	10	2	1	0	1	0	14

M.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	7	4	3	0	2	0	16
Female	24	15	5	2	2	0	48

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	4	1	1	0	0	0	6
Female	0	2	1	0	0	0	3

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. G Janardhana Reddy	Associate Professor	Finite Difference Methods, CFD, Theory of Hydrodynamic Stability and Mathematical Theory of Control
Dr. N. Sandeep	Associate Professor	Flow and Heat transfer Analysis of nano and hybrid nanofluids, Biofluid dynamics.
Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem	Assistant Professor	Numerical Analysis, Fuzzy and Fractional Differential Equations
Dr. Ranganatha D.	Assistant Professor	Theory of Partitions, q-Series, Special Functions, Ramanujan's Mathematics, and Number Theory
Dr. Sumukha S	Assistant Professor	Analytic Number Theory, Modular Forms
Dr. Samir Kar	Assistant Professor	Fixed Point Theory, Functional Analysis

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Devika Dabke
Dr. Megha Khandelwal
Dr. Suresha S P

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
Mr. Shashikanth (Senior Technical Assistant)
Mr. Ashwin Kumar (Lab Attender)
Nimbemma (Sweeper)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Rathore N., Kumar K.A., **Sandeep N.**, Analysis of Nano models for Nanofluid Flow over a curved Region with MXene (Ti₃C₂), *Journal of Thermal Analysis and Calorimetry*, 2025, 150 (3), pp. 1711 - 1718. DOI: 10.1007/s10973-024-13916-9 (SCI, IF: 3.0)
2. Gayathri P., Nithyadevi N., Sathyasri K., **Sandeep N.**, Impinging Flow of a Special Third-Grade Nanofluid Streaming Over a Porous Receding Sheet Using the Tri-Temperature Model, *Pramana - Journal of Physics*, 2024. 98 (4), Art. No. 132. DOI: 10.1007/s12043-024-02802-6 (SCI, IF: 1.9)
3. Ashwinkumar G.P., Ranjana B., **Sandeep N.**, Sulochana C., Transpiration Effect on magneto-flow of ternary Hybrid nanofluid above an exponentially elongating sheet, *Numerical Heat Transfer, Part B: Fundamentals*, 2024, In Press. DOI: 10.1080/10407790.2024.2361127 (SCI, IF: 1.7)
4. Atul Dixit, **Sumukha Sathyanarayana**, N Guru Sharan On a function of Ramanujan twisted by a logarithm, accepted for publication in *Ramanujan J.*, 2025, [https://doi.org/ 10.1007/s11139-025-01125-3](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11139-025-01125-3) (SCI, IF:0.7)
5. Atul Dixit, **Sumukha Sathyanarayana**, N Guru Sharan, Mordell-Tornheim zeta functions, Hurwitz lift and functional equations for Ishibashi-Herglotz functions, *Adv. Math.*, 473, **2025** 11030. (SCI, IF: 1.7)
6. Channabasavayya and **Ranganatha D.**, On a generalization of vanishing coefficients in two q -series expansions, *J. Ramanujan Math. Soc.*, 2024, 39 (2), pp. 187-192 (SCI, IF: 0.26)
7. **Ranganatha D.**, Channabasavayya, and G. K. Keerthana, On some new arithmetic properties of certain restricted color partition functions, *Arab. J. Math.*, 2024 13, pp. 275–289, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s40065-024-00458-z> (SCI, IF:0.9)
8. Channabasavayya, G. K. Keerthana and **Ranganatha D.**, On a generalization of 5-dissections of some infinite q -products, *The Ramanujan Journal*, 2024 64, pp. 1335-135. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11139-024-00872-z>(SCI, IF:0.7)

9. Channabasavayya and **Ranganatha D.**, Vanishing coefficients in arithmetic progressions of some infinite products with modulo 13, 17, 19 and 29, *The Journal of Analysis*, 2024 32, pp. 3101–3114 <https://doi.org/10.1007/s41478-024-00784-7> (SCI, IF:1.1)
10. **Ranganatha D.** and G. K. Keerthana, A further look at the overpartition function modulo 16 and 32, *The Ramanujan Journal*, 2024, 65, pp. 1159–1179, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11139-024-00933-3> (SCI, IF:0.7)
11. Channabasavayya, G. K. Keerthana and **Ranganatha D.**, On further modular relations for the Rogers–Ramanujan functions, *Indian J Pure Appl Math.*, 2025, 56, pp.113–124 <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13226-023-00458-3> (SCI, IF 0.5)
12. N. A.S. Bulkhali, G. K. Keerthana and **Ranganatha D.**, On a product of three theta functions and the number of representations of integers as mixed ternary sums involving squares, triangular, pentagonal and octagonal numbers, *Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications*, 2025, 551, Issue 2, 129676, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jmaa.2025.129676> (SCI, IF. 1.2)
13. Muni, V. S., Rafeek, K. V. M., **Reddy, G. J.**, and Sharanappa, D.S. (2025). Signed networks with Laplacian feedback: Observability and minimal sensor problem. *Bulletin of the Polish Academy of Sciences Technical Sciences*, 73(4):1-20. URL: 10.24425/bpasts.2025.154061 (IF: 1.2)

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. Deena Sunil, **Devika Dabke**, Surendra Kumar Saini, Ravendra Ratan, Singh Jandail, MWPMaduranga, SharadNandan Raw Improving Software Quality Assurance using a Cross-Context-Attentive Cosine Convolutional Model. Proceedings of the International Conference on Machine Learning and Autonomous Systems (ICMLAS-2025) IEEE Xplore Part Number: CFP258A9-ART; ISBN: 979-8-3315-0574-5. 2025.

Conference proceedings:

1. S V KiranmayiCh, **SreenivasuluBallem**, S M Reddy, Deepak kumarSah, “Septic B-splines Galerkin Method for a General Ninth Order Boundary Value Problems”, 2024, AIP Conf. Proc. 3160, 150002.
2. S V KiranmayiCh, **SreenivasuluBallem**, Sivaiah M, Ankith Kumar K, “Numerical Solution of Ninth Order Boundary Value Problems by Galerkin Method with Septic B-splines”, 2024, AIP Conf. Proc. 3160, 150001.

Patents

1. Indian Design Patent: Dr. Shankar Rao, Dr. Ventaka Narayana Pappula, **Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem**, Dr. D. Gopal, Dr. Rama Udai Kumar, Dr. NarasimhuluDunna, Plastic Mold Mechanism for Producing Angled Pipes, Design No:423971-001, publish date:20-07-2024.

Authored in book chapters:

1. NirajRathore, **Sandeep N**, Heat Diffusion in Non Newtonian Magnetized Hybrid Blood Flow over a Wedge-Shaped Region., Applications of Hybrid Nano fluids in Science and Engineering, CRC Press, 2025. pp.166–192, ISBN:9781003595786. DOI 10.1201/9781003595786-8

2. Niraj Rathore, **Sandeep N**, Thermal Performance of MXene (Ti₃C₂) Nanoparticles in Blood Flow Over a Curved Region: A Biomedical Application, Heat Transfer Enhancement Techniques Thermal Performance Optimization and Applications, 2025, pp. 331–358. ISBN: 978-139427099-6 DOI 10.1002/9781394270996.ch15

Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. **Dr. Devika S** delivered invited talk on “Joule Heating and Melting heat transfer effects on Electrically conducting Dissipative Magnetic NanoFluids” in International Conference on Mathematical Analysis & its Applications 2nd to 4th August -2024, Karnataka University Dharwad, Department of Mathematics Karnataka.
2. **Dr. Sumukha S** delivered an invited talk titled ”Functional equations of Herglotz type functions” as a resource person in National Mathematics Day-2024, at Department of Mathematics, NITK Surathkal.
3. **Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem** delivered an invited talk entitled with “Solving coupled system of fractional differential equations by using fractional order Runge-Kutta method” in International Conference on “Symmetry and Integrability of Dynamical Systems”, Pondicherry University November 5th- 7th, 2024.
4. **Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem** delivered an invited talk entitled with “Solving system of fractional differential equations by using fractional order Runge-Kutta method” in Second International Conference on Impending Inquisitions in Humanities and Sciences (ICIIHS-2025) Hyderabad, February 27th-28th, 2025.
5. **Dr. G Janardhana Reddy** delivered the Invited Talk on “Role of Mathematics in Science and Technology” at Sharnbasva University, Gulbarga, on the eve of National Science Day, Feb 28th, 2025.
6. **Dr. G Janardhana Reddy** delivered the Invited Talk on “ Role of Mathematics in Science and Technology” in Short-Term Course on "Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Education" organised by UGCMalaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (Erstwhile UGC Human Resource Development Centre), University of Mumbai during September 23rd to September 28th, 2024.
7. **Dr. G Janardhana Reddy** delivered the Invited Talk on “Role of Computational Software in Science and Technology” in Short-Term Course on "Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Education" organised by UGCMalaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (Erstwhile UGC Human Resource Development Centre), University of Mumbai during September 23 to September 28, 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, “Fourth order method for solving fuzzy nonlinear boundary value problems”. “5. Bilsel International World Science and Research Congress”, October 05th-06th, 2024.Turkiye (Online, International).

2. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, “A fifth order Kutta Nystrom Method to solve Fuzzy Differential Equations”. “3. Bilsel International Harput Scientific Researches Congress”, August 30th-31st, 2024. Turkiye (Online, International)
3. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, “fractional differential equations using 4th-stage fractional order Runge-Kutta method”. International Conference on “Symmetry and Integrability of Dynamical Systems”, November 5th-7th, 2024. Pondicherry University (online, International)
4. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, Numerical solution of fractional differential equations using 4th-stage fractional order Runge-Kutta method”. National Conference on Mathematics and Its Applications-2024, December 22nd-23rd, 2024. SV University Tirupati (National).
5. **Megha Khandelwal**, “On Strong Split Domination of Semi total block graph” in National Conference on Graph Theory and Allied Topics, October 23rd-24th, 2024, University of Mysore, Mysuru, Karnataka, India.

Ph.D. awarded:

S. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status Awarded /Submitted
1	Channabasavaya	20PMAT03	Dr. Ranganatha D.	Contributions to the Rogers-Ramanujan Functions, Partition Congruences and Infinite Products	Awarded
2	Niraj Rathore	20PMAT05	Dr. N. Sandeep	Non-Newtonian models for Nano and Hybrid Nano Blood Flow	Awarded
3	Jeevankumar	20DPMAT04	Dr. N. Sandeep	Numerical Analysis of flow and heat transfer in Nanofluids and Hybrid Nanofluids in Cylindrical Geometries	Awarded
4	Suresha S P	PHDMATHS1901	Dr. G Janardhana Reddy	Unsteady Turbulent Flow in Boundary Layer Regime	Awarded
5	Muhammed Rafeek KV	PHDMATHS1902	Dr. G Janardhana Reddy	Hadley-Prats Flow through Porous Layer: Linear and Nonlinear Stability Analyses	Awarded

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Sreenivasulu Ballem	Multidisciplinary refresher course on Basic Sciences

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	VGST	Digitization of Old Kannada Stone Inscription	Dr. G. Janardhana	3,00,00	2023-	Complete



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		Character Images	Reddy (Co-PI)	0	25	d
2	ICSSR	Optimal utilization of solar energy for electric vehicles (EVs): Comprehensive analysis and strategic measures	Dr. N. Sandeep (Co-PI)	Rs. 12,00,000	2024-25	Ongoing

Memberships in Professional bodies: ISHMT, ISTAM, APTSMS

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET,etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Sunita.S	KS1019388	KSET	Qualified	KS1019388	2024
2	Disha H. Rai	KS5024443	KSET	Qualified	KS5024443	2024
3	Disha H Rai	KK08067290	NET 3 rd Cat	Qualified	KK08067290	2024
4	Asha N	KS5027123	KSET	Qualified	KS5027123	2024
5	Pooja	KS1021425	KSET	Qualified	KS1021425	2024
6	Deepak Kumar Sah	KK08067265	NET (LS)	AIR-84	KK08067265	2024
7	Vinod Y	KS5024602	KSET	Qualified	KS5024602	2024
8	Ashwini Hiremath	-	KSET	Qualified		2024
9	Gedela Kavya Keerthana	KK08067225	NET 3 rd Cat	Qualified	KK08067225	2024
10	Nagajyothi	TL01000046	CSIR-UGC NET JRF	AIR-209	TL01000046	2024
11	Battula Srushti	4101020022	TSET	Qualified	4101020022	2024
12	Dibyajyoti Nayak	OR02000003	CSIR-UGC NET JRF	AIR-153	OR02000003	2024
13	Jeevankumar	KK08067266	NET 3 rd Cat	Qualified	KK08067266	2024
14	Disha H. Rai	MA25S11337058	GATE	AIR-339	MA25S11337058	2025
15	Vaibhav Chhajjer	CS25S24020551	GATE (CSE)	AIR-16522	CS25S24020551	2025
16	Ravula Ahlada	TL07000155	NET 3 rd Cat	Qualified	TL07000155	2025

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	S. Ananya	22PGMAT17	Research Scholar	Central University of Karnataka	2025



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2	Shrikanth C K	2016MMT22	Research Scholar	Tumkur University, Karnataka	2024
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Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Vaibhav Chhajer	22PGMAT21	Project Associate	NISER	2024
2	Nandana	23PMATH024	Assistant Teacher	SABA PU College	2025
3	Aleena	23PMATH001	Assistant Teacher	SABA PU College	2025
4	Bhuvaneswari	23PMATH007	Assistant Teacher	SABA PU College	2025
5	Bibina Michael	23PMATH008	Assistant Teacher	SABA PU College	2025
6	Divya	23PMATH013	Assistant Teacher	SABA PU College	2025
7	Bhuvaneswari	23PMATH007	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
8	Chitranjan	23PMATH009	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
9	Deepika B	23PMATH010	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
10	Raziya	23PMATH030	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
11	Megha	23PMATH023	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
12	Swetagni	23PMATH035	Associate Resource Person	Azim Premji Foundation	2025
13	Divya	23PMATH013	Program Associate	Avanti Fellows	2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	18-03-2025	International Mathematics Day (Pi-Day)	Chief Guest Prof. Battu Satyanarayana, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor CUK, Guest of Honour, Dr. Bharat Kumar, Dean SPS, Key Note Speakers Prof. B.R. Shankar, NITK Surathkal, and Dr. Vidyadhar Upadhyay, NITK Surathkal, Organizing Secretary Dr. Sumukha S, Presided by Head & Convener, Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy.

BOS details:

BOS meeting held on 12th June, 2025. In this meeting existing curriculum and syllabus of M.SC. Mathematics program is being revised as per NEP 2020 for the forthcoming batch 2025-26, and revised PhD Coursework syllabus.

Alumni activity:

The Department organised the alumni meeting on 11th March, 2025 to discuss about the development/activities in the Department. Also, taken the feedback from the alumni to improve further development in the Department.

Events at the department:



International Mathematics Day (PI-Day), March 18th, 2025

4.11.2 Department of Physics

Head: Dr. Bharat Kumar

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 4-year B.Sc. Physics, M.Sc. physics and Ph.D. physics programs. The department with six permanent faculties has its primary research activities focusing on soft-matter physics, spintronics, high energy physics, proton therapy, polymer physics and condensed matter physics. 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. program 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 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. programs 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). To date, the Department, through its faculty, has received grants of over Rs. 70 Lakhs for carrying out research projects.



National Science Day on 28th February 2025

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Physics (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Physics (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Physics

B.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	12	7	2	1	1	0	23
Female	6	7	2	2	0	0	17

M.Sc students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	KKR	Total
Male	13	9	4	1	3	0	6	36
Female	13	16	4	2	1	0	0	36

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	1	1	0	1	0	4
Female	1	1	0	0	0	0	2



Faculty Related Information

Regular faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Deepak Samuel	Associate Professor	High Energy Physics
Dr. Bharat Kumar	Associate Professor	Soft Matter Physics
Dr. Rajeev S. Joshi	Associate Professor	Spintronics
Dr. Anjaneyulu Ponnamm	Associate Professor	Polymer Physics, RRAM devices
Dr. Suchismita Sahoo	Assistant Professor	High Energy Physics
Dr. Narasimha Raju Chebrolu	Assistant Professor	Condensed Matter Physics Theory
Dr. Mayarani M.	Assistant Professor	Soft Matter Physics

Visiting professors:

Name
Prof. Ambika Prasad M. V. N.

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Arun Mane (Laboratory assistant)
1. Mr. Santosh Waggi (Contract)
2. Mrs. Shobha (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Anusha Kachu, Swapna Vemula, **Narasimha Raju Chebrolu**, Aalu Boda, Role of confinement shape and spin-orbit interactions on binding energy, temperature, transition energy, susceptibility and oscillator strength of an off-center D0 impurity in a GaAs quantum dot, *Physica B* 2024, 693, 416376. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.physb.2024.416376>. (Scopus Indexed, IF: 2.8)
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4. S.K. Usha, Shobith M. Shanbogh, Sougata Mandal, Ashish Varade, **P. Anjaneyulu**, Probing the role of dopants on structural and electrical properties through Raman and Impedance spectroscopy in Poly (3-methylthiophene) devices, *Synthetic Metals*, 2024, 307, 117643. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.synthmet.2024.117643>. (Scopus Indexed, IF: 4).

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6. Mahima Rabari, A. K. Prajapati, S. Mahesha, M. K. Akshaya and Bharat Kumar, A study on the thermo-photoisomerization of a liquid crystalline dimer of cyanoazobenzene and naphthalene, *Soft Matter*, 2025, 21, 1395. <https://doi.org/10.1039/D4SM01172D>. (Scopus Indexed, IF: 3.4).
7. Pratheek, Hanamanta Badiger, Nutan Kumari Sah, Balachandra G Hegde, Design and development of a first order reversal curve measurement enabled variable temperature vibrating sample magnetometer, *Physica Scripta*, 2024, 99(8), 85932. 10.1088/1402-4896/ad5ca4. (Scopus Indexed, IF: 2.6).
8. Vinayak Adimule, Sunitha DV, **Rajeev Shesha Joshi**, Rangappa Keri, Influence of Morphology, crystal structures on the enhanced photoluminescence Dynamics, Zeta Potential, and AC resistance of Disc shaped cesium Oxidex@Cobalt oxide nanostructures, *Results in Optics* 2024, 17,100742. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.rio.2024.100742>. (Scopus Indexed, IF:1.9).
9. Vinayak Adimule, Kalpana Sharma, Vandna Sharma, **Rajeev Shesha Joshi**, Santosh S NandiSantosh S Nandi, Influence of Core Fluorination on the Phase Properties of Fan-Like Azobenzene based Supramolecules, their Cis-Trans Photoisomerization and Photoluminescence Dynamics, *Materials Chemistry and Physics*, 2024, 329(34),13014. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.matchemphys.2024.130140>. (Scopus Indexed, IF:4.3).
10. Vidyasagar P. Phase, Ramkrishna Haridas Kadam, S D Balsure, **R. S. Joshi**, Muhammad Farzik Ijaz, Khalid Mujasam Batoo, Akash V. Fulari, Sagar E. Shirsath & A. R. Shitre,, Structural and magnetic properties of sol-gel synthesized (1-x) Mn_{0.5}Cu_{0.25}Zn_{0.25}Fe₂O₄ + (x)SrCe_{0.05}Sm_{0.05}Fe_{11.9}O₁₉ soft-hard ferrite nanocomposites, *J Sol-Gel Sci Technol*, 2024, 06655-8. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s10971-024-06655-8>. (Scopus Indexed, IF:3.2).
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Conference proceedings:

1. A. K. Yadav, S. Singirala, M. K. Mohapatra and S. Sahoo, Missing energy in rare B decays in the light of GeV scale dark matter", POS HQL2023, 2024, 082. <https://doi.org/10.22323/1.462.0082>
2. P. Adarsh, P. Sahu, P. Malo, **S. Sahoo** and S. Patra, Addressing Flavor Anomalies, (g-2)_{mu}, Neutrino Mass and Matter-Antimatter Asymmetry of the Universe Within a Scalar Leptoquark and Scalar Triplets", Springer Proc.Phys. 2024, 304, 898. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-0289-3_233
3. A. K. Yadav, S. Singirala, M. K. Mohapatra and **S. Sahoo**, GeV scale dark matter and B -> K⁺ missing energy phenomenology in the U(1)_{B-L} model", Springer Proc. Phys. 2025, 361, 341. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-7441-8_34
4. A. K. Yadav, M. K. Mohapatra and **S. Sahoo**, Analysis of the Bc -> Ds mu mu decay mode in the effective field theory approach", EPJ Web Conf. 2024, 312, 01004. <https://doi.org/10.1051/epjconf/202431201004>
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Invited talks/Plenary lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the session:

1. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, invited talk on "Status of muon g-2 theory" at Muon g-2 and BSM: Hyderabad Forum 2024 Workshop, IIT Hyderabad, India, July 24th-25th, 2024.
2. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, invited talk on "Pathways of B mesons: Insights into new physics" at Frontiers in Physics, University of Hyderabad, India, September 27th-28th, 2024.

3. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, invited talk on “Bridging Flavor Physics and Effective Field Theories” at Belle Analysis Workshop 2024, IIT Hyderabad, India, October 19th-23rd, 2024.
4. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, invited talk on “Charting the Path of Mesons from History to New Physics” at School of Physics, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, January 29th, 2025.
5. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, invited talk on “Unified model for flavor anomalies and dark matter” at TH Flavor Coffee seminar, Department of Theoretical Physics, CERN, Switzerland, February 4th, 2025.
6. Dr. Bharat Kumar, invited talk on “Conformational changes in polyelectrolytes under the influence of uniform charged lipid film” at IIT Bombay, in a symposium FRONTIERS IN BIOMOLECULAR INTERACTIONS-From Polymers to Membranes organised by Department of Physics, IIT Bombay during 5th-6th August, 2024.
7. Dr. Bharat Kumar, invited lecture on Scanning Tunnelling Microscopy at Sikkim University in a conference on "Quantum Mechanics Turns 100: The Past, Present and Future", organised by Department of Physics, Sikkim University during 21st-22nd March, 2025.
8. Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi, invited talk on “Polymer Based Spin Accumulation Driven Magnetoelectric Sensors” at SPARC sponsored international workshop on Sensors and Actuators at University of Calicut and Centre for Materials for Electronics Technology (C-MET), Thrissur and Electronic Industries Association of India (ELCINA) at Kochi, 31st January – 1st February, 2025.
9. Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi, invited talk on “Spin Dependent Energy Harvesters and Sensors - The Next Generation Technology for Sustainability Innovative Technologies For Rural Developments And Their Commercialization: A Step Towards Viksit Bharat -2047 ” (NC-ITRDC-25) by Centre for Research and Technology Developments (CRTD), Sinhgad Institutes, Solapur from 3rd to 5th March, 2025.
10. Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi, invited Lectures on “Measurements in Experimental Physics” in National Level Refresher Course in Experimental Physics, organised by Maharani Lakshmi Ammanni College for Women (Autonomous) and Indian Academy of Sciences (IASc), Bengaluru from 19th August, 2024 to 3rd September, 2024.
11. Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi, invited talk on “Spintronics at CUK” by IEEE CUK chapter, at School of Engineering, January 17th, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. Dr. Narasimha Raju, Oral presentation on “Effects of linear and non-linear electron-phonon interactions on impurity bound states in BCS superconductor” at International Workshop on Recent Advancements in Magnetism and Magnetic Materials-2024, November 20th-30th, 2024. VIT-AP University, Andhra Pradesh.
2. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, Oral presentation on “Lepton number violating $K \rightarrow \pi \nu \nu$ decays” at International Conference on Particle Physics & Cosmology (PPC) 2024, October 14th-18th, 2024. IIT Hyderabad.
3. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, Oral presentation on “Dark Z and dark photon effects on $B_c \rightarrow D_s^* \mu \mu (\nu \nu)$ decay modes” at DAE-BRNS HEP Symposium 2024, December 19th-23rd, 2024. Banaras Hindu University, Banaras.
4. Dr. Suchismitha Sahoo, Oral presentation on “Leptoquark influenced non-standard interactions at DUNE” decay modes” at DAE-BRNS HEP Symposium 2024, December 19th-23rd, 2024. Banaras Hindu University, Banaras.

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Narasimha Raju Chebrolu	Refresher Course from 7-10-2024 to 19-10-2024 organised by UGC Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, University of Jammu.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Granted (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	DST, India	Effects of electron correlations and spin-orbit interaction on charge, spin and energy transport in graphene based nanoelectromechanical devices.	Dr. Narasimha Raju Chebrolu (PI)	Rs. 35,00,000/-	5 years	Ongoing
2	UGC, DAE Consortium	Photo memristors using nonmaterial for neuromorphic applications (08-March 2025 to 07-March-2028)	Dr Ponnamm Anjaneyulu (PI)	Rs. 1,35,000/-	3 years	Ongoing
3	Q. Pragati, IISc	Development and Characterization of Skyrmion Traps using Topological insulator/ferromagnet Heterostructure Networks for Quantum Electronics (16th Oct 20204 to 15th Oct 2025)	Rajeev Shesha Joshi (PI)	Rs. 12,00,000/-	1 Year	Ongoing
4	UGC-DAE Consortium	Tuning Spin Textures at the Interface of Ferromagnets with Spin Orbit Coupled Solids and Ferroelectrics (March 2025 to 2028)	Rajeev Shesha Joshi(PI)	Travel, Utility equivalent	3 Years	Ongoing
5	UGC, DAE Consortium	Organization of cholesterol and anti-microbial peptide molecules in the Langmuir Blodgett films of Lipid mixtures	Bharat Kumar (PI)	Travel and local facilities at Indore	3 years	Ongoing

Honours/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl.No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Dr. Suchismita Sahoo	Received financial support of CHF 2070 from CERN for a research visit to the Theory Division, CERN, Switzerland, during January 27 th – February 7 th , 2025.

Memberships in professional bodies:

Dr. Bharat Kumar

- Life member of Indian Liquid Crystal Society, Bengaluru
- Life member of Soft Materials Research Society, Jaipur

Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi

- Life Member of Indian physics association, BARC, Mumbai
- Life member of Society for material chemistry, BARC, India.
- Life member of Material Research Society of India, IISc, Bengaluru.
- Life member of Indian Society for Atomic and Molecular Physics, PRL, Ahmadabad.
- Life member of District Science Center, Karwar, Karnataka.

Dr. Ponnamm Anjaneyulu

- Life member of IISc Alumni Association.

Dr. Suchismita Sahoo

- Life Member of Odisha Physical Society, Odisha

Students Related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: PMRF/NET/JRF/GATE/SET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Score & Rank	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Abhishek Jena	2022PGPHY03	GATE	498 & 734	PH25S76401011	-
2	Aravind Kumar	2021PGPHY05	GATE	253 & 6166	-	-
3	Gopika B	2021PGPHY38	GATE	473 & 957	PH25S71426033	-
4	Sairik Kanti Gosh	2021PGPHY28	GATE	403 & 1816	PH25S76511096	

Departmental Activities

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	20-03-2025	Novel Applications of Power Over Fibre in the DUNE FD-VD	a) Dr. Biswaranjan Behera is a Postdoctoral Researcher at the South Dakota School of Mines and TechPower-over-Fiber technology for DUNE Vertical Drift Photon Detection System. b) Students are encouraged to discuss about internship opportunities and the current trends and status outside India.
2	27-11-2024 & 29-01-2025	Physics Colloquium	a) From Analogies to Assessments: Leveraging Generative-Artificial Intelligence in teaching and learning of Physics - Dr. Amogh Sirnoorkar, Ross-Lynn Postdoctoral Research Scholar, Purdue University, USA. 27 th November 2024. b) Orbital Hall Phases in Topological Proximity Graphene Layers - Dr. Bheema Lingam Chittari, Quantum Theory of Functional Materials, Department of Physical Sciences (DPS), Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Kolkata, Mohanpur, West Bengal, India. 29th January 2025.
3	21-08-2024 – 13-11-2024	Unveiling New Frontiers in High Energy Physics.	The online seminar series “Unveiling New Frontiers in High Energy Physics” organised with the aim of providing a comprehensive overview of recent developments in both theoretical and experimental high-energy physics. Designed for bachelor’s and master’s students, the series offered a platform to engage with cutting-edge topics and expert insights in the field. This seminar series featured 10 distinguished invited physicists from renowned institutions worldwide, each contributing insights on a wide range of high-energy physics topics.

4	28-02-2025	National Science Day celebrations	National Science Day was celebrated by the Department of Physics. Dr. Mayarani M. coordinated the event. High school students studying in 8 and 9th grades were invited and more than 20 experiments showcasing various concepts in Physics were demonstrated to the students. B.Sc. And M.Sc. Physics students were involved in preparing the demonstration experiments and exhibiting them.
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Events at the Department: At Teachers Day (5th September 2024).

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:



Unveiling New Frontiers in High Energy Physics (21st Aug – 13th Nov 2024

4.12 School of Social and Behavioral Sciences

Dean: Prof. Pavitra R Alur

The School of Social and Behavioral Sciences has the 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 of 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, Social Work, Public administration, Folkloristics and Tribal studies. The uniqueness of the programmes is the right integration of biological, behavioral, reform, historical, spiritual and social approaches for a better understanding of individuals, groups, culture, communities, organizations, systems, society and the global order at large. The motto 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.

School of Social and Behavioral Sciences	
	Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies
	Department of History and Archaeology
	Department of Psychology
	Department of Public Administration
	Department of Social Work

4.12.1 Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies

Head: Prof. Pavitra Alur

Coordinator: Dr. Rajashree

The Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies was established in the year 2016 and functioning from the year 2019. It is the only Central institution at higher education in Kalyana Karnataka region offering program by merging of Folklore and Tribal Studies. The Department currently offers MA and Ph.D. programs and attracts students and researchers from various parts of the country reflecting the multicultural fabric of India. The Vision of the Department is to be recognized as one of the premier Departments in Folk and Tribal research, outreach and Training on a Global platform.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ M.A. in Folkloristics and Tribal Studies (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Folkloristics and Tribal Studies

M.A students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Female	01	--	--	--	--	--	01

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	--	02	01	--	--	--	03
Female	01	--	--	--	--	--	01

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Rajashree	Assistant Professor	Folklore, Folk literature, Cultural and Comparative studies, Traditional knowledge system, Folk and Tribal lore.
Dr. Rohinaksha	Assistant Professor	Folk Literature, Folk Rituals and Practices, Folklore.
Dr. Longshibeni N Kithan	Assistant Professor	Theories of society and culture, qualitative research method, tribal studies
Dr. Rajashekaran L	Assistant Professor	Folklore and Tribal Studies, Comparative Studies, Ancient Literature

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

Dr. Rohinaksha, Siri Sandhi: Samshodhanegonda Margadarshi Kruti, *Chintana Bayalu*, Vol.13, pp. 74-79, Year 2024, ISSN: 2278-2192

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

Dr. Rohinaksha, Festivals and Celebrations of Bharath- A Live Testimonial to Bharathiya Culture, Shaikshik Manthan, January 2025, ISSN 2581-4133

Non-peer reviewed Publications (Articles in Newspaper and others)

- Rohnaksha**, Ambedkar Jeevana Charitrege Bhushana Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, April 13, 2024
- Rohinaksha**, Pranjavantikeya Matavu Deshabhaktiye, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, April 26, 2024

- 3.**Rohinaksha**, Kannada Sahithyada Hemmeya Kavicharite, Article published in Vijaya Karnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, May 08, 2024
- 4.**Rohinaksha**, Ambedkararannu Buddhaneke Seleda?, Article published in Vijaya Karnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, May 22, 2024
- 5.**Rohinaksha**, Jaati Paddhati Mettininta Chtrapathi Shahoo, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, June 19, 2024
- 6.**Rohinaksha**, **Sahithya** Charitege Adigallu Hakida Kittel, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, July 17, 2024
- 7.**Rohinaksha**, Vachanagalu Bandayada Pranalikeyalla, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, July 31, 2024
- 8.**Rohinaksha**, Asmitagala Hesarinalli Bharathiyara Vibhajane, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, August 21, 2024
- 9.**Rohinaksha**, Olamisaalsthiye Nija Misalu, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, September 12, 2024
- 10.**Rohinaksha**, Asprushyate Nivaranega Gandhi Maadari, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, October 05, 2024
- 11.**Rohinaksha**, Samskruthika Marksvaadada Apayagalu, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, October 16, 2024
- 12.**Rohinaksha**, Kuudibalalu Paata Marakumbi Tirpu, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, October 30, 2024
- 13.**Rohinaksha**, Samvidhana Badalisiddu Yaaru?, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, November 13, 2024
- 14.**Rohinaksha**, Nammade Bandhugalannu Horagiduvude?, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, November 27, 2024
- 15.**Rohinaksha**, Sammelanadalli Sahithyave Mrustanna Bhojana, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, December 19, 2024
- 16.**Rohinaksha**, Prajatantrakke Jeevatumbida Atalji, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, December 25, 2024
- 17.**Rohinaksha**, Babasahebaru Ikyateya Sutradari, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, January 08, 2025
- 18.**Rohinaksha**, Ekateya Mahayajna Maha Kumbha, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, February 05, 2025
- 19.**Rohinaksha**, Budakattu Sabalikiranadinda Vikasit Bharatha, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, February 19, 2025
- 20.**Rohinaksha**, Jnanadegulagali Beega Jadiyahedi, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, March 05, 2025
- 21.**Rohinaksha**, Manavati Belaku Shri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu, Article published in Kannadaprabha Kannada Daily News Paper, March 15, 2025
- 22.**Rohinaksha**, Makkala Baduku Kasiyuttide Bhavishyada Nirikshe, Article published in Vijayakarnataka Kannada Daily News Paper, March 19, 2025

Books authored

Rohinaksha, Shree Darampal, Ayodhya Publication, Bangalore, 2024, ISBN-978-93-91852-79-5

Authored in book chapters:

- 1.Rohinaksha**, Festivals and Celebrations of Bharath- A Live Testimonial to Bharathiya Culture, *Shaikshik Manthan*, New Delhi, January 2025, ISSN 2581-4133
- 2.Rohinaksha**, Kannada Kavigala Swathvada Abhivyaakthi mattu Rastriyate (Book Chapter), Sahitha Tatva (Ed) Janamejaya Umarji, ABSP Karnataka, 2025, ISBN:978-81-956429-9-1
- 3.Rohinaksha**, Kavalu Haadiyalli Bharathiya Kutumbha Vyavaste, Savyasachi (Ed), Balasaheba Lokapura, Arvavindarao Deshapande Abhinandana Grantha Samithi Publication, 2025

Invited Talks/Plenary Lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the Session:

- 1. Dr. Rajashekaran L**, Panel Member and Chaired the session in the National Conference under Vision Viksit Bharath @ 2047 on “Empowering Tribes with Digital Entrepreneurship” at SRM University, Chennai on 13th February 2025.
- 2. Dr. Rajashekaran L**, participated as an Expert in the Text book Writing Workshop (Class -5, Advanced Text Part- 2), SCERT, Kerala, July 2024.
- 3. Dr. Rajashekaran L**, participated as an Expert in the Text book Writing Workshop (Class -8, Advanced Text Part- 1), SCERT, Kerala, August 2024.
- 4. Dr. Rajashekaran L**, participated as an Expert in the Text book Writing Workshop (Class -8, Basic Text Part- 1), SCERT, Kerala, September 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

- 1. Longshibeni N Kithan**, "Navigating ethical dilemmas in Fieldwork: Perspectives of Academics and Anthropologists in Indian Universities". World Anthropological Congress, November 11-15, 2024. Johannesburg. South Africa (**International**)
- 2. Rajashekaran L**, presented a paper entitled “Folk Performances in Kerala and its Relevance” in the Folk Fest 2025 on 23rd- 24th January 2025 at Centre for Folk Cultural Studies, School of Social Sciences, University of Hyderabad.
- 3. Rajashekaran L**, presented a paper entitled “Mythical tale and Diverse Explanations on oral Tradition of Malayarayan tribes in Kerala “National Seminar on Mythology and Indian Folk and Tribal lore Traditions, 8th to 10th March 2025 at National Sanskrit University, Tirupati.
- 4. Rajashekaran L**, presented a paper entitled “Manuscript evidence on Malayarayan Tribes Clan System in Kerala” in the National Seminar on ‘Understanding the past for understanding present Manuscript traditions of Folk and Tribal Communities in South India’ on 12th to 14th March 2025 at Dravidian University, Kuppam.

Faculty Developmement Programmes attended by the faculty

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Rajashree	FDP on “Understanding the basics of Qualitative Research in Social Sciences” organised by Gokul Global University, Siddhapur Gujarat in Collaboration with

		Nucleus Learning and Development (NLD), 15-21 July, 2024 (Online).
2	Dr. Rajashree	FDP on “Theory and Practice: Folkloristic” organised by Gokul Global University, Siddhapur Gujarat in Collaboration with Nucleus Learning and Development (NLD), 5-10 August, 2024 (Online).
3	Dr. Rohinaksha	Refresher Course- Social Science, Organised by UGC-MMTTC, University of Mumbai. 13/01/2025 to 25/01/2025
4	Dr. Rohinaksha	Author’s Workshop organised by Bangalore University (21 st -22 nd October, 2024)
5	Dr. Longshibeni	FIP on academic writing and publication ethics, organised by the Teaching Learning Centre, Tezpur University. (28/02/2025 To 06/03/2025)
6	Dr. Rajashekaran L	Short – Term course in Academic Writing, Research and Publication Ethics organised by MMTTC, University of Kerala from 8/1/2025 to 14/01/2025.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	ICSSR	“Empowerment of Tribals and Role in the Vision Viksit Bharath @2047: A Study on Traditional Knowledge, Culture & Entrepreneurial Abilities among Select Tribal Communities of Southern States of Bharat”	Dr. Rohinaksha (Co-PI)	8,00,000	2024-25	Ongoing
2	ICSSR	“Cultural dimension of Water of Angami Naga tribe”	Dr. Longshibeni (PI)	5,00,000	2023-2024	Completed

International collaborations:

Dr. Longshibeni is a Collaborator on a project titled “Origins of laws concerning bodily harm” led by Dr. Daniel Sznycer, Department of Psychology, Oklahoma State University

Memberships in Professional bodies:

1. Dr. Rajashekaran L is the member of Folklore Society of South Indian Languages (FOSSILS)
2. Dr. Rajashekaran L is the member of Dravidian Linguistics Association
3. Dr. Rajashekaran L is the member of Thiruvananthapuram Tamil Sanghom
4. Dr. Rajashekaran L is the member of Indian Academic Research Association



Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Ananthapuri A A	21PGFTS02	JRF	196	2811007525	June 2024
2	Shabu A S	24DFOLK001	Eligible for only Ph.D.	152	2810004483	June 2024

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1.	Ananthapuri A A	21PGFTS02	Internship: Director's Internship Program. Offered by the Scheduled Tribes Development Department Government of Kerala.	Government of Kerala, Scheduled Tribes Development Department.	1 st March 2024 – 30 th November 2024

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ananthapuri A A	MP2024HSM001	Ph.D in Health Service Management	Tata Institute of Social Science, Mumbai	03/2025
2	SHABU A S	24DFOLK001	Ph.D	Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi	02/2025

4.12.2 Department of History and Archaeology

Head: Dr. Ravi Khangai.

The Department of History and Archaeology strives for national and international recognition for providing instruction at post graduate and research level about the importance of understanding the past in any society, and for teaching them critical, analytical and research skills applicable to career paths. It has a globally accepted curriculum with world-class standards, so that any degree earned here would have international value. With a strong focus on research, the department pursues evidence-based research both at the faculty level as well as through the research scholars. The department of History offers UG, PG. and Ph.D. Programmes and strives for national and international recognition by providing quality education with understanding critical, analytical and research skills. The range of teaching and research includes Ancient, Medieval, Modern & Contemporary Indian History, inquiries into the polity, economy, society and culture since the earliest times in a pan Indian, integrated and inter-disciplinary perspective. The PG. programme is more interactive and interdisciplinary by giving more emphasis on archaeology and numismatic into it. The main feature of P.G programme is the structured flexibly to achieve breadth while permitting students to specialize in an area that is of particular interest. The department encourages to pursue innovative and meaningful historical researches that contribute to the popular and scholarly understanding of the past. Students will be encouraged to explore new areas by taking courses that focus on periods and regions with which they are not familiar.

The department has good relationship with premier institutes like Deccan College, Pune and Indian Institute of Research in Numismatic studies for the support and field training of PG students. Good exposure will be given to the students through visiting archaeological sites, participating in excavation, workshops and practical training. In addition to these regular programmes, the department is also offering elective/allied courses across all other departments and schools on the following topics Ancient, Medieval, Modern India and freedom Movement. The Department also takes initiatives to launch programmes of interdisciplinary domains that take history beyond the disciplines. The Department is dedicated to providing quality education to all who want to acquire critical thinking, skill and innovative research in history.



Programme offered:

- ❖ B.A. in History & Archaeology (4 Years)
- ❖ M.A. in History & Archaeology (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in History & Archaeology

B. A students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	6	9	5	1	-	-	21
Female	4	10	5	1	3	-	23

M. A. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	2	17	7	2	1	-	29
Female	3	11	-	2	-	-	16

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	-	3	1	-	-	-	4
Female	-	3	2	-	-	-	5

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Ravi Khangai	Associate Professor	Indian Dharmic Tradition, Historiography, Maratha History
Dr. Remya V.P.	Associate Professor	Indian Art History & Historiography
Dr. Arjun R.	Assistant Professor	Prehistoric Archaeology, Museology
Dr. Abdul Majid	Assistant Professor	Medieval History and History of Deccan
Dr. Vijay Sarde	Assistant Professor	Art and Architecture, Natha Sampradaya
Dr. Sri Laxmi T	Assistant Professor	Modern and Contemporary Indian History

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Sujata Gaurkhede
Dr. Dhanraj Sardar Gusinge
Mr. Shubam Beldar

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Mr. Mallikarjun Annarao Patil - Attender (Outsourcing)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Farhanath, K, **Arjun, R.**, Vishi Upadhyay. Archaeological Museums in Covid-19 Pandemic Crisis and Aftermath: Select Case Studies from India. *Heritage: Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies in Archaeology* 2024. 11.1: pp.1181-1195.
2. Sneha M.L. and **Arjun R.** Medicinal Knowledge in South India (During Neolithic to Early Historic Period): An Analysis of Staple Plant Dietary Nutrition. *CMDR Journal of Social Research*, 2025, 1: pp.35-48.
3. **Abdul Majid.** Virtual Vaults: Exploring Indian and Global Museums in the Digital Era." *Itihas Darpan* 5 (Special Issue), 2024, pp. 160–165.
4. **Vijay Sarde**, Exploring Vadgaon-Siddheshvar: Archaeological Perspectives on Early Historic Settlements in Dharashiv District of Maharashtra. *History Today, The History and Culture Society* 2024, 25, pp.57–65.
5. **Vijay Sarde**, Tuljapur Yethil Pach Aprakashit Koriv Lekh, *Itihas Darpan, Marathi* Part-VI, Special Issue. Akhil Bharatiya Sankalan Yojana, New Delhi, 2024, pp.130–135.

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. Khan M., **Khangai R.**, Bhui S., Kora A., Philosophy of Education and its significance for special Teachers, *International Research Journal of Education and Technology* 2025, 18 (4), pp. 391-415.
2. **Vijay Sarde**, and Waghmode, Shivaji, Nhavi Sandas va Sangavi Sandas Yethil Aprakashit Marathi Shilalekh (In Marathi), *Historicity Research International Journal*, Solapur, 2025, 11, 8, pp. 1–7.

Authored in book chapters:

1. **Arjun, R.** Southern Neolithic Culture of India: People, Plants, and Animals. In: Vemsani, L. (eds) *Handbook of Indian History*. Springer, Singapore, 2025, pp. 63-95. Print ISBN 978-981-97-6206-4, Online ISBN 978-981-97-6207-1 https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-97-6207-1_4
2. **Arjun, R.** Celt Grinding Sites in Raichur: The Economy of Dolerite Tool Production in Southern Neolithic Culture, in *Exploring South Asian Past: Professor K. Paddayya Festschrift*, eds. V. Selvakumar, S.K. Aruni, Hemant, 2025. Pp 19-40, Aryan Publications, New Delhi, 2025.

Invited Talks/Plenary Lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the Session:

1. **Dr. Ravi Khangai** delivered an invited talk on “The Mahabharata as Itihasa” in the Refresher Course organised by University of Mumbai, January 20, 2025.

2. **Dr. Ravi Khangai** delivered an invited talk on “Gandhi and Gita’ on ‘Gandhi and IKS’ organised by Patna University October 01, 2024.
3. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered lectures on “Application of Science in Archaeology”, Pt. Deendayal Upadhyaya Institute of Archaeology, Archaeological Survey of India, Noida. November 25–27, 2024.
4. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered lectures on “Exploration: Post-Exploration Analysis, Practices and Cultural Resource, Management” for the Online Certificate Course on Archaeological Methods 2024–25, Varāhamihira Multidisciplinary Institute, a component Asiatic Society for Social Science Research, October 5, 2024.
5. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered lectures on “Field lecture training at Brahmagiri, Sanganakallu and Kudatini, Ballari” for Post-Graduate Diploma, Tamil Nadu Institute of Archaeology and Museology, March 5–6, 2025.
6. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered an invited talk on “Pale environmental Records from Prehistoric Archaeology”, National Conference on Issues of Environmental History, M.S. Irani Degree College of Arts science and commerce, Kalaburagi, October 28, 2024.
7. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered lectures on 1. “Paleolithic Cultural Development in India, 2. Mesolithic and Neolithic culture, and 3. South Indian Megaliths” in Prehistory Field Training Programme, Archaeological Survey of India, Prehistory Branch, Nagpur, October 18–25, 2024.
8. **Dr. Arjun R.** delivered lectures on “Beginning of Agriculture and Proto-Historic, Archaeology Post-Graduate Diploma in Archaeology, Tamil Nadu Institute of Archaeology and Museology, Department of Archaeology, Government of Tamilnadu, March 2025.
9. **Dr. Sujata H. Gaurkhede** delivered an invited talk on “Raja Ram Mohan Roy: Adhunik Bharat ke Praneta”, February 18, 2025. Govt. V.Y.T. PG Autonomous College, Durg (C.G.).
10. **Dr. Sujata H. Gaurkhede** delivered an invited talk on “The Visionary Reformer: Raja Ram Mohan Roy and the Making of Modern India”. One Day Interdisciplinary National Conference on ‘India in 21st Century’, March 21, 2025, at Shri. Manohar Hari Khapane College of Arts & Commerce, Pachal, Ratnagiri. (M.S.)

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Arjun, R.** Cattle (*Bos indicus*): Iconic Animal in the Southern Neolithic Rock Bruisings and Ashmounds with Ethnographic Signatures in India, in “G23 - The Neolithic in Art. Iconography and Society in the First World Agricultural Communities of Eurasia” World Neolithic Congress, Şanlıurfa, Türkiye, November 4th-8th, 2024 (International, offline).
2. **Abdul Majid.** ‘*Virtual Vaults: Exploring Indian and Global Museums in the Digital Era*’ in the National Level Seminar on ‘Women as Pillars of Resistance: Celebrating Bravery and Empowerment’. held on October 21, 2024, organised by Sham Gadale Arts & Science College, Dahiphal, Dist. Beed, Maharashtra, in collaboration with Akhil Bharatiy Itihas Sankalan Yojana, New Delhi, Itihas Sankalan Sanstha, Devgiri Prant, in National Level Seminar celebrating the third Century of Birth Anniversary of Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar on the theme.(National)
3. **Dhanraj Sardar Gusinge** “Migration, Caste, and Identity: Transnational and Cultural Perspectives in Indian Historiography” International Seminar on ‘Recent Trends in Indian Historiography’ February 27 – March 1, 2025, Department of History and Ancient Indian Culture, Dr, Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar. (National)
4. **Vijay Sarde,** ‘Newly Discovered Stupa and Other Archaeological Remains at Vadgaon Siddheshvar, Maharashtra’ in the International Joint Annual Conference, 54th Annual Conference of the Indian Archaeological Society, 49th Annual Conference of Indian Society for Prehistoric and Quaternary Studies and

- 45th Annual Conference of History and Cultural Society, Organised by the Jai Minesh Adivasi University, Ranpur, Kota, & Archaeological Survey of India, Jaipur Circle, Rajasthan from July 25–27, 2024. (National)
5. **Vijay Sarde**, “Sacred Heritage of Baramati: Architectural and Iconographic Insights into the Vāgheśvara and Kāśī Viśveśvara Temples in Maharashtra”, in the 44th National Level Annual Conference of Marathwada Itihas Parishad, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar on December 9–11, 2024, organised by the Department of History, Anand Niketan College, Anandwan, Warora Dist. Chandrapur, Maharashtra. (National)
 6. **Vijay Sarde** ‘Tuljapur Yethil Pach Aprakashit Koriv Lekh’ in the National Level Seminar held on October 21, 2024, organised by Sham Gadale Arts & Science College, Dahiphal, Dist. Beed, Maharashtra, in collaboration with Akhil Bharatiy Itihas Sankalan Yojana, New Delhi, Itihas Sankalan Sanstha, Devgiri Prant, in National Level Seminar celebrating the third Century of Birth Anniversary of Punyashlok Ahilyadevi Holkar on the theme ‘*Women as Pillars of Resistance: Celebrating Bravery and Empowerment*’. (National)
 7. **Sri Laxmi T**, “Tribal Paintings: The Soul of Indian Culture.” Two-Day National Conference on “Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage, and Entrepreneurial Abilities” February 11–12, 2025, Central University of Karnataka in Association with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, Karnataka. (National).
 8. **Sri Laxmi T**, “Women Warriors from Dakshinapath”, Three Day National Conference on “Dakshinapatha through the Ages – Glory of Bharat (Earliest times to 1757 CE)” March 15–17, 2025, Itihas Sankalana Samiti (Bharateeya), Hyderabad, Telangana. (National).

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Vijay Sarde	Guru-Dakshata (1 st Faculty Induction Programme), online mode, UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC), Indian Institute of Teacher Education (IITE), Gandhinagar. Duration: 27/01/2025 to 22/02/2025.

Grants received:

Sl.No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1.	Research Foundation–Flanders (FWO), Odysseus Type II grant, Belgium	‘Nilgiri Archaeological Research Project, Upland Societies and Forest Communities in India	Dr. Arjun R (CO-PI)	9,00,00,000/-	2023-2026	Ongoing
2.	Tamil Nadu State Archaeology	Maski Early Medieval Archaeological Survey	Dr. Arjun R	4,60,000/-	2024-25	Completed

	Department, Chennai	(Exploration)	(PI)			
3.	Tamil Nadu State Archaeology Department, Chennai	Maski Early Medieval Archaeological Survey (Excavation)	Dr. Arjun R (PI)	16,50,000/-	2024-25	Ongoing
4.	Indian Council of Historical Research	Stone Tool Economy and Resources Use in Raichur Doab	Dr. Arjun R (PI)	65,311/-	2023-25	Ongoing
5.	Indian Council of Social Science Research	Major Research Project (2024– 25) entitled ‘Nātha Sampradāya in Maharashtra: Ethnographic, Sculptural, and Textual Insights into a Living Tradition’.	Dr. Vijay Sarde (PI)	16,00,000/-	2025-27	Ongoing

Honors/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

1. Dr. Arjun R, received Rs. 77,000/- Travel Grant for World Neolithic Congress, Sanliurfa from Indian Council of Social Science Research (2024-25).

International collaborations:

1. Central University of Karnataka and Ghent University, Belgium are collaborative Research Project on “Nilgiri Archaeological Research Project, Upland Societies and Forest Communities in India”, 2023-2026 (MoU).

Industry collaborations:

1. Central University of Karnataka and Tamil Nadu Archaeological Research Project on Maski Archaeological Research 2023-2026 (MoU)

Memberships in Professional bodies:

- 1) ICOM, Paris, Faculty, Dr. Arjun R
- 2) Marathwada Itihas Parishad, Chhatrapati Sambhaji Nagar, Maharashtra, Dr. Vijay Sarde.
- 3) South Indian History Congress, Dr. Sri Laxmi T

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Merugu Srija	4201007996	UGC- NET	97.49 %	10/2024



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2.	Dilshad RoshanK.	KK08002524	UGC-NET	24.46 %	12/2024
3.	Marrivada Sai Abhishek	KK08002296	UGC-NET	87.44 %	12/2024
4.	Abdul Samad E.T.K.	KL07001739	UGC-NET	99.045 %	12/2024

Internships:

Sl. no	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	University/Institute	Duration
1	Syed Aliasger Haider Zaidi	24PHIST030	Archaeological survey of India (ASI) Hampi circle	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	13/01/2025-1/02/2025
2	Ashwini D Desai	24PHIST007	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	13/1/2025-1/02/2025
3	Muhammed Aslam TC	23PHIST010	Malaibar Foundation for Research and Development, Calicut	Malaibar Foundation for Research and Development, Calicut	03/12/2024 - 21/12/2024
4	Baibhavi Bhattacharyya	23PHIST003	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	13/01/2025 -01/02/2025
5	M Prameesha Sastry	23UHIST012	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	Archaeological Survey of India, Hampi circle, Kamalapur.	13/01/2025-01/02/2025
6	Muhammed niyad v	23UHIST013	Pazhassi Raja Archaeology Museum, Department of Archaeology, Kozhikode Kerala	Pazhassi Raja Archaeology Museum, Department of Archaeology, Kozhikode Kerala	18/12/2024-31/12/2024
7	Jeeva M	22UGEHI10	Basaveshwar B.A & B.COM Degree College, Kalaburagi	Basaveshwar B.A & B.Com Degree College, Kalaburagi	02/12/2024 - 21/12/2024
8	Halavathu Siri	22UGEHI08	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	01/12/2024-31/12/2024
9	Md Sahil Umar Khan	22UGEHI15	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	31/11/24 - 30/12/24
10	Md Sahil Umar Khan	22UGEHI15	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	G P Birla Archaeological Astronomical and Scientific Research Institute, Hyderabad	31/11/24 - 30/12/24

Higher education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Ms. Merugu Srija	22PGHIS08	PG to Ph.D	Central University of Karnataka	02/2025

Placement details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/Y Y
1	Yogesh	2019MHIS20	Assistant Professor	Khaja Banda Nawaz university, Kalaburagi	08/2024
2	Sharat Sahu	21PGHIS21	Assistant Professor	Rajendra University in Balangir, Odisha	11/2024
3	Hariram	20PGHIS07	Assistant Professor	Gyana Sudha Degree College, Bidar	01/2025

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	23.10.2024	From Forests to Shores: Exploring Landscapes and Material Culture of the Western Ghats and Malabar Coast Inaugurated at CUK.	An International Symposia organised by Dr. Arjun R and Dr. Daniela De Simone, Project Director of the Nilgiri Archaeological Research Project. Dr. Sara Mondini from Department of Languages and Cultures, Ghent University, Belgium delivered their talks at Auditorium 1, CUK. The symposium was organised as part of the ongoing research project Nilgiri Archaeological Research Project between Dr. Arjun R (Co PI) and Dr. Daniela De Simone (PI).

Alumni activity:

Alumni Meet held in the Department of History and Archaeology, dated 11/03/ 2025.

Any other activity in the department:

1. Paitrika-Annual Cultural Festival of the Department February 21st-23rd, 2025
2. Orientation for the guests visiting the Department of Archaeology Museum, attended by Scholars on January 7th, 2025.

3. The National Seminar on Jain Art, Architecture, and Archaeology Venue: Deccan College Post-Graduate and Research Institute, Pune on August 31st, 2024.
4. Field Visit/Historical Walk/Study tour, Aland, Nimbarga Chinchansur, January 24th, 2025.
5. Field visit to Gulbarga Fort and Dargah on March 15th, 2025.
6. Heritage sensitization program for the School Children from the event 'Introducing Prehistory' for the School Children from the Government Primary School, Ganjbablad, January 16th, 2025.
7. Field Visit to Prehistoric Sites in Raichur district for Field Archaeology course, Post Graduate 2nd semester Students on November 13th–14th, 2024.
8. Plantation Drive on August 1st, 2024.
9. Observance of Partition Horrors Remembrance Day 2024 on August 14th, 2024
10. Awareness on the Anti-Ragging program on August 28th, 2024.
11. UGC- NET Orientation programme on October 18th, 2024.
12. Orientation for the guests visiting the Department of Archaeology Museum, attended by Scholars on January 7th, 2025
13. The National Seminar on Jain Art, Architecture, and Archaeology Venue: Deccan College Post-Graduate and Research Institute, Pune on August 31st, 2024
14. Field Visit/Historical Walk/Study tour, Aland, Nimbarga Chinchansur, January 24th, 2025
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Events at the Department:



Students of Government Primary School, Ganjbablad, visited the Archaeology Museum, Dept. of History and Archaeology, CUK on 16/01/2025



Paitrika Department event inauguration on 21/02/2025



Field study conducted for PG Second Semester students at Raichur, Karnataka



Delegates/ collaborators from Ghent University, Belgium, in the international Symposia from Forests to Shores: Exploring Landscapes and Material Culture of the Western Ghats and Malabar Coast.

4.12.3 Department of Psychology

Head: Prof. Vijyendra Pandey

The Department of Psychology beseeches the 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. The Department, through education and research, targets to nurture manifold areas of behavioural sciences and attempts to improve the quality of life of individuals as well as the society. The Department helps students to develop an understanding of the complexity of human behavior by undertaking critical analysis of biological, intra-psychic, interpersonal, social, political, cultural and economic forces that influence human behavior. The students and the faculty alike are encouraged to become empathically involved in efforts that lead to greater social justice and the achievement of human kind's full potential.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ B.Sc. in Psychology (4 Years)
- ❖ M.Sc. in Psychology (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D.

B.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	07	08	05	01	00	00	21
Female	26	20	03	03	02	00	54

M.Sc. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	08	04	01	00	01	00	14
Female	19	12	10	04	02	00	47

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	00	00	00	01	00	00	01
Female	06	04	00	00	01	01	12

**Faculty related Information****Permanent faculty members:**

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Romate John	Professor	Clinical and Counselling Psychology
Dr. Vijyendra Pandey	Professor	Applied Social Psychology, Organizational Behaviour, Social Justice
Dr. Jeyavel S.	Associate Professor	Educational & Health Psychology
Dr. Akriti Srivastava	Assistant Professor	Organizational Behaviour, Human Resource Management, Cognitive Psychology, Social Psychology
Dr. Ravinder Kumar	Assistant Professor	Psychometrics, Clinical Psychology, Experimental Psychology, Psychological testing
Dr. Rameshbabu Tamarana	Assistant Professor	Clinical Psychology, Social Psychology, Curriculum Design, Teaching and Learning in Psychology
Dr. Astha Arora	Assistant Professor	Neuropsychology, Clinical Psychology, Cognitive Psychology

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual	Hourly Basis
Assif Hassan	Ardra
Aswathy Gopi	-
Krishna Prabhakar T	-
Sindhu D M	-
Astha	-
Rintu Das	-
Manjima Mahesh	-
Ujjwal Manoj	-
Nilesh Nayak	-
Athulya S	-

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)	Name (Regular/Contract)
1. Devendrappa B (Lab Assistant)	2. Ahmed (Multi-Tasking Staff)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

- 1 **Tamarana, R.**, Mathur, M., Madhusudan, V., and Annapurna Kiranmai, P. (2025). Cyber-victimization—Influence of Parental Rules and Impact on Mental Health among Indian Adolescents. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 16, 1470202. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2025.1470202> (Scopus Indexed Impact Factor: 2.6)
- 2 **Kumar, R.**, Tamarana, R., and Sharma, V. (2025). Examining the Interaction: Justice Sensitivity and Romantic Relationship Conflict Dynamics. *Journal of the Indian Academy of Applied Psychology*, 51(1), 227-237. (UGC Care)
- 3 Mandal, Satchit Prasun; Pandey, Vijyendra; Bonal, Raghavendra B.; Sharma, Abhishek; Astha, Arora; Rajesh, Viju; Saha, Proshanto Kr. (2024). Navigating the Death Attitudes and Anxiety during COVID-19: Role of dispositional Mindfulness and Tranquil ego. *Journal of Education and Health Promotion* 13(1) | DOI: 10.4103/jehp.jehp_1507_23 (Scopus Indexed Impact Factor: 1.62)
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1. Monika, U., & **Romate, J.** (2024). The Lesser-Known Phenomenon of Sports: A Systematic Review of Runners' High. *Indian Journal of Psychological Science* Vol, 19(1).

Authored in book chapters:

1. Choudhary, S., **Srivastava, A.** & Srivastava, A. 'Do You Have an AI Mindset? Development and Validation of AI Mindset Questionnaire' in *Data Driven Decision Making* edited by Jeanne Poulouse, Vinod Sharma and Chandan Maheshkar in Springer Nature Singapore Pte Ltd., 14th December, 2024. ISBN 978-981-97-2901-2 and ISBN 978-981-97-2902-9 (eBook)
2. Saini, S. S. & **Kumar, R.** Forgiveness and Healing: Cross Cultural Perspectives on Psychological and Spiritual Approaches. In Joshi, R., Tiwari, R., Mohan pant, L. & Kumar Gupta, D. (Eds.) *Positive Psychology Across Indian and Western Spiritual Paradigms* OPUS PUBLISHER & DISTRIBUTORS, Shahdara Delhi, ISBN 978-93-49354-34-0
3. Book Chapter Astha, **A and Pandey, V.** (2024), Are Indians accustomed to trade time for free, *Viksit Bharat@2047: way towards self-reliance*
4. Lipsa, J. M., Rajkumar, E., & **Romate, J.** (2025). The Role of COM-B Model on Health Protective Behaviours Among Adults During COVID-19: A Mixed Method Approach. In *Building a Resilient and Responsible World: Psychological Perspectives from India* (pp. 315-335). Singapore: Springer Nature Singapore.

Invited Talks/Plenary Lectures/Keynote Address/Chaired the Session:

1. **Dr. Akriti Srivastava** chaired the session in the 34th Annual Convention of National Academy of Psychology (NAOP) in collaboration with Christ (Deemed to be University), Delhi NCR Campus on Contemporary Patterns and Future Trajectories in Psychological Sciences: Advancing from Interdisciplinarity to Transdisciplinary organized by Department of Psychology Christ (Deemed to be University), Delhi NCR Campus from February 17th–20th, 2025.

2. **Dr. Akriti Srivastava** delivered a lecture on ‘Mental Health Among Young Adults’ in the Department of Psychology, University of Allahabad, from October 14th–15th, 2024.
3. **Dr. Jeyavel, S.** have been invited as a resource person to deliver a lecture on “Upside of Stress: Stress is Enhancing Mindset” on 31-01-2025 during the 12th Faculty Induction Program, organised by Mizoram University, Malaviya Mission Teachers Training Centre from January 21st – February 17th, 2025.
4. **Dr. Jeyavel, S.** have been invited as a resource person to handle an “Academic Stress Management” session for teachers on March 19th, 2025 at PM, Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya, Kalaburagi.
5. **Dr. Jeyavel, S.** have been invited to Chair the Scientific Session on March 27th, 2025 during 3rd International Conference of Applied Psychology and IV Indian Congress on Industrial and Organizational Psychology on “Building Sustainable Organizations: Psychological Issues and Challenges” from March 26th–27th, 2025 organized by the Department of Applied Psychology, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science and Technology, Hisar-125001, Haryana in collaboration with Society of Industrial and Organizational Psychology (SOIOP).
6. **Dr. Jeyavel, S.** have been invited to co-chair the Scientific Session titled “Social Psychology” on February 20, 2025, during 34th Annual Convention of NAOP on “Contemporary Patterns and Future Trajectories in Psychological Sciences: Advancing from Interdisciplinarity to transdisciplinary” from 18th to 20th February 2025 organised by the Department of Psychology, Christ (Deemed to be University) Delhi NCR Campus.
7. **Dr. Rameshbabu Tamarana** Chaired a session at the 7th International Conference of the Asia Pacific School Psychology Association (APSPA), Malaysia, and the Indian School Psychology Association (InSPA) on AI and the future of School Psychology and Education, March 6th-8th 2025, Goa.
8. **Dr. Rameshbabu Tamarana** delivered an invited lecture on “Scope of Forensic Psychology – Careers and Opportunities”, organised by the Department of Psychology, Christ (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru, January 17th, 2025.
9. **Dr. Ravinder Kumar** Delivered an invited lecture on Stress Management for NSS volunteers at Central University of Haryana August 13th, 2024.
10. **Dr. Vijyendra Pandey** chaired a session in the National Conference on Mental Health, Well-being, and Technology at IIT Bhilai on March 21st–22nd, 2025.
11. **Dr. Vijyendra Pandey** was invited as a resource person to handle an “Upside of Stress” session for teachers on March 13th, 2025 at PM, Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya, Kalaburagi.
12. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled "Enhancing Research Impact and Visibility" at the National-Level Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Research Excellence: From Design to Dissemination organised by the RDC, Montfort College, Bangalore, on March 21st, 2025.
13. Prof. Romate John delivered a special invited lecture titled "Career Path of Young Psychologists" during the 16th Young Psychologist Competition & Undergraduate Research Conference, organized by the School of Psychological Sciences, Christ (Deemed to be University), Central Campus, Bengaluru, on March 17th, 2025.
14. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled "Writing Research Papers in APA Style" at the Department of Psychology, Guwahati University, Assam, on February 27th, 2025.
15. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled "Enhancing Research Visibility and APA Style Academic writing" at the Department of Psychology, Projothynikethan College, Thrissur, on January 13th, 2025.

16. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled “Skills Development for Early School Leavers” during the National Skill Conference (NSC) organised by FVRTS on November 29th, 2024, in Bangalore.
17. Prof. Romate John delivered a special invited lecture titled "Effective Use of Nonviolent Communication" at the Department of Psychology, BMS College, Bangalore, on November 27th, 2024.
18. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled "Internship in Clinical Psychology: Practices in the Light of NEP 2022" at the Department of Psychology, Bangalore University, on August 19th, 2024.
19. Prof. Romate John delivered a special lecture titled "Academic Writing Skills and Research Visibility" for faculty members and students at the Department of Psychology, Karnatak University, on August 17th, 2024.
20. Prof. Romate John conducted a special lecture titled "Counseling Skills for Postgraduate Students of Psychology" at the Department of Psychology, Christ University, Bangalore, on March 18th, 2025.
21. Prof. Romate John conducted a two-day workshop titled "Personal and Professional Development" at the School of Social Sciences, Chanakya University, Bangalore, on November 13th –14th, 2024.
22. Prof. Romate John conducted a session titled "Research Project Evaluation and Review" at the Academic Affairs Unit, Alliance University, Bangalore, on October 11th –12th 2024
23. Prof. Romate John conducted a workshop titled "Research and Professional Development" at the Department of Psychology, St. Joseph’s University, Bangalore, on July 23rd, 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. Avni Dubey and **Kumar R.**, “The Silent Treatment in Romantic Relationships: Examining the Role of Adult Attachment Styles”. Two-day National Conference on “Well-being and Mental Health”, 21st -22nd March 2025. Indian Institute of Technology, Bhilai (National).
2. **Dilna K** “Mapping the psychological consequences of Vitriolage: A Scoping Review”. Two-day Doctoral National Conference (DRNC) held from 12th -13th November 2024, organized by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences at NIT Hamirpur (National).
3. **Dilna K** “Mental Health Impact as an aftermath in the Victimization of Corrosive Attacks: A Systematic Review”. 34th Annual Convention of National Association of Psychology (NAOP) themed “Contemporary Patterns and future trajectories in Psychological Sciences: Advancing from Interdisciplinarity to Transdisciplinarity” organised by Department of Psychology, Christ Delhi NCR-Campus, from 18th-20th February, 2025 (National).
4. **Dilna K** “Performance Analysis and Science Mapping in Vitriolage: A Bibliometric Analysis” at two-day International seminar on “Breaking Barriers: Advancing Psychological Well-being across Borders” organised by SDM PG Centre on 13th & 14th December 2024 (International).
5. **Pathloth Pradeep Kumar**, “Building Trust in Generative AI: A Qualitative Exploration of Factors Influencing Trust among IT Professionals”. Two-Day International Conference on “Holistic Health: Exploring Interconnected Realms of Well-Being (HHERW 2024)”, 17th –18th September 2024. Faculty of Behavioural & Social Sciences (FBSS), SGT University, Gurugram, Haryana, India (International).
6. Prarthana Dutta and **Astha A.**, “Physiological Responses to Short-vs. Long- Form videos: An HRV Analysis”. Two-day National Conference on “Well-being and Mental Health”, 21st-22nd March 2025. Indian Institute of Technology, Bhilai (National).
7. **Sayujya (Co-author)**, (1) Building Trust in Generative AI: A Qualitative Exploration of Factors Influencing Trust among IT Professionals and (2) Relationship between Spontaneous Self Affirmation and

- Smartphone Addiction among different Age Groups on 18th September 2024 at the International Conference on Holistic Health: Exploring Interconnected Realms of Well-Being” Organized by the Faculty of Behavioral & Social Sciences (FBSS), SGT University, Gurugram, Haryana India in collaboration with Faculty of Social Sciences & Humanities, UTM Malaysia, College of Physical Education & Sport, Palestro, Czech Republic. Keele University, UK (International).
8. **Sayujya (Co-author)**, ‘Relationship between School Connectedness and Academic Self-Concept among adolescents’ at 34th Annual Convention of National Association of Psychology (NAOP) themed “Contemporary Patterns and future trajectories in Psychological Sciences: Advancing from Interdisciplinarity to Transdisciplinarity” organised by Department of Psychology, Christ Delhi NCR-Campus, from 18th-20th February, 2025 (National).
 9. **Sayujya**, “Incorporating olfactory cues in psychotherapies: A scoping review” at Synoid 3. O at Surana College, Bangalore in August 2024 (National).
 10. **Sayujya**, “Olfactory stimuli in the workplace happiness” at the two-day international seminar on “Breaking Barriers: Advancing Psychological Well-being Across Borders” organized by SDM PG Centre on 13th & 14th December 2024 (National).
 11. **Sruthi K S (Co-author)** “Investigating the Role of Emotional Eating in the Relationship between Acculturative Stress and Body Image Dissatisfaction”. International Conference on “Holistic Health: Exploring Interconnected Realms of Well-Being (HHERW 2024)”, 17th-18th September 2024. Faculty of Behavioural & Social Sciences (FBSS), SGT University, Gurugram, Haryana, India (International).
 12. **Sruthi K.S.**, “Interventions to Manage Cardiac Anxiety among Individuals with Cardiovascular Diseases and Non-Cardiac Chest Pain: A Systematic Review”. Three-Day AMALIT International Conference on “Transacting Limits: Innovations in Psychological Research”, 30th-31st January & 1st February 2025. Amal College of Advanced Studies, Nilambur, Kerala (International).
 13. **Sruthi S** “Family Environment Its Relationship with Active and Passive Procrastination” has been presented at the 34th Annual Convention of the National Academy of Psychology (NAoP) India 2025, on the theme “Contemporary Patterns and Future Trajectories in Psychological Sciences: Advancing from Interdisciplinarity to Transdisciplinarity” organised by Christ (Deemed to be University) Delhi NCR Campus held during 18th-20th February 2025 (National).
 14. **Vany Mol (Co-author)**, “Fear of Failure and Self-efficacy in Prospective Memory Among Young Adults”. Two-Day International Conference on “Holistic Health: Exploring Interconnected Realms of Well-being (HHERW 2024)”, 17th-18th September 2024. Shree Guru Gobind Singh Tricentenary University (SGT University), Gurugram, Haryana (International).
 15. **Vany Mol K S**, “Understanding the Health Literacy Needs of Women with Polycystic Ovary Syndrome: A Review”, at National Symposium on Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS): Current trends and innovative approaches, JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research, Mysuru on 28th and 29th April, 2025 (International).
 16. **Vany Mol**, “Mental Health Literacy in the Digital Era: A Systematic Review of Intervention Strategies and Outcomes”. 3rd International Virtual Conference (Manoprabha-2024) on “Mental Health and Quality of Life in the Age of Technology”, 6th-7th December, 2024. Shri Vaishnav Vidyapeeth Vishwavidyalaya, Indore (International).



Ph.D awarded:

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status
1	Monica Daniel	20DPPSY04	Dr. Eslavath Rajkumar	Smoking Rationalization Beliefs Scale Development and Validation Among College Students	Awarded
2	Julia Grace Jacob	20DPPSY03	Prof. Romate John	Experienced-Compassionate Communication in Employee coworker Relationships Scale Development and Psychometric Evaluation	Awarded
3	Aswathy Gopi	20DPPSY02	Prof. Romate John	Mediating Role of Behavioural Integration and Resilience on the Relationship Between Voice Climate and Learning A Team-Level Analysis	Awarded
4	Astha	PHDPSY1901	Prof. Vijendra Pandey	Neuro-Electrical Responses of Decision to Escalate and De-Escalate Commitment in Relationships Role of Cognitive-Emotional Interplay.	Awarded
5	Aleena P Mathew	20DPPSY01	Dr. Jeyavel S	Role of School Teachers Attribution Goal Orientation and Self-Regulation on Resilience	Awarded
6	Sindhu D M	20DPPSY06	Dr. Eslavath Rajkumar	Perceptions of Adolescents on School Bullying A Qualitative Inquiry	Awarded
7	Monika Umakantha	20DPPSY05	Prof. Romate John	Exploring the Experience of Runners High Among Indian Athletes	Awarded
8	Vismaya A	21DPPSY02	Prof. Romate John	The Effect of Interpersonal Forgiveness on Salivary Cortisol Levels among Young Adults	Awarded

Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

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1	Dr. Ravinder Kumar	One Month Faculty Induction Programme Under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MMTTP) Organised by Mata Vaishno Devi University Katra, J&K from 17 th Feb to 19 th March 2025.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	CUK/ACAD-II/F-3787/02	Mental Health of University Students in Kalaburagi, India	Dr. Rameshbabu Tamarana	1,00,000/-	2024-25	Ongoing
2	CUK/ACAD-II/F-3787/03	Developing a Resilience and Competency-Based Module for Faculty in Indian Higher Education	Dr. Astha	1,00,000/-	2025-26	Ongoing



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3	CUK/ACAD-II/F-3787/01	Assessment of Risk-Taking Behavior in University Students	Dr. Akriti Srivastava	1,00,000/-	2024-25	Ongoing
4	ICSSR	Promoting Mental Health Help seeking Behaviour and Reducing mental health stigma among Tribal students	Prof. Romate John (Co-PI)	1,51,0000/-	2025-2027	Ongoing

Memberships in professional bodies:

- 1) Indian Academy of Applied Psychology (IAAP) Dr. Ravinder Kumar, Dr. Jeyavel, S.; Prof. Vijyendra Pandey
- 2) American Psychological Association- Dr. Jeyavel, S.
- 3) Association of Health Psychologists, Life member - Prof. Romate John

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6	Anvar Sha	20IMPSY07	GATE-2025	273 (Rank)	XH25S61412050	19.03.2025
7	Roshni Varma	20IMPSY13	GATE-2025	1890 (Rank)	XH25S61412066	19.03.2025
8	Sangeeth Krishna S	20IMPSY14	GATE-2025	3333 (Rank)	XH25S67225028	19.03.2025
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12	Akanksha Kumari	21IMPSY04	GATE-2025	2919 (Rank)	XH25S61337032	19.03.2025
13	Dwitha S	21IMPSY14	GATE-2025	2215 (Rank)	XH25S61337118	19.03.2025
14	Swetha K	21IMPSY19	GATE-2025	3333 (Rank)	XH25S61337004	19.03.2025
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16	Vibha Kachihap	21IMPSY37	GATE-2025	2862 (Rank)	XH25S61337112	19.03.2025
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22	Ashitha Rajan	23PPSYC005	GATE-2025	3170 (Rank)	XH25S61434133	19.03.2025
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32	Hanan N	24PPSYC015	GATE-2025	1280(Rank)	XH25S61337144	19.03.2025
33	Komal Diwakar Zade	24PPSYC017	GATE-2025	2779 (Rank)	XH25S61337116	19.03.2025
34	Medha Brigitte Varghese	24PPSYC021	GATE-2025	1342 (Rank)	XH25S61337044	19.03.2025
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36	Prena Rai	24PPSYC033	GATE-2025	2951 (Rank)	XH25S61337094	19.03.2025
37	Sruthi KS	22DPPSY03	GATE-2025	623 (Rank)	XH25S61414054	19.03.2025
38	Ramavath Bhanusankar Naik	22UPSYC018	GATE-2025	3333 (Rank)	XH25S61337154	19.03.2025
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42	Satakshi	2015DPY64	NET-PhD	170 (Score)	UP03016425	22.02.2025
43	Prarthana Dutta	23DPSYC003	NET-PHD	212 (Score)	DOYPD8034L	22.02.2025
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45	Dristika Raj	23DPSYCT006	NET	216 (Score)	KK08002774	22.02.2025
46	A E Keerthi Dheera	21IMPSY01	NET	210 (Score)	KK08002775	22.02.2025
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16	AKANKSHA KUMARI KOLLI	21IMPSY04	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
17	DWITHA S	21IMPSY14	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
18	JYOTHI SWARUP GOLLAPUDI	21IMPSY18	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
19	K SWETHA	21IMPSY19	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
20	KALAVATI KHANDU	21IMPSY20	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
21	KAMALA NAIR G S	21IMPSY21	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
22	NALLAMADDI HARSHITHA REDDY	21IMPSY25	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
23	NAVANEETH M J	21IMPSY26	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
24	PENDEM ABHIGNA	21IMPSY28	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
25	SANDLI ARVIND BILE	21IMPSY31	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
26	SHIVANI BASAWARAJ TADAKAL	21IMPSY32	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
27	SOUMYA KALSE	21IMPSY34	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
28	VASANTH S	21IMPSY36	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
29	VIBHA KACHHAP	21IMPSY37	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
30	VINITHA V DARMADOL	21IMPSY38	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
31	NEERAJ S S	21IMPSY39	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024
32	T SINDHUJA	21IMPSY40	UG to PG	Central University of Karnataka	06/2024

Placement details

Sl.No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YYYY
1	Arunima	2019DPYZ10	Junior Manager	The Federal Bank Ltd, HR Talent Acquisition & Deployment, Federal Towers, P O Box No.103, Aluva, Kerala, India 683101 E-mail: postings@federalbank.co.in; Phone: 0484-2634123	02/2025



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2	Amrit Singh Chauhan	21IMPSY06	HR Manager	Offshore IT Mitra Pvt Ltd. C101, Phase-II, 18 Longitude, Punawale, Pune 411033 Tel: +91 20 4121 1988 www.offshoremitra.com	05/2024
3.	Athulya S	22PGPSY05	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	10/2024
4	Manjima Mahesh	2019DPY21	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	09/2024
5	Neilesh Nayak	22PGPSY12	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	10/ 2024
6	Alaknanda G.	2019DPY03	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	02/2025
7	Aditi	2019DPY02	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	02/2025
8.	Rintu Das	22PGPSY14	Teaching Faculty	Central University of Karnataka	09/2024
9.	Ankit Anand	22PGPSY01	Teaching Faculty	Geetam University, Hyderabad	02/ 2025
10.	Thara Biju	22PGPSY23	Human Resources Specialist	Hourglass Essentials (a.k.a) Company Store IO,Bangalore.,ph no: 7676022222.	07/2024
11.	Dr. Aswathy Gopi	20DPPSY02	Assistant Professor	SRM university, Andhra Pradesh	08/2024
12.	Ms. Monika Umakantha	20DPPSY05	Lead Psychology Services - Bengaluru	Sukoon Healthcare Services Pvt. Ltd. Bengaluru	03/2025
13.	Aleena P Mathew	20DPPSY01	Assistant Professor	Rajagiri College of social sciences, Kochi, Kerala	06/2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organized:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	30.08.2024	Workshop on Systematic Review	A workshop on "Systematic Review" was conducted by Dr. Julia Grace Jacob, Assistant Professor, Department of Applied Psychology, GITAM School of Humanities and Social Sciences. The objective of the workshop is to provide in-depth knowledge and practical skills on systematic review.
2	03.09.2024	Practical Issues in Psychotherapies and JPMR	An online lecture on the topic of "Practical Issues in Psychotherapies and Jacobson's Progressive Muscle Relaxation (JPMR)" is delivered by Dr. Sativinder Singh Saini, Play therapist, PGIMER Chandigarh. The

			objective of this lecture is to provide participants with a deeper understanding of the practical challenges encountered in psychotherapeutic settings, as well as effective strategies for implementing JPMR techniques.
3	24.10.2024	Stress Management at Workplace	<p>As part of Mental Health Week, a special lecture on "Stress Management at the Workplace" was organised for students and teachers.</p> <p>The session was conducted by Dr. Prabhu Kiran, a renowned psychiatrist, who shared practical strategies to recognize, manage, and reduce stress in academic and professional environments. The insightful talk emphasized the importance of mental well-being, healthy routines, and emotional resilience. Participants found the session highly engaging and beneficial for everyday life.</p>

Alumni activity:

The Department of Psychology, Central University of Karnataka (CUK), organised an Alumni Meet on 11th March 2025, bringing together former students to reconnect, share their journeys, and contribute to the department's growth. The event was a platform for alumni from diverse backgrounds to reflect on their experiences and inspires current students. In total, 4 PhD scholars, 34 postgraduate students, and one undergraduate student participated in the meeting. A total of Rs.5600 was contributed by the alumni for the departmental growth as the token of respect and gratitude.

Any other activity in the department:

1. Community engagement

1. Organised a one-day community engagement programme by Prof. Romate John for 210 high school students at St. Mary's School, Kothanoor, Kalaburagi, with M.Sc. Psychology students facilitating 16 subgroup batches to prepare for examinations and manage stress on 1st March 2025.
2. The Department of Psychology organized a one-day workshop at St. Xavier's PUC College, Bangalore Road, Kalaburagi, to develop effective communication skills for 19 subgroup batches, benefiting 192 students; this programme was coordinated by Prof. Romate John on 8th February 2025.
3. Prof. Romate John organized a one-day self-development skills training workshop for orphaned and vulnerable children at the PPYAR Centre, Kalaburagi, as part of the Department's community engagement on 27th January 2025.
4. On 27th January 2025, a community engagement workshop was conducted for 131 medical college students at KBN Medical College to develop effective interpersonal and professional skills; the session was coordinated by Prof. Romate John.
5. A one-day study skills workshop for St. Mary's PUC students was organised by Prof. Romate John as part of community engagement, involving B.Sc. V-semester students to provide field exposure; 165 students benefited from training in learning habits and study techniques.
6. A personality development training programme for 233 students at Balmat Don Bosco School was organised by Prof. Romate John to provide practicum exposure and develop effective interpersonal skills.
7. A one-day workshop for JNV School and Korwar School students in Kalaburagi was coordinated by Prof. Romate John to develop personal development and academic skills as part of the Department's community

engagement initiatives.

8. A one-day group-training workshop on effective interpersonal skills for 230 students at Vivekananda School was organised by Prof. Romate John as part of the Department's community engagement.
9. A one-day counselling-oriented session for 140 students at SUPM School, Kalaburagi City, was coordinated by Prof. Romate John to help them handle socio-emotional issues effectively.
10. A group-counselling session for 145 students in 12 batches at St. Mary's High School was conducted as part of the Department's community engagement initiatives coordinated by Prof. Romate John.
11. Regular counselling and guidance services were provided every Saturday during the 2024–25 academic year to students at Vivekananda School, St. Xavier's School, St. Mary's School, and Don Bosco School, Kalaburagi, benefiting 348 students in various academic and personal development aspects under the supervision of Prof. Romate John.

2. Events at the department:

1. The Department of Psychology at the Central University of Karnataka organised *Metanoia 2024*, a vibrant and impactful celebration of World Mental Health Week from 21st to 24th October 2024. This multi-day event was designed to promote mental health awareness, encourage psychological well-being, and engage the university community in meaningful dialogue and activities centered around mental health.
2. As part of World Suicide Prevention Day, the Department of Psychology at Central University of Karnataka organised an awareness talk on the theme "*Changing the Narrative on Suicide*" with the call to action "*Start the Conversation*" on 10/09/2024. The event featured a keynote session by Dr. Ashwini N. V. from Muktha Foundation, focusing on gate keeping, psychological first aid, and suicide prevention strategies. The program was graced by the Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Dean, and faculty members, and included active participation from students. The event emphasized the importance of mental health awareness and peer support in preventing suicide.



Alumni Meet on 11th March 2025



Mental Health Week 21st -24th October 2024



World Suicide Prevention Day 10/09/2024

4.12.4 Department of Public Administration

Head: Prof. Pavitra R. Alur

Co-ordinator: Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar

Department of Public Administration is offering PG programme in Public Administration & Governance from July 2020 and Ph.D. Program since 2021, which is a very new initiative both at the national and state levels in the academic history of Public Administration. This is one of the first Public Administration Department in a University in South India. The new emerging programme, 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:

- ❖ M.A. in Public Administration and Governance (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Public Administration and Governance (3 Years)

MA students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	02	06	04	02	02	-	16
Female	04	11	05	01	01	-	22

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	-	05	01	-	-	-	06
Female	01	02	-	-	01	-	04

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav	Assistant Professor	Police Administration, Organization Development and Change, Organizational Behaviour
Dr. Kiran M Gajanur	Assistant Professor	Political Theory, Welfare governance, Gender governance
Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar	Assistant Professor	International Relations, Urban Governance, Indian Politics and Health Administration
Dr. Sandeep Inampudi	Assistant Professor	Bureaucracy, Indian Administration, Public Service Delivery, Disaster Management and Urban Governance

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Dr. Priyanka & Dr. Kiran. M. Gajanur. (2025). Portrayal of Gender-Based Atrocities in Kannada movie Kateera. *Anhad Lok*, ISSN 2349-137X, 65–71.
2. Mallikarjun S Hugar, “Chief of Defense Staff: A Rank that Enhances the Integration of Armed Forces”, *International Journal for Multidisciplinary Research*, 06(4), July-August 2024, E-ISSN 2582-2160, 01-05.
3. Minampati, V. R. R., Gaurav, A. K., Malik, P., & Jhaveri, S. (2025). Evaluating the Impact of Institutional, Non-Institutional & Media on Public Awareness of PMFBY: Evidence from Indian States Using Regression Analysis. *Research on World Agricultural Economy*, 738–758. <https://doi.org/10.36956/rwae.v6i2.1673>
4. Gaurav, A. K. (2024). Network Governance: Concepts, Theories, and Applications. *Administrative Theory & Praxis*, 1–4. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10841806.2024.2397321>

Non-peer reviewed Publications (Articles in Newspaper and others)

1. Dr. Kiran. M. Gajanur. No Need For Presidential Model (Parliament is a Great Pillar that Provides the Secular, Pluralistic, and Progressive Ethos that this Country Needs). Samaj Mukhi Magazine, February 2025, ISSN 2581-7299.
2. Dr. Kiran. M. Gajanur. (2005). A Story of Life and Love Blossoming Amidst Violence and Suffering. *Plural Literature Review*, Volume 2(Issue 5), 36-40.
3. Dr. Kiran. M. Gajanur. (2005). Issues and Challenges of Higher Education in India. Samaj Mukhi monthly Magazine, May 2025,36-38, ISSN 2581-7299.

Books edited

1. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur** (2024), Decentralization & Local Self Government, Karnataka State Open University, Mysore, Karnataka
2. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur** (2024), Electronic Governance, Karnataka State Open University, Mysore, Karnataka
3. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur**(2024), State, Society and Public Administration, Karnataka State Open University, Mysore, Karnataka

Authored in book chapters:

1. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, “An Empirical Analysis of Environmental Policies in India with Special Reference to Environmental Impact Assessment Act 2020” in edited book title “Geo-Environmental Issues in Anthropocene”, edited by Babu Nallusamy, M.A. Mohammed Aslam, Published by Excel India Publishers., 2024, ISBN- 978-93-91355-95-1.
2. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, “Transforming Institutions for Inclusive and Sustainable Governance: An Empirical Analysis of NITI Aayog’s Role in India” in book title “Governance and Sustainable Development in South Asia”, by Springer, 2024 November, ISBN-978-3-031-67616-1 (eBook).
3. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, “Revitalising the role of Governor in Co-operative Federalism: With special reference to the 75 Years of Journey of India” in edited book title “Polity, Federalism and Gender”, edited by M. R. Biju & M. R. Anantha Padmanabha by Concept Publishing Company Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi, 2025, ISBN-978-93-5594-704-8.
4. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, “Decentralisation Experience of Thirty Years in India with Special Reference to the 74th Amendment Act” in edited book title “Public Administration and Development Dynamics in India”, edited by Syed Najiullah, Ahmed Raza, Naved Ashrafi, Published by Trueword Publication. Delhi, 2025, ISBN- 978-81-971781-9-1.
5. **Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav**, “Transforming Institutions for Inclusive and Sustainable Governance: An Empirical Analysis of NITI Aayog’s Role in India” in book title “Governance and Sustainable Development in South Asia”, by Springer, 2024 November, ISBN-978-3-031-67616-1 (eBook).

Invited talks:

1. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Delivered an Invited Online Lecture on “*The Role of Public Administration in Achieving Viksit Bharat by 2047*” in the Forum of Public Administration: Professors, Administrative officers & Scholars, Nanded (Maharashtra) on 12th December, 2024.
2. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Delivered an Guest Lecture on “*Policy Assessment Framework in the Lens of Social Work-A Stakeholder Perspective*” in the Department of Social Work, School of Social and Behavioral

Science, Central University of Karnataka on 23rd January, 2025

3. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, delivered a Guest Lecture on "*Connecting the Dots: How Public Administration Education Shapes Careers in Governance and Policy*" in the Department of Public Administration, Punjab University on 24th February, 2025
4. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, delivered a Special Talk on "Governing the Ungovernable: How Public Administration can Tackle Emerging Global Crises" in the Department of Public Administration and Local Self Governance, Nagpur University on 25th March, 2025
5. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, delivered a Lecture as a Resource Person, for Ph.D. Coursework Session on "Social Media and Public Policy" organised by DR. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Department of Public Administration, Hyderabad, on 3rd December, 2024.
6. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, as a Panel Speaker delivered a Talk on "Young Scholar Synergy: the Future of Public Administration in India", Two days National Conference on "The Symbiosis Of Democracy And Public Administration In India", organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur from 27th to 28th September, 2024.
7. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, as a Panel Speaker delivered a talk on "Future Direction for Indigenous Administration", Two days National Seminar on "Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: the Road Ahead for Academia and practice", organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
8. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated and gave an online lecture on "Conceptual Discourses on Democracy and Governance" in online refresher course in "Political Science and Public Administration" organised by UGC-MMTTC, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad on 2nd July 2024.
9. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated and gave a Special Lecture on "Research in Contemporary Society: through the Sociological Lens" organised by Dept of Sociology, Bangalore City University, on 15th July 2024.
10. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated and gave a Special Lecture on "Post-modernism and its conditions: A Critical Overview", at Dept of Sociology, Bangalore City University, on 16th July 2024.
11. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated as a resource person and delivered a Lecture on "The Relevance of Gandhi's Politics", organised by Karnataka State Higher Education Academy, Dharwad, on 6th September 2024.
12. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated as a resource person in a Two-Day National Seminar organised by the Social Science and Arts Department, Raichur University, and delivered a talk on "Reinventing the Nature of Dalit Movement in the 21st Century" on 6th November 2024.
13. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated as a Guest Lecturer and gave a lecture on "Philosophy of the Indian Constitution: A Road Map for the 21st Century", organised by the Department of English and Cultural Studies in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), on 21st February 2025.
14. **Dr. Kiran M Gajanur** participated and gave a special lecture on "Politics of development", organised by the Department of Political Science, Mangalore University, on 24th March 2025.
15. **Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar** delivered A Special Lecture On "Youths Issues and Empowerment" In the NES PU College Chittapur on 28th January, 2025.
16. **Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar** participated as a Moderator, "Future direction for indigenous administration", Two days National Seminar on "Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: the Road

Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

1. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, participated and presented paper title, “The Waldo Paradigm: Innovating Indian Public Administration for Vision Viksit Bharat @ 2047”, two days National conference on The Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration In India, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, 27th to 28th September, 2024, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
2. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, participated and presented paper title “Decentralisation and Dysfunction: Analysing the Barriers in Effective Governance and Public Service Delivery in Bihar”, two days National conference on The Symbiosis Of Democracy And Public Administration In India, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, 27th to 28th September, 2024, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
3. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, participated and presented paper title, “The Impact of Decentralization and Street-Level Bureaucracy on Public Service Delivery in India: A Governance Perspective.”, two days National conference on The Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration In India, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, 27th to 28th September, 2024, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
4. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, participated and presented paper title, “An Assessment of the Impact of the Real-Time Governance Society (RTGS) on the Digital Transformation of Public Services in Andhra Pradesh.”, two days National conference on Public Administration and Digital Transformation: Efficiency, Reliability and Effectiveness, organised by Indian Institute of Public Administration, 21st to 22nd November, 2024, New Delhi.
5. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated and Presented paper title, “Integrated Governance Frameworks for Sustainable Development: Theoretical Insights and Policy Implications for Prismatic Societies”, Two Days International conference on Sustainable Development Goals for a Better World: Role of Public Administration, 21st to 22nd January, 2025, organised by MANU, Hyderabad.
6. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated and Presented paper title, “AMRUT scheme and sustainable urban development: A strategic analysis of it’s impact and alignment with SDG goals in India.”, two days International conference on Sustainable Development Goals for a Better World: Role of Public Administration, 21st to 22nd January, 2025. Organised by MANUU, Hyderabad.
7. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated and Presented paper title, “Leveraging the role of Public Private Partnership in Achieving the SDGs in India.”, two days International conference on Sustainable Development Goals for a Better World: Role of Public Administration, 21st to 22nd January, 2025, organised by MANUU, Hyderabad.
8. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated and Presented paper title, “The Role of AI in Modernizing India’s Public Services: A Pathway to Last-Mile Governance”, Five days International conference on “Next Generation Administrative Reforms – Empowering Citizens and Reaching the Last Mile”, 10th to 14th February, 2025, organised by International Institute of Administrative Science (IIAS) with the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG).
9. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated & Presented paper title “Human Impact on Marine Ecosystem in the Anthropocene: Governance & Policy Imperatives for Andhra Pradesh” in, Three days International Conference on “Earth and Environment in Anthropocene (ICEEA-2025)”, 5th to 7th March, 2025, organised by Department of Geology, School of Earth Science, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.

10. **Dr. Sandeep Inampudi**, Participated in, Two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, 20th to 21st March, 2025, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.
11. **Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar**, participated and Presented paper title, “Strengthening Democracy through Decentralization; the impact of panchayat Raj Institutions on Grassroots Governance in India”, two days National conference on The Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration In India, 27th to 28th September, 2024, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
12. **Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar** participated and Presented paper title, “Democratic Accountability in Indian Administration the Role of RTI in Ensuing Transparency”, two days National conference on The Symbiosis Of Democracy And Public Administration In India, 27th to 28th September, 2024, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
13. **Dr. Mallikarjun S Hugar** participated and Jointly Presented paper title, “Ensuring Accountability in Governance; The Role of Maharashtra’s Right of Public Service Delivery Act”, Two Days National conference on The Symbiosis Of Democracy And Public Administration In India, 27th to 28th September, 2024, organised by Department of Public Administration & Local Self Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur.
14. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur** Attended a Two-day National Seminar on Social Movements in India and presented a paper titled “Reimagining the status of women in Indian Society: A Review Article on Politicization of Women Issues And Inefficiency of Bureaucracy – The Role Of Gender Movements”, on 5th November 2024 organised by the Social Science and Arts Department, Raichur University.
15. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur** Attended the Two-Day National Symposium of Kalyan-Karnataka Literature Festival held on 17th and 18th of February 2025, organised by Gulbarga University.
16. **Dr Kiran M Gajanur** Participated as a moderator of the technical session titled ‘Indigenous Governance: A Theoretical Framework’ in the Two-Day National Seminar On “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road Ahead for Academia and Practice” held on 20th & 21st March 2025, Organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka.
17. **Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav**, Participated and Presented paper title, “Leveraging Network Governance for Achieving SDGs in India: The Role of Niti Aayog in Intergovernmental Coordination”, Five days International conference on “Next Generation Administrative Reforms – Empowering Citizens and Reaching the Last Mile”, 10th to 14th February, 2025, organised by International Institute of Administrative Science (IIAS) with the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG).

Ph.D. research scholars:

1. **Ashish Kumar**, Participated and presented a paper titled "Decentralization and Dysfunction: Analysing the Barriers in Effective Governance & Public Service Delivery" at the Two-Day National Conference on the Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration in India by the Department of Public Administration & Local Self-Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur, from 27th to 28th September 2024.
2. **Ashish Kumar**, Participated and presented a paper on the topic “Digital Grievance Redressal in Bihar: Assessing Efficiency, Transparency and Citizen Satisfaction in Public Service Delivery” in Two-Days National Conference on “Public Administration & Digital Transformation- Efficiency, Reliability and Effectiveness” organised by Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA), New Delhi on 21st to 22nd November, 2024.

3. **Ashish Kumar**, participated in, two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
4. **Ashish Kumar**, attended e-Workshop on ‘Bibliometric Analysis RStudio & VOS viewer’ held on 22nd December, 2024, organised by Commacad.
5. **Ashish Kumar**, attended e-Workshop on ‘Data-Analysis with SPSS’ held on 11th to 12th January, 2025, organised by Commacad.
6. **Ashish Kumar**, attended 5-Day Faculty Development Program on “Research Structuring and Publication Process held on 17th to 21st February, 2025, organised by Centre for Research & Training (CRT) and National Foundation for Entrepreneurship Development (NFED).
7. **Deepsri K**, participated in, two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th -21st March, 2025.
8. **Manish Kumar**, participated in, two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organized by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
9. **Ngairangbam Babyka Devi**, participated in, two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
10. **Ranjith C P**, participated in, Two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
11. **Saurabh Yadav**, Participated and Presented paper title, “Regulating AI in India: Balancing Innovation with Ethical Safeguards.” 61st All India Political Science Conference and International Seminar on “Viksit Bharat @ 2024” organised by Maharaja Ganga Singh University, Bikaner, Rajasthan, from 18 to 19th October, 2024.
12. **Saurabh Yadav**, participated in, two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
13. **Sneha M R**, participated in two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.
14. **Vishal Ajabrao Tembhurne**, participated and presented a paper titled ‘Ensuring Accountability in Governance: The Role of Maharashtra Right to Public Service Delivery Act’ at the Two-Day National Conference on the Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration in India by the Department of Public Administration & Local Self-Government, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur, from 27th & 28th September 2024.
15. **Vishal Ajabrao Tembhurne**, attended the FDP (Virtual Mode) on research methodology for social Science organised by the Department of Business Studies, SMVEC School of Arts and Science, Puducherry from 3rd to 10th December 2024.
16. **Vishal Ajabrao Tembhurne**, attended the Seven days online series cum workshop on Working with SPSS organised by the Department of Education, Dr, Hari Singh Gour Vishwavidyalaya Sagar (M.P) from central

University 7th to 13th December 2024.

17. **Vishal Ajabrao Tembhurne**, participated in two days National Seminar on “Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: The Road Ahead for Academia and practice”, organised by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 20th to 21st March, 2025.

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PG Students:

1. **Sheik Manpreeth**, “From E-Governance to E-Democracy: The Indian Experience”, A Two Day National Conference on Theme of the “Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration in India” National Conference conducted by the Department of Public Administration & Local Self-government, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur, India from 27-09-2024 to 28-09-2024.
2. **B Surya Aswin Teja**, “Social Media in Governance: Enhancing Citizen Participation and Government Responsiveness”, A Two Day National / International Conference on Theme of the Conference conducted by the Department of Public Administration, University of Nagpur from 27-09-2024 to 28-09-2024.
3. **R. Lahari**, “AMRUT Scheme and Sustainable Urban Development: A Strategic Analysis of Its Impact and Alignment with SDG Goals in India”, Two days international conference on “Sustainable Development Goals for a better world: Role of Public Administration” organised by the Department of Public Administration, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, 21st – 22nd January 2025.
4. **R. Lahari**, “From Debates to Decrees: The Influence of Legislative Functions on Democratic Governance in India”, Two days National Conference on the “Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration in India” organised by the Department of Public Administration & Local Self-government, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur, India, 26th & 27th September 2024.
5. **P. Sai Prasanna**, “Reinventing gender identity in the post-section 377 era: a review article on the role of LGBTQ+ movement in shaping modern India”, National seminar conducted by Department of Political Science, Raichur University, on November 5th, 2024.
6. **P. Sai Prasanna**, “Decentralized democracy and indigenous governance in India: Evaluating the impact of the 73rd and 74th constitutional amendments on social justice and inclusivity”, National seminar conducted by Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka on March 21st, 2025.
7. **Abdul Hafeez Sagri**, "Reviving Gram Sabha: Bridging traditional Wisdom with modern Governance" Two-day National seminar on Trajectories of Indigenous Governance: A Road ahead for academia and practice organised by department of public administration central university of Karnataka on 20th & 21st March 2025.
8. **G. Kundana Sri**, “Reimagining the Status of Women in Indian Society: A Review Article on Politicization of Women Issues and Inefficiency of Bureaucracy – The Role of Gender Movements”, Two Days National Conference on Theme of the Conference (Social Movements in India-2024) conducted by the Department of Social Science and Arts Dept, Raichur University from 05-11-2024 to 06-11-2024.
9. **G. Kundana Sri**, “Reviving Gram Sabhas: Bridging Traditional Wisdom with Modern Governance”, A TWO Days National Conference on Theme of the Conference Trajectories of Indigenous Governance: A Road ahead for academia and practice conducted by the Department of Public Administration, Central

University of Karnataka from 20-03-2025 to 21-03-2025.

10. **Jakkamsetti Gayathri**, "Strengthening Democracy through Decentralization: The Impact of Panchayati Raj Institutions on Grassroots Governance in India.", A Two-Day National Conference on Theme of the "Symbiosis of Democracy and Public Administration in India" National Conference conducted by the Department of Public Administration & Local Self-government, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur, India from 27-09-2024 to 28-09-2024.
11. **Dasyapu Srija**, "Decentralised Democracy and Indigenous Governance in India: Evaluating the Impact of the 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendments on Social Justice and Inclusivity" "Two-day National seminar on Trajectories of Indigenous Governance: A Road ahead for academia and practice organised by department of public administration central university of Karnataka on 20th & 21st March 2025.
12. **Dasyapu Srija** "Reinventing Gender Identity in Section 377 Era: The role of LGBTQ+ Movements in Shaping Modern India" – " Two-Day National Seminar on Social Movements in India organised by Social Science and Arts Dept., Raichur University.

Grants received:

Sl. No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1.	ICSSR CRP - 2024	Evaluation of Police Emergency Response Support System (ERSS/Dial 112) Project of India: A Multilevel Study	Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav(PI)	9.5 Lakhs	8-12 Months	Ongoing
2.	KKRDB	Book on Religious Syncretism in Kalyana Karnataka	Dr. Kiran. M Gajanur	20,000	3 Months	Ongoing

Students related Information

Accomplishment of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET etc.)

Sl.No.	Name of the Students	CUK, Registration	Exam passed	Reg. Hall ticket	Remarks
1	Lahari	23PPUBL016	NET	2705000472	2025
2	Abdul Hafeez Sagri	23PPUBL001	NET	KK08000032	2025
3	Nagaraj	22PGPAG07	NET	TL22000374	2024
4	Priyaranjan	22PGPAG16	NET	240510715016	2024
5	Tenzin	23PPUBL011	NET	KK08000057	2025
6	Prathyusha	22PGPAG15	NET	AP18000051	2024
7	Niranjan	22PGPAG13	NET	OR0100282	2024
8	Anisha Pradhan	22PGPAG02	NET	KK04000469	2024
9	Pallavi	22PGPAG12	NET	TL22000587	2024

Summer Fellowships/Internships:

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Awarding Agency	Duration
1.	Anisha Pradhan	22PGPAG02	Eklavya Model Residential School	02-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
2.	Bhumireddy Kusuma	22PGPAG03	Society for Community Organisation (SOCO)	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
3.	Cheruku Shivani	22PGPAG04	Society for Community Organisation (SOCO)	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
4.	Dulam Gayathri	22PGPAG05	Commissioner Resettlement & Rehabilitation and LA I & CAD Department	01-05-2024 to 02-06-2024
5.	Emi Laka Kharsati Lamare	22PGPAG06	Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
6.	G Nagaraju	22PGPAG07	Youth For Seva (NGO)	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
7.	Latika Tudu	22PGPAG09	Bodoland Territorial Region (BTR)	02-05-2024 to 04-06-2024
8.	Mamidi Thriveni	22PGPAG10	Peoples Action for Social Service	02-05-2024 to 05-06-2024
9.	Muhammed Dilshad Cp	22PGPAG11	Institute of Management in Government	03-05-2024 to 03-06-2024
10.	Nagalikara Chippe Pallavi	22PGPAG12	Andhra Pradesh State Development and Planning Society (APSDPS)	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
11.	Niranjan Barik	22PGPAG13	Sahayog (NGO)	02-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
12.	N Mounika	22PGPAG14	Bharosa Programme Management Unit	01-05-2024 to 06-06-2024
13.	Prathyusha Vasupilli	22PGPAG15	Commissioner Resettlement & Rehabilitation and LA I & CAD Department	01-05-2024 to 02-06-2024
14.	Priyaranjan Kumar	22PGPAG16	Andhra Pradesh State Disaster Management Authority (APSDMA)	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
15.	Radha Das	22PGPAG18	District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA)	01-05-2024 to 06-06-2024
16.	Roshmi Andrayos	22PGPAG21	Institute of Management in Government	03-05-2024 to 03-06-2024
17.	Sanjushree Bharadwaj	22PGPAG22	Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship	01-05-2024 to 11-06-2024
18.	Sonu D Chaudhari	22PGPAG23	L&T Finance Services	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
19.	Abdul Hafeez Sagri	23PPUBL001	Kalaburagi Urban Development Authority	01-05-2024 to



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				06-06-2024
20.	Anaswara P M	23PPUBL002	Public Policy Research Institute	06-05-2024 to 06-06-2024
21.	Burugapalli Surya Ashwin Teja	23PPUBL003	Andhra Pradesh State Disaster Management Authority (APSDMA)	01-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
22.	Dasyapu Srija	23PPUBL004	Centre for Educational and Social Studies (CESS)	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
23.	G Devi	23PPUBL006	The Peninsula Foundation	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
24.	Joyce Mary Digumarthi	23PPUBL007	Kriti Trust	02-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
25.	Felix Basumatary	23PPUBL008	Office of the Kajalgaon Municipal Board	02-05-2024 to 02-06-2024
26.	Gandam Kundana Sri	23PPUBL009	Centre for Educational and Social Studies (CESS)	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
27.	Jakkamsetti Gayathri	23PPUBL010	Andhra Pradesh State Development and Planning Society (APSDPS)	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
28.	Lobsang Tenzin	23PPUBL011	Itanagar Municipal Corporation	01-05-2024 to 05-06-2024
29.	Mamidi Devi	23PPUBL005	Kriti NGO	02-05-2024 to 01-06-2024
30.	Nishant Maruti Saptal	23PPUBL013	Office of the District Sports officer, Pune	02-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
31.	Praveen Kumar S N	23PPUBL014	Sulthan Bathery Municipality	02-05-2024 to 01-06-2024
32.	P Sai Prasanna	23PPUBL015	Samvada	02-05-2024 to 31-05-2024
33.	Ravirala Lahari	23PPUBL016	Commissioner Resettlement & Rehabilitation and LA I & CAD Department	01-05-2024 to 02-06-2024
34.	Sheik Manpreeth	23PPUBL017	Andhra Pradesh State Development and Planning Society (APSDPS)	01-05-2024 to 30-05-2024
35.	Sreelakshmi M V	23PPUBL018	District Collectors Internship Programme	02-05-2024 to 05-06-2024
36.	Tatikayala Adarsha	23PPUBL019	Youth For Seva (NGO)	08-05-2024 to 08-06-2024

Higher education (Ph.D., and above):

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Alka	-	PG to Ph.D.	TISS Hyderabad, Telangana	2025

Placement details:

Sl.No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1.	Shukla Murmu	21MPAG25	Gandhi Fellow	Gandhi FellowPiramal Foundation	Jul/24
2.	Prathuysha		Research Intern	Bureau of Police Research and Development	Aug/24
3.	Lahari	23PPUBL016	Research Intern	Billion Connect	2025
4.	Devi. G	23PPUBL006	Road safety trainer	Need based India	2025
5.	Anisha Pradhan	22PGPAG02	Intern	Centre for Educational and Social Studies, Bengaluru	Oct/24
6.	Abdul Hafeez Sagri	23PPUBL001	Project assistant	Kalyana Karnataka Region Development Board	2025
7.	Latika	22PGPAG009	Intern	Centre for Educational and Social Studies, Bengaluru	Oct/24

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl. No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	21/03/2025-22/03/2025	Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road Ahead for Academia and Practice	A Two Day National Seminar was held at the Department of Public Administration, Central University of Karnataka, funded by Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi.

4.12.5 Department of Social Work

Head: Prof. Pavitra R. Alur

The Department of Social Work has been functioning since 2012. The mission of the department is to generate a cadre of social work researchers and social entrepreneurs with a multidisciplinary domain of knowledge and comprehensive skill sets to contribute to the social development of communities, the region, and the country at large. A new paradigm of knowledge, skill development, practice, research, and publication has emerged through the assimilation, integration, application, and generation of social work knowledge.

Programmes offered:

- ❖ BSW (4 Years)
- ❖ MSW (2 Years)
- ❖ Ph.D. in Social Work

BSW students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	1	5	2	0	0	0	8
Female	1	7	3	2	1	0	14

MSW students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	2	12	2	1	1	0	18
Female	7	30	2	2	2	0	43

Ph.D. students on roll

	GEN	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	PWD	Total
Male	5	1	0	1	0	0	7
Female	3	1	1	0	0	0	5

Faculty related Information

Permanent faculty members:

Name	Designation	Specialization
Prof. Pavitra R Alur	Professor	Family and Child Welfare & Human Resource Management
Prof. Channaveer R. M.	Professor	Social Development
Dr. Lakshmana G.	Associate Professor	Medical and Psychiatry



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Dr. Chitkala V	Assistant Professor	Medical and Psychiatry
Dr. M. Sivamoorthy	Assistant Professor	Community Development
Dr. D. Srinivasa	Assistant Professor	Human Resource Management
Dr. Harish Kumar Choudhary	Assistant Professor	Social Exclusion and Gender

Visiting Professors:

Name	Institute/University
Prof. Manohar Pawar	Professor of Social Work, President, ICSD School of Social Work and Arts, Charles Sturt University, NSW, 2678 Australia.

Contractual/Hourly basis faculty:

Contractual
Dr. Bhagyashree
Dr. Praveen B

Non-teaching staff:

Name (Regular/Contract)
1.Sri. Kalyani (Contract)

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

- Thippeswamy V, Vishwesh K, Ali A, **Lakshmana G.** (2025). Life skills Among School-Going Adolescents in South India: A Gender Comparison. *J Edu Health Promot*, ;14:151. (Web of Science & Scopus Indexed, IF: 1.4).
- Alaka Bhargabi Panda**, Ashalatha R, **Lakshmana G**, Manohar Pawar. Corporate Social Responsibility and the Sustainable Development Goals: Insights from India. *The International Journal of Community and Social Development*. September 2024: Vol.6, Issue 3, page no. 299–316. ISSN:2516-6026, eISSN: 2516-6034. <https://doi.org/10.1177/251660262412618> (Scopus Indexed, IF:1.3).
- Khadirnavar**, A. A., & **Lakshmana G**, Marital Quality of Life, Life Satisfaction, and Well-being Among Married Couples: A Community-Based Comparative Study Between the Rural and Urban Populations in India. *Journal of Family Social Work*, **2024**, 27(5), 77–91. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10522158.2024.2420956> (Scopus Indexed, IF-2.1).
- Chitkala, V** (2024). Comprehensive Management of Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) in Children: Early assessment, diagnosis, and holistic intervention. *Humanities and Social Science Studies*, 13(2), ISSN:2319-829x.
- Chitkala.V** Mental health awareness and stigma: Trends and challenges in the post-pandemic world. (2024). *Frontiers in Health Informatics*, 13(7), ISSN :2676-7104.

6. **Shivanand Pawar**, Mahesh Chougule, **Channaveer R.M.** Human Capital and Stakeholder Engagement Intervention: A Women Empowerment Pathway to Achieve Sustainable Community Development in Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene at Vaijapur Village of Karnataka, India. *Frontiers in Sustainability*, 2025, Vol. 6. Doi: 10.3389/frsus.2025.1562033 (Scopus Indexed, IF: 2.9).
7. **Pavitra R. Alur**, Thotya Naik V. 'Role of Rewards on Employees Performance' International Journal of Environmental Sciences ISSN 2229-7359 Vol. 11 No. 10, 2025 (Scopus Indexed IF 1.4)
8. **Srinivasa D.**, Preventing and Controlling Tuberculosis through Village Adoption Model in Koppal District of Karnataka: A Case Study, *Social Work & Society*, Volume 22, Issue 1, 2024, ISSN 1613-8953, <http://nbn-resolving.de/urn:nbn:de:hbz:464-sws-3291> (Scopus Indexed, IF: 0.22)
9. **Alaka Bhargabi Panda**, Ashalatha R and **Lakshmana G**, An Analysis of the Functioning of SHGs as part of Initiatives of Corporate Social Responsibility. *Journal of Social Work & Social Development*. 2024; 15(1), 36-51. ISSN: 22296468.
10. Dar D. R & **Lakshmana G**. Teachers' Perspectives on Behavioral and Emotional Problems among School-going Adolescents in Kashmir: Examining the Risk Correlates of Behavioral and Emotional Problems. *Indian Journal of Psychiatric Nursing*. 2024 1;21(1):58-65. DOI: 10.4103/iopn.iopn_71_23. ISSN: 2231-1505 Online ISSN: 2666-528X

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

1. **Chitkala,V** (2024). Students with ADHD symptoms in school classrooms: Teachers' perceptions of inattention, hyperactivity, and impulsivity. *South Asian Journal of Participative Development*, 24(2) ISSN:0976 2701

Non-peer reviewed Publications (Articles in Newspapers and others)

1. **Srinivasa D.** published an article in the Vartha Bharathi, the state-level newspaper, on "International Democracy Day-2025" published on September 15th, 2024
2. **Srinivasa D.** published an article in the Vartha Bharathi, the state-level newspaper, on "Caste Census and Social Justice" published on October 9th, 2024
3. **Srinivasa D.** published an article in Vartha Bharathi, the state-level newspaper, on "Central Budget: Economic Empowerment of Dalits" published on February 2nd, 2025

Conference proceedings:

1. Chitkala, V. (2024) *Analyzing the transformation of higher education: Assessing artificial intelligence's influence in the 21st century*. In *Proceedings of the International Conference on Advances in Computing, Communication and Applied Informatics (ACCAI)*. <https://doi.org/10.1109/ACCAI61061.2024.1060210>

Books authored

Self-Learning Materials

1. **Pavitra R. Alur** prepared Self Learning Material Title: BSWDSC 1.1 Introduction to Social Work Block-II ISBN:978-93-6011-424-4 Title: MSWSC2.6(B) Population and Environment Block, I,II,III,IV ISBN:978-93-6011-466-4 Sixteen modules in four quadrants, Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) Mysuru.
2. **Lakshmana G.** MSW IV SEMESTER Paper: Title: MSWHC-4.2: Mental Health and Psychiatric Social Work (2024). Developed Self-Learning Materials (SLMs) of sixteen modules in four quadrants. Karnataka State Open University (KSOU), Mysuru. ISBN: 978-93-6011-100-7
3. **Lakshmana G.** MSW II SEMESTER Paper: Title: MSWSC-2.6(A) Personal and Professional Growth (2024). Developed Self-Learning Materials (SLMS) of sixteen modules in four quadrants. Karnataka State Open University (KSOU), Mysuru. ISBN: 978-93-6011-250-9.
4. **Lakshmana G.** BSW III SEMESTER Paper: Title: BSWDSC-3.2 Human Growth and Development (2024). Developed Self-Learning Materials (SLMS) of sixteen modules in four quadrants. Karnataka State Open University (KSOU), Mysuru. ISBN: 978-93-6011-960-7
5. **Srinivasa D.,** BSW IV SEMESTER Paper: BSWDSE 1.4, Title: Introduction to Family Life Education, Developed Self-Learning Materials (SLMs) BLOCK - II, UNIT: 5, 6, 7 & 8 for the Bachelor of Social Work programme of Karnataka State Open University, Mysuru, on 18th July, 2024, ISBN: 978-93-6011-064-2.

Books edited

1. **Srinivasa D** (Eds.). Guarantee Schemes: Safety and Welfare of the Poor, Vibha Prakashana, Mysuru, 28th September, 2024. ISBN: 978-81-976119-3-3.
2. **Chitkala.V,** Annapurna Pattnaik (Eds). Child Development Essentials: Concepts and Applications, ISBN: 978-93-6226-998-0, JSR Publications, New Delhi

Authored in book chapters:

1. **Chitkala. V.** Substance Use and Mental Health: Exploring the Complex Interplay. In Shodhnuvra Valley: Advancing Multidisciplinary Research on a Global Scale (ISBN: 978-81-976192-4-3).
2. **Chitkala. V.** Nurturing Well-Being: Understanding and Addressing the Complexities of Women's Mental Health. In Women Empowerment (ISBN 978-81-974702-0-2).: Sanskruti Publications, New Delhi
3. **Christeena Leslie** and M Sivamoorthy, Exploring the Interconnectedness of Educational Status and Livelihood of Tribals in Nilgiris (ASIN: B0DRW3SZVM)
4. **Srinivasa D. & Rajshekar C.,** Contemporary Challenges for Social Work, Pencil Publication, Mysuru, 28th September, 2024. ISBN: 978-81-976119-3-3.

Invited Talks/Plenary Lectures/Keynote Address/ Chaired the Session:

1. **Dr. Lakshmana G.** conducted a workshop on "Prevention of substance abuse" on 10-09-2024 at the Department of Social Work, Bangalore North University, Kolar.
2. **M. Sivamoorthy** Chaired a Technical Session on the two-day national Seminar on "Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road ahead for Academia and Practice" on 20th & 21st March 2025 at Central University of Karnataka

3. **Dr. Harish Kumar Choudhary.** Chaired the session in “3rd International Conference on Building Sustainable Organization: Psychological Issues and Challenges” held on 26th & 27th March, 2025 at Guru Jambheshwer University of Science & Technology, Hisar
4. **Srinivasa D** chaired a technical session on the two-day national seminar on "Trajectories of Indigenous Administrative Practices in India: A Road Ahead for Academia and Practice" on March 20th and 21st, 2025, at the Central University of Karnataka.
5. **Srinivasa D.** served as a moderator in the International Conference on "Advancing Sustainability Transitions for People and Planet: The Road Ahead," organised by the School of Social Work in collaboration with the University of Houston-Downtown (UHD), Texas, USA, and SPARKS (Social Workers Perspectives—Actions, Research, Knowledge, and Services) on the 4th and 5th of March, 2025.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshops/symposia:

1. **Dr. Lakshmana G.** Presented a paper on “Mental health and well-being among rural and urban elderly” at the 24th ICSD International Biennial Conference 2025 on “Innovations in social work and social development: Uniting communities across the globe for sustainable change” held from January 8th-10th, 2025, at Rajagiri College of Social Science, Kochi, Kerala.
2. **Dr. Lakshmana G.** presented a poster on “Community-based integrated intervention among families and persons with alcohol abuse who are economically, socially vulnerable: Development of a module through action research” in Continuing Medical Education 2025, on a developmentally informed approach to addictive disorders held on 22nd March, 2025 at NIMHANS, Bangalore.
3. **Dr. Lakshmana G.** As a resource person, delivered an invited talk on 23rd July 2024 on the topic “prominent research designs in Social Science and Essentials of Correlational and Diagnostic Research Designs” in a day's research methodology course sponsored by ICSSR and conducted by Rani Chennamma University, Belagavi, from 22nd to 31st July 2024.
4. **Dr. Chitkala.V:** Comprehensive Management of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) in Children: Early Assessment, Diagnosis, and Holistic Intervention Strategies Presented at the One Day 5th International E-Conference on "Next Level of Higher Education & Research: Science, AI, Technology, Humanities, Commerce & Management (NLHER – 2024)", 29th September 2024, NLHER Committee, Vijayapura.
5. **Dr. Chitkala. V:** Quality Dimensions, Issues, Assurance, and Its Management in Higher Education: Changing Perspectives Towards Sustainable Development *Presented at the One-Day Multidisciplinary International E-Conference Organised by:* Department of History, Bengali, and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Rangapara College, Amaribari, Assam, in association with Global Foundation, India, 7th September 2024
6. **Prof. Pavitra R. Alur** presented a paper entitled ‘The Role of Artificial Intelligence in Strengthening Students Mathematical Abilities in the Preparatory Stage: A Literature Review’ at Two-day National Seminar sponsored by ICSSR-SRC Hyderabad at Smt. Veeramma Gangasiri College for Women, Kalaburagi-Karnataka.
7. **Dr. Chitkala.V:** Technology in Education: Transforming the Learning Environment *Presented at the National Conference on Educational Technology Organised by:* Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth – Centre for Online Learning, Pune 27th and 28th September 2024
8. **Dr. Chitkala. V:** Demographic Variations in the Impact of Organizational Climate, Empowerment, and Quality of Life on Employee Mental Health *Presented at the 7th International Conference on "Empowering Communities: The Role of Social Work for a Sustainable Future" (WSWD2024) Organised at:* Dhaka, Bangladesh, 14th to 16th

November, 2024.

9. **Dr. M Sivamoorthy** presented a Paper titled Human-Wildlife Conflict on Agriculture Activities: An Understanding Through Participatory Rural Appraisal at the 3-day National Conference organised by the Mahatma Gandhi University Union, Kottayam, Kerala, held on 14th, 15th and 16th October 2024.
10. **Dr. M Sivamoorthy** presented a Paper titled " Impact of Human-Wildlife Conflict on the Livelihood of the Farmers in the National Seminar on “Human-Wildlife Conflict: Effects on South India’s Tribes ”, Organised by the Department of Commerce, SCMS School of Technology and Management, Cochin, Kerala, on 14th February 2025.
11. **Srinivasa D.**, paper presented on “Relationship between work-life balance and productivity of the employees,” International Conference on “Advancing Sustainability Transitions for People and Planet: The Road Ahead” organized by the School of Social Work in collaboration with the University of Houston-Downtown (UHD), Texas, USA, SPARKS (Social Workers Perspectives-Actions, Research, Knowledge & Services) on the 4th & 5th of March, 2025.
12. **Srinivasa D.**, a paper presented on "Social Work Perspectives on Social Movements in India" in a two-day national seminar on "Social Movements in India—2024," organised by the Social Science and Arts Departments, Raichur University, in 24th November 2024.
13. **Srinivasa D.** presented a paper on “Demographic Variations in the Impact of Organisational Climate, Empowerment, and Quality of Life on Employee Mental Health” at the WSWD2024: 7th International Conference on “Empowering Communities: The Role of Social Work for a Sustainable Future,” held in Dhaka, Bangladesh, on November 14th –16th, 2024.

Details of Extension Work/Community Service Undertaken, etc.

Srinivasa D. organised a book release, on the “Guarantee Schemes: Safety and Welfare of the Poor” program, with the Collaboration Institute of Social Workers for Action Research, Mysore, and the Department of Social Work, University of Mysore by the Chief Minister Sri Siddaramaiah and Dr. H. C. Mahadevappa, Minister of Social Welfare, the Government of Karnataka, released the book.

Ph.D awarded:

SL.N o.	Student Name	Registration number	Guide and/or Co-guide	Title of the Thesis	Status
1	Reeta	20DPSWK03	Dr. Lakshmana G	Community-based study on family environment, quality of life, sexual functioning and satisfaction among wives of persons with alcohol use and non-use	Awarded



Faculty Development Programmes attended by the faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Details of the Orientation/Refresher/FDP
1	Dr. Chitkala.V	NEP 2020 orientation and sensitization programme UGC-MMTTC Mizoram University from 5 th -13 th March 2025
2	Dr. Srinivasa D.	Attended a five-day Faculty Development Programme on "Research Structuring & Publication Process" from 23 rd to 27 th July, 2024 organised by National Foundation for Entrepreneurship Development, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu.

Grants received:

Sl.No.	Funding Agency	Title of the Project	Investigator(s) (PI/Co-PI)	Grant (in INR)	Duration	Status
1	MGNCRE	Community-based sustainable practices and village adoption by educational institutions in Kalaburagi District, Karnataka state	Dr. Lakshmana G (PI)	7,50,000	2022-24	Completed
2	NBCC, New Delhi	Impact Assessment of Water Bodies, Watershed Management and Perennial Plantation Interventions on Sustainable Campus Development	Prof. Channaveer RM (PI)	1,21,20,000	2024-27	Ongoing
3	Indian Institute of Millets Research (IIMR-ICAR), Hyderabad	Assessment of Strengthening Local Tribes through the Establishment of a Processing and Value Addition Units at Hulsoor Mahila Kisan Millets Producer Company Limited, Aland Bhootai Millets Farmer Producer Company Limited and Jewargi Farmer Producer Organization	Prof. Channaveer RM (PI)	30,00,000	2024-26	Ongoing
4	NITI Aayog, New Delhi	Status and Evaluation study of PM Poshan, Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakrama, Rashtriya Kishor Swasthya Karyakrama and Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan Schemes in Karnataka State	Prof. Channaveer RM (PI)	5,14,124	2024-25	Completed
5	RLHP, Mysuru	End-line Evaluation of Child Labour Project in Kalyana Karnataka Region - Zimbabwe-India Child Labor Project	Prof. Channaveer RM (PI)	2,50,000	2024-25	Completed
6	MGNCRE	A Study on an Assessment of Social Conditions of Elderly Women in Ballari Taluk: Role of Institutional	Prof. Pavitra R. Alur	3,00,000	2023-25	Completed



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		Responsibility'				
7	ICSSR, New Delhi	'VIKSIT BHARAT Through Tribal Empowerment: Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities'	Prof. Pavitra R. Alur (Co-PI)	8,00,000	2024-25	Ongoing

Honors/awards/recognitions received by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name	Details of the award
1	Dr. M Sivamoorthy	Best paper award in One Day National Seminar on Human Wildlife Conflicts: Effects on South India's Tribes was organised in Partnership with ICSSR, SCMS, IIT Ropar and the University of Calicut. on the 14 th February, 2025
2	Dr.Srinivasa D	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar "Karnataka Rajyotsava Award," a state-level award for the BOOK titled "Arive Ambedkar," presented by the Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi 2024

Memberships in Professional bodies:

- 1) Dr. Lakshmana G., Member of International Consortium for Social Development (ICSD)
- 2) Dr. Lakshmana G. Life member of the Indian Society for Professional Social Workers (ISPSW). Reg. No- 225. It is a registered professional social workers' body.
- 3) Dr. Lakshmana G. Life member of the National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI). Membership No: NAPSWI/KAR/LIFE/20773. It is a registered professional social workers' body.
- 4) Dr. Lakshmana G. is a member of the Karnataka Association of Professional Social Workers (KAPSW). It is a registered professional social workers' body in Karnataka.
- 5) Dr Chitkala, V. Life member, International Foundation for Research and Education membership no SIFRE/2022/189
- 6) Dr Chitkala. V.L. Life member Indian Society of Professional Social Work (ISPSW), membership no. ISPSW/MC/1542/17/06/2024.
- 7) Dr Chitkala V. Life member, Research Education Solution (RES).Membership no RES/2024/032
- 8) Dr M Sivamoorthy, Lifetime membership of National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI/TN/LIFE/21205)
- 9) Dr Harish Kumar Choudhary, member of the American Psychological Association, Membership number: C2505496886
- 10) Prof. Pavitra R. Alur Editorial Board member of the South Asian Journal of Participative Development, published by the Centre for Social Research and Development, Pune. (Since 2023)
- 11) Prof. Pavitra R. Alur, Life member of the National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI)(2014)
- 12) Prof. Pavitra R. Alur, Life member of the Indian Federation of Computer Science in Sports. (2010)
- 13) Prof. Pavitra R. Alur Life member of the Nutrition Society in India. (2009)

- 14) Dr. Srinivasa D., Member of the National Institute of Personnel Management, Mysore Chapter (NIPM)
- 15) Dr. Srinivasa D., Member of the Mahabodhi Society, Mysore.
- 16) Dr. Srinivasa D., Member of the MSW Socialites, Alumni Association, Department of Studies in Social Work, University of Mysore, Mysuru.
- 17) Dr. Srinivasa D., Member of the Indian Society for Professional Social Workers (ISPSW), NIMHANS, Bengaluru.
- 18) Dr. Srinivasa D., Karnataka Association of Professional Social Workers (KAPSW), Bangalore.

Students related Information

Accomplishments of students: International/National/State Level

Exams cleared: NET/JRF/GATE/SET/CTET, etc.)

Sl.No.	Name	Registration Number	Exam passed	Rank/ Score	Hall-ticket number	MM/YYYY of passing
1	Mr. Shalin Sinha	23PSOCI027	GATE	AIR-793	XH25S61337086	03/2025
2	Ms. Devika	23PSOCI010	NET	—	KK08002271	02/2025
3	Ms. Nithya	23PSOCI020	NET	—	KK08002235 (240520862753)	02/2025
4	Ms. Ruby	23PSOCI024	NET	—	KK08002202 (240520492898)	02/2025
5	Mr. Abhijith G	23PSOCI001	Qualified for Ph.D	—	2705000319 (240510440860)	02/2025
6	Mr. Abijith Raj	23PSOCI002	Qualified for Ph.D	—	KL17003078 (250510945518)	02/2025
7	Ms. Adithya	23PSOCI003	Qualified for Ph.D	—	KK08002258 (240520713665)	02/2025
8	Ms. Aradhya Janardhanan	23PSOCI007	Qualified for Ph.D	—	KK08002220 (240520852613)	02/2025
9	Ms. Fatima Limsha K	23PSOCI012	Qualified for Ph.D	—	(250510727023)	02/2025
10	Ms. Mesra Marubai	23PSOCI015	Qualified for Ph.D	—	TL22006710 (250510411570)	02/2025
11	Mr. Mukesh	23PSOCI017	Qualified for Ph.D	—	240510446774	02/2025
12	Mr. Navaneeth	23PSOCI019	Qualified for Ph.D	—	KL2002653 (250510910133)	02/2025
13	Ms. Roshna	23PSOCI023	Qualified for Ph.D	—	KL18002000 (250511162829)	02/2025



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14	Ms. Saranya P R	23PSOCI026	Qualified for Ph.D	—	240510984296	02/2025
15	Ms. Uthara S U	23PSOCI030	Qualified for Ph.D	—	250511059427	02/2025

Higher Education (PG to Ph.D., UG to PG)

Sl. No.	Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organisation with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Mr. Anish T Thomas	2021PGMSW10	PhD Scholar	CUK	15.01.2025
2	Mr. Praveen	2021 PGMSW24	PhD Scholar	CUK	15.01.2025
3	Mr. Suraj	22PGMSW30	PhD Scholar	CUK	15.01.2025

Placement Details

Sl. No.	Student Name	Registration Number	Position	Company/Organization with contact details	Joining MM/YY
1	Nandana CS	22PGMSW26	Teacher Fellow	Ignis Careers Pvt. Ltd.	05.08.2024
2	Ms Arunthathy	22PGMSW06	Trainer	Ignis Careers Pvt. Ltd.	05.08.2024
3	Mr Channaveer	22PGMSW12	Programme Coordinator	Sahayog Volunteer Organization	15.10.2024
4	Ms Chreestina	22PGMSW13	Research Assistant	ICSSR, CUTN	24.10.2024
5	Ms. Apurba Satapathy	22PGMSW05	Training & Community Coordinator	Gram-Utthan	27.08.2024
6	Ms Aswathi	22PGMSW07	Community Social Worker	Child Protection Unity, Kasargod	11.12.2024
7	Mr Eldos Reji	22PGMSW17	Intern	Plant lipids, Ernakulam, Kerala	11.12.2024
8	Mr Naveen Vincent	22PGMSW27	Trainee in HR	Elite food Pvt. Ltd. Ernakulam, Kerala	27.09.2024
9	Mr Utla Ramesh	22PGMSW37	Community Traineer	Action Aid, Hyderabad	03.02.2025
10	Ms Devika Suresh	22PGMSW15	Teacher Fellow	Ignis Careers Pvt. Ltd.	05.08.2024

Departmental Activities

Seminars/webinars/conferences/workshops/symposia organised:

Sl.No.	Date(s)	Title	Details
1	11 th -12 th Feb 2025	VIKSIT Bharath through Tribal Empowerment	Sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi

BOS Details:

BoS meeting convened on 9th May 2024 to revise the UG and PG syllabus

Alumni Activity:

Conducted an Alumni meet on 23rd February 2025

Events at the Department:



Blood Donation camp was organized at Suntanoor Village on 18th September, 2024



Nashamuktha Bharat Abhiyan, Oath taking by participants on 12th August, 2024



Micro planning Training for MSW first-year students on 28th October, 2024



Micro Planning for Village Development at Savalagi village on 4th November, 2024

5. Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs)

List of Active Memoranda of Understanding (MoUs) in CUK for the Financial Year 2024–25

SI No.	MOU with	Broad areas of activities	Coordinator
1	Akka Mahadevi Anubhava Peeta, Basavakalyana	To jointly organize international and national seminars, conferences, workshops and symposiums on vachana literature and take-up joint translation and research projects in collaboration.	Dr. Ganapati Sinnoor, Dept. of Business Studies
2	Pali Institute, Kalaburagi	Mutual cooperation in the areas of teaching, research, publication, capacity building, training, development & promotion of philosophy of Pali, Prakrit and Sanskrit studies.	Prof. Vikram Visaji, Dept. of Kannada
3	Government Tool Room and Training Centre (GTTC), Bengaluru	Towards strengthening vocational students in the state of Karnataka. Offering B.Voc programme in Tool Engineering, electronics, mechatronics, precision manufacturing, industrial robotics & Automation, Artificial intelligence, machine learning, industrial IOT etc.	Dr. Rajeev Joshi, Dept of Physics
4	Tamil Nadu State Archaeology Department	To establish framework for the academic and research cooperation with specific roles and responsibilities between TNIAM-TNSDA and CUK, to provide platform to work together.	Dr. Arjun, Asst. Professor, Dept. of History
5	Tamil Nadu Institute of Archaeology and Museology of Tamil Nadu State Dept, Chennai	To establish framework for the academic and research cooperation with specific roles and responsibilities between TNIAM-TNSDA and CUK, to provide platform to work together.	Dr. Arjun, Asst. Professor, Dept. of History
6	Ghent University, Belgium	Promote international academic, culture and scientific exchange And Research cooperation for the benefit of the institution	Dr. Arjun, Asst. Professor, Dept. of History
7	Ghent University, Belgium	Promote international academic, culture and scientific exchange And Research cooperation for the benefit of the institution	Dr. Arjun, Asst. Professor, Dept. of History
8	Foundation for Neglated Disease Research (FNDR), Bangalore	To extend the cooperation in the research work titled “Synthesis of novel molecules and their biological evaluation against the infectious diseases” and proposals pertaining to chemicals, synthesis and their analysis.	Prof. Venkata Ramana Doddi Dept. Chemistry
9	Kahers KLE VKIDS, Belgavi	To extend cooperation in the research work titled “Efficacy of machine learning in identification of dental implant systems using radiographs”	Dr. Mallikarjun Anandhalli, Dept. of ECE

10	Multi Commodity Exchange of India Limited, Mumbai	to consider and explore, conducting various interactive sessions, faculty development programme, research Programmes, seminars, conferences and conclaves	Dr. Shailaja Konek Dept. of Business Studies
11	Heritage Foundation, Pune	Preservation and digitalization of manuscripts, training the students, sharing digitized manuscripts for the students and researchers working in both the organizations.	Dr. Ravi Jaikrushna Khangai
12	Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences, Latvia	Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest and exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications. Exchange of students and faculty in accordance with requirement accepted by both parties, to organise seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.	Dr. Gavinolla Mahendar Dept. of Tourism & Hotel Mgmt
13	Police Training College, Kalaburagi	To establish a collaborative framework for mutual cooperation in conducting joint workshops, seminars and sharing resources for the betterment of both institutions.	Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi Dept. of Law

Administration and Support System

Administration and Support System

- ✚ Academic Section
- ✚ Administrative Section
- ✚ Campus Development Section
- ✚ Central Library
- ✚ Chief Vigilance Section
- ✚ Computer Centre
- ✚ Dean of Students Welfare
- ✚ Examination Section
- ✚ Finance Section
- ✚ Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC)
- ✚ Grievances Cell
- ✚ Health Centre
- ✚ HEFA Projects
- ✚ Incubation and Skill Development Centre
- ✚ Internal Complaints Committee
- ✚ Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
- ✚ IPR Cell
- ✚ National Service Scheme (NSS)
- ✚ Placement Cell
- ✚ Prasaranga
- ✚ Rajbhasha Section
- ✚ Research and Development Cell
- ✚ Right to Information (RTI) Act
- ✚ Samarth Section
- ✚ Skill Development Cell
- ✚ Sports Section
- ✚ Swayam and Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)
- ✚ University Industry Hub
- ✚ Yoga Section

6.1 Academic Section

The Academic Section, is the central coordinating unit for all academic affairs at the Central University of Karnataka (CUK). It serves as the backbone for the university's academic planning, admission process, curriculum development, governance, and compliance with national education frameworks. It strives to create a vibrant academic and research environment aligned with national goals and global standards.

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Shaikh Azaruddin	Deputy Registrar
2	Mr. Azeem Pasha	Assistant Registrar
3	Mr. Akheel Pasha	Section officer
3	Mr. Mohammed Qayyum	Assistant
4	Mrs. Roopa S Belur	Lower Division Clerk
5	Mrs. Sugandha	MTS (Outsourced)

Key Functions

- Planning and implementation of academic policies, academic calendar, and reforms.
- Coordination of the admission process via **CUET** (conducted by **NTA**) and **Project Samarth**, ensuring transparency through wide publicity.
- Structuring and execution of academic governance through Academic Council, Boards of Studies, CASR, BORS, and School Board.
- Facilitation of internships, industry linkages, academic collaborations, and student mobility.
- Implementation of educational reforms including **NEP 2020**, **LOCF**, **NCrF**, and **NHEQF**.

Academic Infrastructure

- 27 Departments across 12 Schools and 2 Centres.
- 14 UG programs, 29 PG programs, and 31 Ph.D. programs.
- Smart classrooms, dedicated language and science laboratories, air-conditioned lecture halls, 24x7 Wi-Fi campus.
- E-enabled Central Library and digital learning resources.
- Holistic curriculum with emphasis on communication skills, computer literacy, and personality development.

Highlights of AY 2024–25

1. Extended support in implantation of **NEP 2020** in UG and PG programs.
2. Structuring of course and program codes under NEP guidelines.
3. Implementation of **MOOCs**, **SWAYAM**, interdisciplinary electives, and continuous curriculum updates.
4. Implementation of National Credit Framework (NCrF), Research Internships, and Apprenticeship-Embedded Degree Programs.
5. MoUs processed with **BoAT** and **NATS** for apprenticeship.
6. Multiple Entry/Exit framework. SOP framed and Implemented Multiple Entry and Multiple Exit for NEP-2020
7. Organized academic tours to reputed institutions for experiential learning.
8. Facilitated national and international student internships and faculty fellowships.
9. Expanded placement drives and institutional-level placement coordination.

10. Enabled campus placement in reputed Indian and global firms.

Academic Section Divisions

Academics – I

- Academic Council, CASR, BORS, and School Boards
- Amendment and Creating of Statutes and Ordinances
- Coordination of functioning or activating of Academic bodies

Academics – II

- Correspondence with national/international academic bodies
- Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
- Innovation Club, Community College, and Skill Development

Academics – III

- Admissions and examination support
- Syllabus design, fee management, cancellations
- Support for special lectures and curriculum frameworks

Academics – IV

- Liaison with MoE, UGC, AIU, other Central Universities
- Annual Report, Calendar of Events, RTI and Parliamentary Responses
- Implementation of CBCS and facilitation of fellowships

Research and Development

- Oversight of funded research projects from UGC, ICSSR, DST, INSPIRE, etc.
- Coordination of consultancy projects.
- Promotion of interdisciplinary and socially impactful research.

Skill Development & Community Colleges

- B.Voc and Advanced Diploma programs in line with UGC-MoE framework.
- Implementation of community college model with partner institutions.

Commitment to Diversity & Excellence

CUK has consistently attracted students, faculty, and staff from across India. Through continuous academic innovation and commitment to national policies, the Academic Section plays a pivotal role in ensuring academic excellence, inclusivity, and student empowerment.

6.2 Administration Section

The Administration Section of the Central University of Karnataka (CUK) has accomplished a wide range of functions essential to the university's academic development during the year 2024–25. The key accomplishments in teaching and non-teaching service management, regulatory compliance, committee governance, and institutional coordination. The important achievements include streamlining of leave records, employee management, service records through the Samarth portal, conducting recruitment and promotions under CAS/DPC/MACP, ensuring statutory compliance under CCS rules, managing university-level celebrations, and supporting various academic and administrative initiatives. The Administrative Section is an important support system within the Central University of Karnataka, facilitating the official communication, file movement, staff service records, appointments, and all service-related matters in accordance with the Central Universities Act (2009), UGC regulations, and Government of India CCS rules.

2. Organizational Structure and Staff

Statutory Officers

- Vice Chancellor
- Pro Vice Chancellor
- Registrar
- Finance Officer
- Controller of Examinations
- Librarian

Admin Section Staff:

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Shaikh Azaruddin	Deputy Registrar
2	Mr. Sunil G.	Assistant Registrar
3	Mr. Vikramadithya Ambarao	Section officer
3	Dr. Mohsin Ahmed	Assistant
4	Mrs. Naseema Banu A. G.	Assistant
5	Mr. Jagadeesh Kumar	Assistant
6	Mr. Shantappa	Upper Division Clerk
7	Mr. Havyavahan	Lower Division Clerk
8	Mrs. Shravani S. Beliger	Lower Division Clerk
9.	Mrs. Kanchana	Multi-Tasking Staff (MTS)
10	Mrs. Kavita Hiremath	Computer Operator

3. Functional Divisions:

Teaching Staff Administration

- Annual Increments, Pay Fixation and PBAS Processing
- Service Book Updates, Property Returns, Leave Records
- Appointments of Deans, HoDs, Coordinators
- RTI Processing, Committee Coordination
- Children Education Allowance (CEA) and LTC Claims

- Samarth Portal Implementation for HR management.

Non-Teaching Staff Administration

- Pay Fixation, Service Registers, Leave Management
- Promotions (DPC/MACP), Training & Development
- NOC, Experience Certificates, Retirement Benefits
- Committee Representation & Employee Welfare
- Digital Governance via Samarth Portal.

General Administration & Governance

- Correspondence with UGC, MoE, AIU
- Preparation of EC/Court Agendas & Minutes
- Notification of Appointments (Contractual, Visiting, Hourly)
- Roster Management
- Implementation of RTI, NEP 2020, IDP
- Organizing Walk-in Interviews, Honorarium Processing
- Confidential Work and Policy Drafting

4. Sanctioned and Working Strength of Teaching and Non-Teaching Positions as on 31/03/2025:

Teaching Positions:

Name of the Post	Total Sanctioned Strength	Filled	Vacant
Professor	27	13	14
Associate Professor	54	36	18
Assistant Professor	125	123	02
Total:	206	172	34

Non-Teaching Positions:

Name of the Posts	Total Sanctioned Strength	Filled	Vacant
Group-A	21	17	04
Group-B	35	24	11
Group-C	78	56	22
Total:	134	97	37

5. Key Meetings held during the financial year 024-25

i. Executive Council Meetings:

1. 72nd meeting held on 21/06/2024
2. 73rd meeting held on 30/09/2024
3. 74th meeting held on 04/11/2024
4. 75th meeting held on 20/11/2024
5. 76th meeting held on 10/03/2025

ii. University Court Meetings:

- 10th 30/12/2024
- 11th 10/03/2025

6. Committees Constituted:

- Screening Committee (MACP) peer team

- Committee for NAAC Visit Arrangements
- Committee for Implementation of NEP 2020
- Internal Complaint Committee
- Cultural, Sports & Student Grievance Committees
- Various Enquiry, Advisory, Review & Innovation Committees

7. Celebrations and Observances

- 10th International Yoga Day (IDY 2024)
- Independence Day, Republic Day, Gandhi Jayanti
- Kalyana Karnataka Utsav
- Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti & Mahaparinirvan Diwas
- Basava Jayanti, Valmiki Jayanti, Rajyotsava, Samvidhan Diwas
- International Women's Day 2025

6.3 Campus Development Section

Dean: Prof. Channaveer R.M.

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Mr. Shakeel Choudhari.	Section Officer
2	Mr.Anand Chinde.	JE(Electrical)
3	Mr.Shivkumar.	JE(Civil)
3	Mr.Nagendra Kabade.	JE(Civil)
4	Mr.Mallikarjun V. Bhodahankar.	Assiatnt
5	Mr.Mahanthgouda. Patil	LDC



The Central University of Karnataka Campus is having 654 acres land located near Kadaganchi village in the district of Kalaburagi, Karnataka state. CUK is the first Central University to move to its permanent campus in a short time among the new ones.



The Details of Residential Accommodation for Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff.

Sl. No.	Type of Quarters	Name of the Residence	No. of Floor & No. of BHK	Total No of Quarters
1	Designated (Statutory Officer) Quarters	Designated	G+1 & 4 BHK	5
2	Professors (A-Qtrs.)	Teaching	G+1 & 3 BHK	8
3	Associate Professor (B-Qtrs.)	Teaching	G+1 & 3 BHK	16
4	Assistant Professor (C-Qtrs.)	Teaching	G+1 & 3 BHK	24
5	Group-A (D-Qtrs.)	Non-Teaching	G+2 & 3 BHK	12
6	Group-B (E-Qtrs.)	Non-Teaching	G+2 & 2 BHK	18
7	Group-C (F-Qtrs.)	Non-Teaching	G+2 & 1 BHK	24
8	Group-D (G-Qtrs.)	Non-Teaching	G+2 & 1 BHK	36
Grand Total				143

Guest House Facility:

The University has created a beautiful, air-conditioned guest house on campus with 4 Suite Rooms, 31 double-bed rooms, 2 single-bed rooms, and 2 Double Deluxe Rooms, as well as 2 non-air-conditioned rooms. Other facilities include a dining area and two well-equipped seminar/Conference Rooms with Wi-Fi facilities.



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, Table Tennis, Chess, Carom board. The building also houses sports section, DSW office, Prasaraanga and Gym.



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 been provided on rental bases to run bakery, stationery shop, and canteens. University has also created separate Food Courts 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 senior doctor and a regular lady doctor available on the campus with supporting staff of lab technicians and nurses. Facilities like an in-patient ward (02), IV drip facility, blood test, urine test, and blood pressure test are made available. For emergency services, there is a 24/7 ambulance facility available on the campus.

The Health Centre is committed to 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 they 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.

- 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 includes students, employees and their authorised dependents, retired employees and their dependents, and other people like servant quarters residents, sanitary staff, security staff, housekeeping staff, various project staff, data entry operators and other temporary staff etc. who are working in the University.
- Most of the medicines required for outpatient treatment are dispensed at the 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 the students' Medical Health Care Scheme.
- The Health Centre is well equipped to undertake emergency clinical investigations and offers outpatient care as well as providing inpatient treatment.

Bank Facility:



The University has dedicated banking facility within the campus provided by Canara Bank, which is operating in an independent building. The bank has opened an ATM centre within the University campus, near the bank. The bank provides facilities like savings account, RD account, student loan facility, laptop loan facility and health insurance.

Post Office Facility:

The Indian Post has established a post office on the University campus. The CUK has gained its own identity in the geographical map of India by with PIN Code-585367. The CUK post office provides all normal services which are available everywhere, like: Saving Bank, RD Accounts, Speed Post, and Regd. Post, eMO, iMO, PLI/RPLI, IMT, MO Videsh, ePayment, and Postal Orders/NSC/KVP. For Students, the Post Office is offering the following useful services, specifically: Saving Bank (with a Cheque Book and ATM card facility), Recurring Deposit Accounts, and ePost.

Electricity Facility:

The University has installed Three substations in the Campus and also installed 500 KVA, 200KVA and 1500 KVA DG systems in the campus to provide 24X7 Power supplying for the campus and installed a Solar power plant system of 250 KVA and 50 KVA Rooftop system.



The details are as follows:

1) Solar park:

- a) Ground mounted solar power plant 50KW capacity Delta Make Inverter: - 05 Nos
- b) Roof-top solar in Admin building 20KW capacity SMA make inverter: -02 Nos

2) Motors:

- a) OHT-1:
- b) OHT-2:
- c) Bore well:
- d) STP-1:
- e) STP-2

3) Diesel Generator

- 500KVA DG @ Substation -1: - 01 No.
- 1500KVA DG @ Substation-1:- 01 No.
- 200KVA DG @ Substation-3:- 01 No.
- 62.5 KVA DG @ SIC Building:-01 No.
- 500KVA DG @ SIC Building: - 01 No.

4) Transformer

- 2500KVA @ Substation -1: - 01 No.
- 500KVA @ Substation -2: - 01 No.
- 500KVA @ Substation-3:- 01 No.
- 1000 KVA @ SIC Building:-01 No.

Further, University has implemented LED lighting system on the whole campus through (EESL an entity under Ministry of Power, Govt. of India)

Comprehensive maintenance of electrical infrastructure and CEA approval secured for 5 years

During the year, servicing and repair work was carried out on essential electrical infrastructure including transformers, diesel generator (DG) sets, high-tension (HT) and low-tension (LT) breakers, and the solar power plant to ensure safety, efficiency, and uninterrupted power supply across the campus. The transformers underwent inspection, oil filtration, and insulation resistance testing; DG sets were serviced with engine maintenance, load testing, and fuel system checks to maintain reliable backup power. HT and LT breakers were mechanically overhauled and tested to ensure safe and stable electrical distribution. Regular maintenance of the solar power plant included module cleaning, inverter diagnostics, and performance monitoring for optimal energy generation. All service activities were executed in adherence to safety standards prescribed by the Central Electricity Authority (CEA), with proper use of personal protective equipment and isolation protocols. In compliance with the Central Government Electricity Act, the university successfully obtained the No Objection Certificate (NOC) from the Central Electricity Authority, valid for a period of **five years (2030)**, confirming that all electrical installations are safe, compliant, and authorized for continued operation.

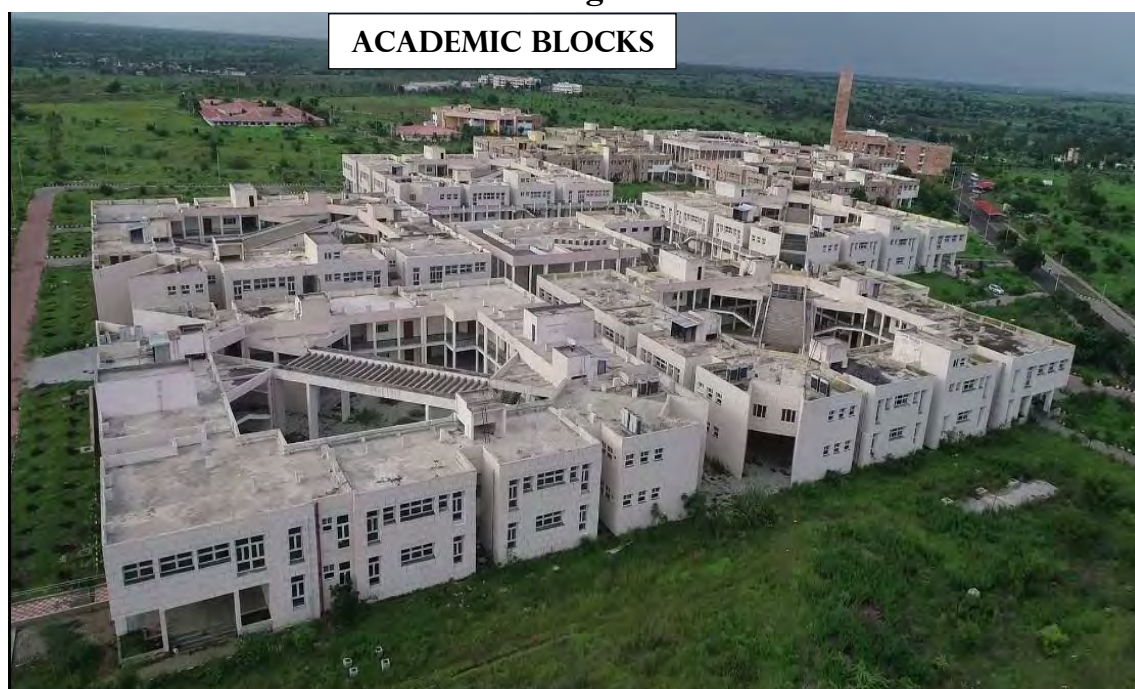
WATER facility:

Under the MOU the Government of Karnataka is providing 24/7 drinking water 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.

Sl. No	Block	Building Name	Area in Sq.mt
1.	D1	Dept. of Psychogy	2217
2.	D2	Dept. of Social works	2217
3.	D3	Dept. of Commerce	2217
4.	D4	Dept. of Economic Studies and Planing	2217
5.	D5	Dept. of Geography	2217
6.	D6	Dept. of Gelology	2217
7.	D7	Dept. of Engineering	2217
8.	D8	Dept. of Engineering	2217
9.	D9	Dept. of Kannada	2217
10.	D10	Dept. of Hindi + School of Business Studies	2217
11.	D11	Dept. of Mathematics	2217
12.	D12	Dept. of Physics	2217
13.	D13	Dept of Chemistry	2217
14.	D14	Dept of Computer Science +Intergrated B.Sc	2217
15.	D15	Chemistry Laboratory + Dept. Public Administration	2217
16.	D16	Dept. of History	2217
17.	D17	Dept. of Business Studies	2217
18.	D18	Dept of Tourism & Hotel Management	2217
19.	D19	Dept of Engilish	2217
20.	D20	Dept of Engilish	2217
21.	D21	Dept. of Folklore and Tribal Studies	2217

		Dept. of Journalism and Mass Communication	
22.	D22	Life Sciences including Virolog	2217
23.	D23	Dept. of Education & Training	2217
24.	SIC	Sophisticated Instrumentation Center	2389.25
25.	ELB	Engineering Laboratories & Infrastructure Building	2003.77
26.	CCB	Classroom Complex	2389.57
27.	ISDB	Incubation and Skill Development	2212.78
28.	PFSB	Pre Fabricated School Block (2 Blocks / 2200 Sq.mt.)	4400
29.	DR	Dean Room (5 Blocks / 314Sq.mt.)	1570
30.	LH	Leacture Hall (2 Blocks / 217 Sq.mt.)	434
31.	ADM	Admin Building	5928
32.	AH	Auditorium (2 Blocks / 1166.10 Sq.mt.)	2332.20
33.	GH	Guest House	2950
34.	CL	Central Library	3460
35.	HC	Health Centre	511
36.	SC	Shopping Complex	415
37.	B&P	Bank & Post office	1428
38.	MPH	Multipurpose Hall	2937
39.	BFC	Bio Fuel Infromation Centre	180.29
40.	SS	Substation 1, 2 & 3	507
41.	OHT	Over Head Tank	2,00,000 litre Capacity
42.	US	UG Sump (8 Nos.)	2,00,000 litre Capacity
43.	STP	Sewage Treatment Plant 1 & 2 (200 KLD Each)	400 KLD
44.	SP	Solar Park	4158

Details of Academic and Administrative Buildings:



Transportation Facility:

The University is operating 5 Buses for the commuting of Students within the Campus and for Staff who are coming from Kalaburagi city to the CUK campus. The transportation facility is provided to various Departments for students' field work/Industrial visits. Further university has procured and implemented two battery-operated vehicles for the use of students and staff inside the campus.



Campus Security Facility:

Mr. Mithilesh Ojha	Security Officer
Mr. Surya Pradeep Manduri	Security Inspector

The safety of the students within the campus is being taken care by the campus security agency. The security personnel are kept vigilant, especially for any inconvenience to the student community.

To promote a safe and welcoming environment to enhance the well-being of students, staff, faculty, and visitors, and protect all university property against theft and vandalism, the University is equipped with CCTV cameras at important locations such as the Entrance Gate, Administrative Building, Boys' and Girls' Hostels, and Library as a precautionary measure for visitors.

Plantation of Horticultural plants in University Campus:

The University had organized a horticultural tree plantation activity in campus. This marks the responsibility towards the students as well as nature. The tree plantation ceremony was graced by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana, along with faculty

A total of 1300 saplings were planted, which include Teak and Sandalwood. Also, maintaining these trees with proper watering on time. The main objective of the horticultural plantation was to nourish trees for greenery and profitable purposes. It is evident that due to the high density of the trees, the CUK Campus has been receiving good rain.

TREE PLANTATION



Installation of RO machines in various Departments in the University Campus:

Purified drinking water is the basic need for every human being, so we installed RO machines in various departments to purify water for drinking purpose for the students and faculty. We installed RO machines in D3, D10, D12, D15, D18, D19, Library and Administrative Buildings. Also maintaining these RO machines regularly for better water quality for the students and staff.



Construction of Cement Concrete Basketball Court Completed for Enhanced Sports Infrastructure

To enhance campus sports facilities and promote student physical development, a cement concrete basketball court was built at the Central University of Karnataka. The court was constructed using high-quality materials with a properly leveled and compacted sub-base, followed by a reinforced concrete surface designed for durability and all-weather use. The construction included court markings according to standard dimensions, adequate surface finishing to prevent slipping, and proper drainage to prevent water logging. This facility supports the university's commitment to holistic student development by enabling competitive and recreational sports on campus.

BASKETBALL COURT



The construction of the cement concrete basketball court at the Central University of Karnataka marks an important step toward strengthening the university's sports infrastructure and encouraging a culture of physical fitness and extracurricular participation among students. This durable, all-weather facility not only improves the campus environment but also offers a safe and professional-grade platform for students to engage in sports, develop vital life skills, and lead a healthy lifestyle. The initiative demonstrates the university's dedication to comprehensive student development and supports national goals for promoting sports in higher education institutions.

Construction of Connecting Road to Staff Quarters (E, F, and G Type Quarters)

To enhance internal mobility and provide convenient access to residential areas within the university campus, a connecting road was constructed to link the E, F, and G Type Staff Quarters at the Central University of Karnataka. The construction was executed with proper engineering practices, including roadbed preparation, compaction, drainage provisions, and bituminous surfacing to ensure long-term durability and safety for regular use.



6.4 Central Library

Central Library Staff:

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr.P.S.Kattimani	Librarian
2	Dr. Satish V Totar	Deputy Librarian
3	Dr. R.B.Bonal	Assistant Librarian
4	Dr. GJP Dixit	Assistant Librarian
5	Mr. Rajkumar Kalyani	Professional Assistant
6	Mr. Rajesh Chandra Das	Professional Assistant
7	Mr. Basaraj Yadwad	Semi Professional Assistant
8	Mr. Niganna M G	Library Assistant
9	Dr. Prakash S N	Library Assistant

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 learning activities that range from books, e-books, journals, e-journals, databases, reports, dissertations, theses, CD/DVDs, magazines and newspapers etc. Librarians are not just the gatekeepers here but the facilitators in a more extensive process to improve the individual's quality of life. 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 continually, pinpointedly, exhaustively and expeditiously.

Library Resources

Sl.No.	Resources	Total
1	Books	87,767
2	Book Bank	17,621
3	Competitive Books	3159
4	E-Books	5,513
6	E-Journals (approx) e-Shodha Sindhu, ONOS	13,000+
7	Back Volumes	921
8	Thesis and Dissertation	209
9	News Papers	18
10	General Magazines	27
11	CD-ROM/DVD	386

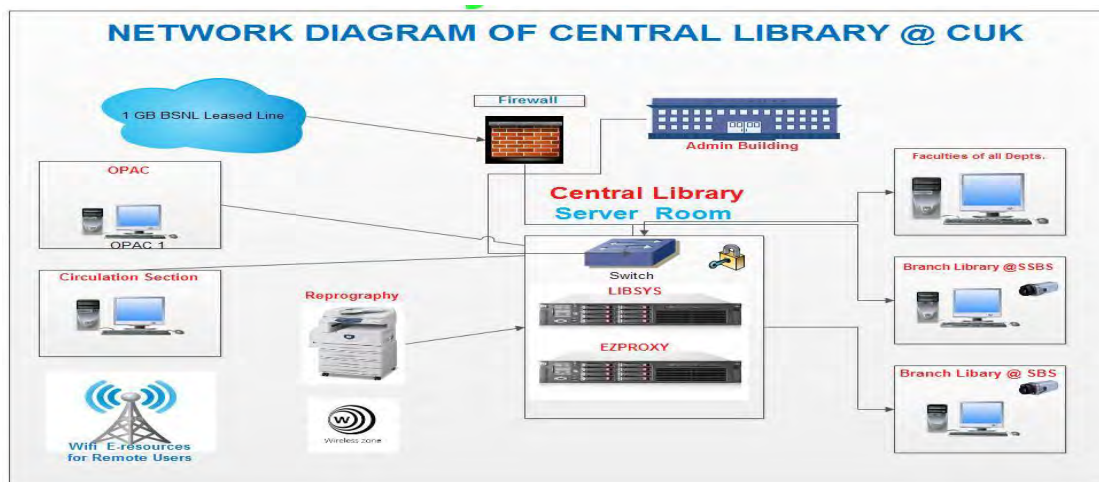
Library Automation with RFID

The Central Library is fully automated with RFID technology. LibSys10 upgraded software is integrated to manage in-house operations to cater to the needs of advanced handling of library resources and services. The features of Libsys10 include Acquisition, Cataloguing, Circulation, Serial control and Web OPAC. RFID is a technology that promises to increase efficiency, productivity, and enhance user satisfaction while rendering 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 Institute of Physics (18 journals)	http://journals.aip.org
2	Annual Review (34 Journals)	http://arjournals.annualreviews.org
3	Economic & Political Weekly	http://epw.in/
4	Institute for studies in Industrial Development (ISID) Database (125 Social science journals)	http://isid.org.in
5	JGate Plus(JCCC) (7900+journals on ILL request)	http://jgateplus.com/search
6	JSTOR (2500 titles)	http://www.jstor.org/
7	MathSciNet (300 Journals titles)	http://www.ams.org
8	Oxford University Press (262 Journals + back files)	http://oxfordjournals.org/
9	Springer Link 1700+Journals (back files from 1997)	http://link.springer.com
10	Taylor and Francis(1000Journals+back files from 1998)	http://www.tandfonline.com
11	Web of Science Lease Access (10,000 Journals)	http://www.webofknowledge.com
	NDL e-Resources	
12	National Digital Library, IIT Kharagpur	https://ndl.iitkgp.ac.in/
13	South Asia Archive(SAA)	http://www.southasiaarchive.com
14	ONOS implemented from 1 st January 2025	https://idp.cuklibrary.ac.in/

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)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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 1) Geography (145)
3		http://link.springer.com/search?facet-content-type="Book" 1. Business and Economics-260 titles 2. Earth and Environment Science -230 titles Total (490)
4		http://www.emeraldinsight.com/ 1. Emerald Management (175) e-journals 2. E-Book Series(750) [Management, Commerce & Economics]
5		http://www.worldscientific.com/ 3. Computers Science-1 4. Economics- 3 5. Mathematics-2 6. Physics-3 Total (9)
6	World Tehcnologies e-Books	http://wtbooks.com 2) Geography 131
7	McGraw Hill	https://mhebooklibrary-com-cuk.new.knimbus.com/ 3) Engineering 434 4) Computer Science 274 5) Management, commerce, Economics and Tourisim – 1750 Total (2458)
8	Emerald e-books	https://www-emerald-com-cuk.new.knimbus.com/insight/ 1. Education- 340
9	IEEE Wiley and MIT e-books	https://ieeexplore-ieee-org-cuk.new.knimbus.com/Xplore/home.jsp 2. Enginering -760

Software and Database

Sl. No.	Software and Database	URL Address
1	SPSS	http://www.spss.co.in
2	SCC Online Database	https://www-scconline-com-cuk.knimbus.com/
3	Grammarly	https://app.grammarly.com/
4	Knimbus	https://cuk.knimbus.com/user#/remoteAccess
5	Turnitin Plaigairism software	https://www.turnitin.com
6	Sci-Finder	https://scifinder-n.cas.org
7	Check for plag similarity software regional language	https://www.checkforplag.com

Institutional Repository DSpace

Publication of the University and Faculty are being digitised, including theses and Dissertations, rare materials and Archival materials, which would also be digitised 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, in case they are not available on the general shelf, 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 the use and acquaintance of e-resources, learning materials, e-shodh Sindhu and ONOS e-resources, CD/DVD databases, research communication, presentation skills, information exchange and online access to the Internet and web resources, various User-focused and training Programs are organised.

Book Bank Scheme

The objective of this scheme is to help needy student borrow 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 that the student is entitled to draw by enrolling him/herself as a member of the Book Bank library. Only the students who are members of the Library and belong to SC/ST can borrow the books for a semester, depending upon the availability of the resources.

Braille Resource Centre Activities

The Central University of Karnataka has set up a Braille Resource Centre in the Central Library of CUK, which was inaugurated by Prof. N.R. Shetty, Hon’ble Chancellor of CUK, on 28.10.2018. At present, this centre has basic facilities to serve the needy with the ambition of having the best assistive technologies available for its visually challenged students with a disability such as blindness and low vision studying in its post-graduate departments and to serve the student community in this Hyderabad Karnataka Region. The University intends to reach out to its visually impaired students to facilitate their process of pursuing higher education and enter the mainstream of society with self-confidence and dignity. The Centre further proposes to perpetuate the immense employment possibilities for these students and make them add to the workforce and contribute to nation-building.

Awards and Honours received from National level recognition:

1. ILA-KAULA Best Librarian Award 2024 conferred to Dr. P.S.Kattimani, University Librarian, CUK, in recognition of his significant contribution towards the development of the Library and Information Science profession and developing various libraries on national repute. The award was received at the International Conference organised by UAS, Raichur, held from 20th to 22nd March 2025.

Events Organised at Central Library

1. One-day National Seminar on AI and Research: Implications and Applications. Organised on the occasion of National Librarians Day held on 24th August 2024 at 10:30am.



Dr. S. M Pujar, Chief Librarian, Indira Gandhi Institute of Development Research (IGIDR), Mumbai, **Prof. Channaver R M**, Dean, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences, and **Dr.P.S. Kattimani**, Librarian and all library staff are present to release the newsletter.

- 2 Central Library organised a webinar on “Knimbus Digital Library – Remote Access” Speaker: Mr. Manikandan, Manager, Client Engagement, Global Information Systems Technology, New Delhi, held on 14th November 2024.
3. 70th ILA-International Conference on Libraries and Artificial Intelligence: Empowering users for Sustainable Knowledge Systems held at UAS, Raichur, 20th to 22nd March 2025.



70th ILA International Conference on Libraries and Artificial Intelligence: Empowering Users for Sustainable Knowledge Systems, organised in collaboration with the Indian Library Association, University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur, and Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi. Inaugurated by Prof. Battu Satyanaryana, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, President: Dr.m.Hanumanthappa, Vice Chancellor, UAS, Raichur, Chief Guest: Dr. Suyamindra Kulkarni, Vice Chancellor, ASMVU, Raichur, Dr. Mohan Kherde, President of ILA, Dr. O.N. Chauby, General Secretary of ILA, Keynote speaker, Dr. H.S.Siddamalliah, Librarian, RGHU, Conference Director: Dr. Suresh Jange, University Librarian, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Distinuihed presence: Shri Sharangowda Patil Bayyapur, MLC, Shri. Basangouda Byagwar, Ex-MLC, Shri.Mallikarjun S, Registrar: Dr. Gururaj Sunkad, UAS, Raichur, Organising Secretary: Dr. Machendranath S, Joint Organising Secretary: Dr.P.S.Kattimani, as well as Rapporteur of the conference, presented. The conference was held from 20th to 22nd March 2025.

Publications of Library Staff

Research articles (Listed in Scopus Indexed/Web of Science/UGC-CARE) with impact factor

1. Bonal, R.B. Detoxifying digital information: harnessing neural networks for cleaner data. *Neural Computer & Application* (2025). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00521-025-11444-7>
2. Bonal, R. B. (2025). Evaluating Library and Information Science Journals: A Scimago Ranking Perspective. *The Serials Librarian*, 1–9. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0361526X.2025.2513868>
3. Literature Search on the Web Using Google on Covid 19/Corona and the Pandemic (R. B Bonal & S. S.Uplaonkar , Trans.). (2024). *Journal of Indian Library Association*, 60(02), 263-270. <https://journal.ilaindia.net/index.php/lib/article/view/317>
4. Mandal, Satchit Prasun; Pandey, Vijyendra; Bonal, Raghavendra B.; Sharma, Abhishek; Astha, Arora1; Rajesh, Viju; Saha, Proshanto Kr. Navigating the death attitudes and anxiety during COVID-19: Role of dispositional mindfulness and tranquil ego. *Journal of Education and Health Promotion* 13(1):304, August 2024. DOI: 10.4103/jehp_1507_23

Non UGC-CARE peer-reviewed research articles:

- Dr. P.S. Kattimani Paper published in IAHRW *International Journal of Social Sciences Review*. Relative Growth Rate and Doubling Time of Publications on Bibliometrics and Scientometrics: A Study., 2024, 12(1), 50-54. ISSN-2347-3797. NAAS Rating 4.42. Peer-reviewed and Indexed Journal. <https://iahrw.org/product/relative-growth-rate-and-doubling-time-of-publications-on-bibliometrics-and-scientometrics-a-study/>
- Raghavendra B Bonal, Shilpa S.Uplaonkar (2024) Analyzing Collaborative Networks in Block-chain Research (2016-2022): A Scopus-based Study of Research Publications. *Library Progress International*, 44(3), 2284-2291.
- Vijyendra Pandey , Shubhra Hajela, Raghavendra B Bonal, Pooja Rani Pandey (2024). Adcorp International Services: Organizational Politics . *Library Progress International*, 44(3), 4498-450

Conference Proceedings:

- Dr.P.S. Kattimani, Dr. O.N. Chaubey, Dr. Machendranath S, Dr. Veeresh Hanchinal, Dr. Abhijeet Sinha, Dr. Iranna M. Shettar, and Dr. Rupesh Gaur (2025) International Conference on Libraries and Artificial Intelligence: Empowering Users for Sustainable Knowledge Systems. Organised UAS, ILA and CUK. 20th to 22nd March 2025.

Patents

- Bonal, R. (2025). Patent on AI-powered interactive smart book: Text to animation with language customization. IN Patent No. 191623. Application No. 430684-001.

Books Authored

2. Uplaonkar, S. S., Bonal, R. B., & Chikkamanju. (2025). DDC Readymade Classification Numbers for Agriculture and Allied Sciences. Agri-Biovet Press. ISBN: 978-93-93405-95-1.

Invited talks/Planery lectures/Keynote Address/Chaired the session:

- Dr. P.S.Kattimani, chaired technical session at National Conference On Emerging Library and Information Technologies on 26th and 27th April 2024 at NIT Warangal, Telangana State
- Dr.P S.Kattimani delivered a talk on E-Resources for Academic Excellence at Government Degree college, Bagalkot on 29th November 2024.
- Dr.P.S.Kattimani delivered a talk on E-Resources for Academic Excellence at Vijnaneshwara Government Law College, Kalburgi held on 19th December 2024.
- Dr.P.S.Kattimani delivered a talk on Shodh Chakra: A Gateway to Researchers at Central University of Karnataka, Kalburgi held on 29th January 2025.
- Dr.P.S. Kattimani delivered a talk on Use of Research Tools and Techniques at UAS, Raichur, 13th March 2024.

Paper presentation in conferences/seminars/workshop/symposia:

- Dr.P.S.Kattimani, invited speaker for National Conference on Emerging Library and Information Technologies at NIT, Warangal, Telangana State, held on 26th to 27th April 2024.
- Dr. P.S.Kattimani attended the National workshop on Institutional Digital Repository at Central University of Punjab in collaboration with NDLI, IIT Kharagpur held on 29th to 30th August 2024.
- Bonal, R., Uplaonkar, S. S., & Inamdar, S. (2024). Chat GPT, mathematics, and copyright. In Proceedings of the NCELITE Conference on Emerging Library and Information Technologies (Vol. 26).
- Bonal, R., Uplaonkar, S. S., & Inamdar, S. (2024). Augmenting chatbots and virtual assistants for online education. In Self-Reliant India: A Pathway to Being Developed India Mission 2047 International Conference (pp. 191-197).

6.5 Chief Vigilance Section

Chief Vigilance Officer: Prof. Basavaraja Kodagunti

The Chief Vigilance Office, CUK, has conducted a Vigilance Awareness Week in October-November. 2024.

- Various competitions held for students and non-teaching staff.
- The theme for the year was 'Culture of Integrity for the Nation's Prosperity'.
- Oath-taking ceremony: Hon'ble Vice Chancellor administered the oath to all the university, teaching, and non-teaching staff.
- Oath-taking ceremony was conducted in all the academic departments, where the concerned heads have administered the oath.
- Celebration of Vigilance Awareness Week from 28.10. 2024 to 3.11. 2024. Dr. Subhas Chandra Rathod, Professor of Practice, Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, has delivered a lecture on the 'Culture of Integrity for Nation's Prosperity', which was chaired by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, and the registrar was the guest of Honor.
- As part of the celebration of the Vigilance Awareness Week, the CVO office has been conducting various competitions for students and non-teaching staff on 30th Oct. 2024, at the Department of Kannada.



Vigilance Awareness Week-2024



Distribution of prizes



Vigilance Day Oath

6.6 Computer Centre

Our vision is to bring about improvement in our students with modern technology and to enhance their learning skills through computers, software, and new educational assets that will allow students to proceed at their own rate according to their ability.

Profile

- CUK Computer Centre offers access to the Internet, Network, and Wi-Fi on the campus and computing resources for teaching, learning, and research work.
- Around 64 Desktop systems are available for independent study at the Incubation Centre Computer Lab, and a Senior Technical Assistant is available to provide support.
- National Knowledge Network (NKN) 1Gbps leased line internet connection is provided under the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT).
- CUK and RailTel Corp. of India are collaboratively providing Wi-Fi services throughout the Campus by deploying a Total of 430 Wi-Fi Access Points.
- CUK LAN connectivity provided throughout the Campus.
- Wi-Fi-enabled campus.

Staff details

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Mr. Vinodkumar Tandurkar	System Analyst
2	Mr. Manjunath Annappa	Senior Technical Assistant.

The following equipment are available:

- Juniper Router Model: M10i
- Firewall: SOPHOS XGS 6500
- Core Switch: DLink DXS-F3400-28SC
- Distribution Switch: DLink DGS-3130-30S
- Cisco and D Link Managed Switches.
- D Link PoE Switches.
- Wireless Access Points:
- CUK- Cambium
- RailTel- Cisco & Airpro
- Server System: Dell PowerEdge EMC R540
- Server System: HP DL380 Gen10 8 SFF
- HP Z420 Workstation.
- MATRIX Eternity EPABX (Intercom) System.
- 05 KVA UPS System.

Programmes offered by the Departments/Centers/Work of the section

- The Computer Centre has arranged to conduct Lab practicals 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.

- 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 troubleshooting to diagnose system problems; analyzes hardware and software functionality; identifies, locates, resolves, and repairs problems within the scope of authority.
- Monitors the domain environment, resolves configuration and connectivity issues, and other traffic, security, and access problems; checks the network for operating efficiency, makes corrective adjustments to data management settings, and assures system integrity; sets up and repairs network hardware.

Activities of the Departments/Sections

1. Deployed RailTels' 217 additional Wi-Fi Access Points across all Hostels, Admin, Library, and Guest House to increase Wi-Fi coverage.
2. Deployed Upgraded Firewall: SOPHOS XGS 6500.
3. Incorporated Core Switches (2 No.s) and Distribution Switches (4 No.s) in the Network to strengthen Campus-wide OFC Backbone Connectivity.
4. Incorporated Log Server (HP DL380 Gen10 8 SFF) to record Internet Usage Logs.
5. Installed on-premise Cambium Wireless Controller and integrated with RailTel WAPs to have a common login page to both RailTel and the Universities' Wi-Fi Access Points.
6. LAN Connectivity extended at: Conservation Lab-Dept. of History, Bio-Feedback Lab-Department of Psychology, Partitioned Staff Room-Dept. of Linguistics.
7. Provided technical support to the seminars/conferences/special lectures being held/conducted at CUK by various schools/departments.
8. Providing and extending LAN and Wi-Fi connections to various departments and the buildings that have newly come up in the Campus.
9. Conducted Live streaming on YouTube celebration of 8th Annual Convocation on 11.03.2025.
10. Provided Technical support for the Celebration of Samvidhan Diwas (Constitution Day) on 26th November 2024.
11. Provided Technical support for the conduct of Three Day International Conference on "Earth & Environment Anthropocene from 5th to 7th March 2025, organized by the Department of Geology.
12. Provided Technical support for the conduct of the two-day National Conference on "Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment on 11th & 12th February 2025.
13. Provided Technical Support for the conduct of Online Meetings of EC, AC & FC and Online meetings with MoE and UGC, held throughout the year from Time to Time.

Staff activities

System Analyst participated in the following online Workshop/Training/Webinar. Completed 39 Online Courses on the IGot Karmayogi Online Portal.

Senior Technical Assistant participated in the following Workshop/Training/Webinar. Completed 39 Online Courses on the IGot Karmayogi Online Portal.

6.7 Dean of Students Welfare

Dean: Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi

The Student Welfare Section looks after the activities related to co-curricular activities such as cultural and recreational programs, ensuring discipline & conduct by the students in the campus, facilitating the coordinator to arrange free dental / health check-up in the university campus, and facilitating students to get hostel accommodation & hostel mess facilities in the campus.

Students are provided with Wi-Fi facility and study rooms in the hostel. The indoor sports facility, such as badminton, kabaddi, chess, carom, and table tennis, is available along with a gym facility on the campus. The facilities, like a 24*7 health centre facility and ambulance facility, are available for students. The battery-operated vehicles are available for the students to commute from hostels to academic blocks.

Students are encouraged to actively participate in several programs / events organized, such as health check-up camps, yoga classes, sports events and so on. During 2024-25, all the students who have applied for hostel accommodation are given hostel admission (100%) in the university hostels.

Staff details

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Charan Kumar K	Section Officer
2	Mr. Vijaykumar C	Upper Division Clerk
3	Mr. Murali Pujar	Lower Division Clerk

Events at the Department / Section:

The office of the Dean of Students' Welfare looks after the welfare of the students with active support from the students, faculty, and administration. A Student Counselling Service by a professional is available in the University. In case of any student requiring parental guidance, his/her parents will be informed accordingly. This office has organized the following events during 2024-25 in the university to ensure the participation of students in co-curricular activities.

Hostel Day celebration

To bring harmony among students residing in different hostels and to extract hidden talents in the students, a hostel day was organized. All the teachers, non-teaching staff, and hostel students have actively participated in all the cultural, games, and other activities during the celebrations.

International Yoga Day

Under the leadership and direction of the Honourable Prime Minister of India, the 10th International Day of Yoga was organized on 21st June 2024. Teachers, non-teaching staff and students actively participated in the event to make it a grand success. The students are awarded with medals and prizes during Yoga Day.

ANKUR FEST 2025



HOSTEL DAY CELEBRATIONS 2025



HOSTEL DAY CELEBRATIONS 2025



6.8 Examination Section

Controller of Examinations: Dr. Shri Kota Sai Krishna

- To support the learning process of all users through the provision of knowledge/information via conventional and non-conventional media.
- To meet the knowledge/information needs of students, faculty, and the teaching community to support their development and programming activities.
- To respond effectively, wherever possible, to the knowledge/information needs of research and development.
- To act as a repository for all the knowledge created within the University for Future Development.
- The University Examination Section conducts examinations for all programs, arranges for the valuation of answer scripts, processes marks, announces results, and issues degree certificates to students. The evaluation of answer scripts of postgraduate programs and all degree programs is carried out, and the results of all examinations are announced promptly.
- The university follows a semester system with continuous internal assessment and end-of-semester examinations.
- Admission to the undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. programs for the academic year 2024–2025 was made based on the Central University Common Entrance Exam conducted by the National Testing Agency in collaboration with the Central University of Karnataka and other central universities during July and September 2023. The tests were held in centers across the country.
- The Central University of Karnataka has conducted the examinations and announced the results of odd/even semesters (including regular and repeaters) in April/May 2024.
- The semester system, continuous evaluation, and choice-based credit system had been introduced, and the Examination Section announces results and prints grade sheets as per CBCS norms.
- The university conducted aptitude-based and discipline-specific entrance examinations and/or a merit-based selection process for admission into its Undergraduate, Postgraduate, and M.Phil./Ph.D. programs. Candidates were admitted based on merit by following the reservation policy of the Government of India/UGC.

Details of UG, PG, and M.Phil./Ph.D. AY-2024-25

Sl. No.	Programmes	Total Number of Passing/Awarded
1	UG	197
2	PG	627
3	Ph.D.	36

Convocation:

The 8th Convocation of CUK was a landmark celebration held on March 11, 2025, recognizing the hard work and accomplishments of its graduates. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Shri Dr. Battu Satyanarayana, declared the Convocation Ceremony open, and the Controller of Examinations, Shri Dr. Kota Sai Krishna, introduced the Chief Guest, Shri Dr. V. Narayanan, Chairman of the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO), to the Audience. V. Narayanan, in his speech, emphasized the importance of leadership, urging graduates to develop strong leadership qualities as they embark on their careers.



6.9 Finance Section

Finance Officer: Shri. D Ramadurai

The Finance and Accounts section in the Central University of Karnataka was established in the year 2009. This section is primarily responsible for mobilization of grants from the University Grants Commission (UGC) and other funding agencies. This section ensures that all the expenses are incurred as per the objectives and regulations of the Government of India. The key functions of the Finance and Accounts section encompass Financial Planning & Analysis, Accounting, Budgeting, Financial Reporting, Taxation, Payroll Management and Compliance & Controls. The department plays a pivotal role in maintaining financial discipline, ensuring transparent and efficient management of resources of the University.

Staff Detailse

S. No	Name	Designation
Permanent/Regular Staff		
1	Shri. D Ramadurai	Finance Officer
2	Shri. B Ramu	Assistant
3	Smt. Umarani D	Assistant
4	Shri. Akshaya B	Lower Division Clerk
5	Mr. Tanveer K	MTS/Hostel Attendant
Outsourcing Staff		
6	Shri. Kanakaraya	Computer Operator
7	Smt. Kalpana B M	Computer Operator
8	Smt. Preeti C	Computer Operator
9	Shri. Mallikarjun P	Multi Tasking Staff

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA : KALABURAGI				
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 2025				
Amount in Rupees				
SOURCES OF FUNDS	Schedule	Current Year 2024-25	Previous Year 2023-24	
CAPITAL FUND	1	3,48,56,81,488	3,31,78,88,559	
CORPUS FUND		16,41,594	15,79,546	
DESIGNATED/EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS	2	32,09,811	35,42,927	
CURRENT LIABILITIES & PROVISIONS	3	80,89,26,400	28,57,44,424	
TOTAL		4,29,94,59,293	3,60,87,55,456	
APPLICATION OF FUNDS	Schedule	Current Year	Previous Year	
FIXED ASSETS				
Tangible Assets	4	2,39,45,17,303	2,24,55,98,862	
Intangible Assets		24,24,551	23,16,775	
Capital Works-in-Progress		87,29,85,886	51,67,91,881	
INVESTMENTS FROM EARMARKED/ENDOWMENT FUNDS				
Long Term	5	-	-	
Short Term		2,17,864	1,60,000	
INVESTMENTS - OTHERS UNDER SHORT TERM/LONG TERM SCHEME	6	59,44,04,397	46,29,04,397	
CURRENT ASSETS	7	22,50,06,206	17,36,24,410	
LOANS, ADVANCES & DEPOSITS	8	20,99,03,086	20,73,59,131	
TOTAL		4,29,94,59,293	3,60,87,55,456	



FINANCE OFFICER

Finance Officer
Central University of Karnataka
KALABURAGI-585367

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA : KALABURAGI				
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED :: 31st MARCH, 2025				
Amount in Rupees				
Particulars	Schedule	Current Year 2024-25	Previous Year 2023-24	
INCOME				
Academic Receipts	9	8,96,87,090	4,44,54,947	
Grants/Subsidies [utilized (31+36)]	10	67,84,63,432	52,94,82,805	
Income from Investments on - Unspent balance placed under FD Scheme - Returned to UGC	11	-	1,75,04,280	
Interest earned on SB A/C & on IRG FDs	12	3,84,61,035	4,47,17,345	
Other Income	13	1,96,63,906	1,02,17,304	
Prior Period Income	14	2,88,91,855	7,23,53,088	
TOTAL (A)		85,51,67,318	71,87,29,769	
EXPENDITURE				
Staff Payments & Benefits (Establishment Expenses)	15	45,87,66,623	39,15,93,196	
Academic Expenses	16	4,01,36,766	4,25,78,026	
Administrative and General Expenses	17	18,21,21,435	14,44,75,759	
Transportation Expenses	18	38,66,480	36,69,289	
Repairs & Maintenance	19	4,05,92,443	1,07,54,398	
Finance costs	20	-	1,399	
Depreciation	4	12,33,58,047	14,38,55,000	
Other Expenses	21	83,23,305	48,68,212	
Prior Period Expenses	22	12,62,422	14,36,300	
TOTAL (B)		85,84,27,521	74,32,31,579	
Balance being excess of Income over Expenditure (A-B)				
Transfer to / from Designated Fund			0	0
Building fund				
Others (specify)				
Balance being Surplus / (Deficit) carried to Capital Fund		-32,60,203	-2,45,01,810	



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CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA : KALABURAGI RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 2024-25							
S.NO	HEAD OF ACCOUNT	RECEIPTS		S.NO	HEAD OF ACCOUNT	PAYMENTS	
		CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24			CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24
I.	OPENING BALANCES			I.	REVENUE EXPENSES (31 & 36) :		
a.	Cash in Hand	-	-		1) Establishment Expenses	42,91,89,749	33,12,00,318
b.	Bank Balance as on 01.04.2024				2) Academic Expenses	3,45,45,554	4,04,35,306
1)	Canara Bank A/c No.01	1,38,45,711	8,60,08,408		3) Administrative Expenses	17,92,72,823	13,98,86,890
2)	Canara Bank A/c No.02	1,65,32,310	6,42,97,460		4) Transportation Expenses	38,99,049	37,23,550
3)	Canara Bank A/c No.03	1,65,63,805	1,54,59,523		5) Repairs & Maintenance	2,29,09,904	93,24,577
4)	Canara Bank A/c No.04	2,27,61,858	2,16,69,364		6) Finance Cost (Against HEFA project)	-	1,399
5)	Canara Bank A/c No.05	20,06,363	34,52,661		7) Other Office expenses	72,87,112	35,90,723
6)	Canara Bank A/c No.6412 (Recr.)	3,47,41,653	2,71,43,099		8) Sports Expenditure	13,59,241	13,20,042
7)	Canara Bank A/c No.6413 (Sal.)	5,81,07,753	5,11,74,257		24,92,73,683		
8)	Canara Bank A/c No.6414 (Capt.)	8,46,061	6,92,694	II	CAPITAL EXPENSE (35)		
9)	ESCROW A/c No.0047	2,561	3,154	A) TANGIBLE ASSETS			
10)	ESCROW A/c No.0048	3,149	3,857	1) Buildings		18,97,381	-
11)	Exam Section A/c No.8186	15,78,088	10,90,417	2) Sports Equipment		-	14,11,934
12)	Canara Bank - DACE A/c	95,994	96,294	3) Tubewells & Water Supply		3,29,620	13,51,406
13)	Guest House A/c No.9298	1,65,629	14,37,950	4) Sewerage & Drainage		-	-
14)	Hostel Fee A/c (DSW) - 1185	53,53,165	-	5) Electrical Installation and Equipment		10,94,820	6,84,333
15)	Bank of Maharashtra (DST - Fellowship A/c)	7,30,689	-	6) Plant & Machinery		14,77,965	2,54,284
		-	-	7) Scientific & Laboratory Equipment		68,94,794	26,24,546
		-	-	8) Office Equipment		1,07,101	6,93,659
		-	-	9) Audio Visual Equipment		14,02,176	44,50,049
		-	-	10) Computers & Peripherals		2,45,03,844	72,98,243
II.	FUNDS - UNDER FD SCHEME			11) Furniture, Fixtures & Fittings		2,21,16,868	1,09,37,027
1)	Endangered Language	-	1,20,00,000	12) Vehicles		1,33,949	15,21,966
2)	Funds under FD Scheme (Gen. grants & o.schemes)	-	1,42,54,33,251	13) Library Books & Scientific Journals		54,59,757	49,24,666
3)	HEFA-MoE - PPL Amount in FD (90%)	5,93,50,500	5,93,50,500	14) Hostel Equipment		-	1,65,132
4)	HEFA-CUK - PPL Amount in FD (10%)	65,94,500	65,94,500	6,54,18,275			
5)	Prof. A M Pathan Gold Medal - PPL Amount in FD	1,60,000	-	B) IN-TANGIBLE ASSETS			
6)	CUK - IRG under FD Scheme	39,69,59,397	-	1) Computer Software		18,09,872	31,35,533
III.	GRANTS RECEIVED FROM FOR NORMAL FUNCTIONING			2) E-Journals		-	5,42,800
Govt. of India / UGC / MoE				3) Patents		-	-
1) Recurring Head (31)		27,00,00,000	20,00,00,000	6,72,28,147			
2) Salaries Head (36)		43,60,00,000	45,00,00,000	C) HEFA - Capital Assets Creation			
3) Capital Head (35)		5,00,00,000	4,00,00,000	1) For Buildings		35,00,00,000	10,00,00,000
IV.	GRANTS FROM MOE - UNDER HEFA PROJECT			2) Lab Equipments		20,31,44,929	26,63,811
1) MoE - Principal Loan Amount (90%)		11,87,01,000	11,87,01,000	3) Furniture		-	61,11,614
2) MoE - Interest on Principal Loan Amount (100%)		1,01,68,040	48,28,374	4) Computers		-	-
3) CPWD - Forfeiture of EMD & BG on HEFA Project		-	1,26,61,400	5) Computer Software		-	-



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		CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24			CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24
		-	-		PRIOR PERIOD EXPENSES	-	14,36,300
V.	INTERNAL REVENUE GENERATION (IRG)				D) IRG Expenditure A/c		
	a) ACADEMIC RECEIPTS				1) Computers - Software (Prof. Hegde)	-	5,66,594
	1) Fee received from students (Sch-9)	8,96,87,090	6,16,06,016		2) HEFA Buildings 10% Principal from CUK IRG	1,31,89,000	1,31,89,000
		-	-		3) Examination Section Expenditure A/c	-	2,06,300
		-	-		4) Convocation Expenditure A/c	-	16,58,986
		-	-		5) Guest House Expenditure A/c	-	77,927
		-	-		6) All Hostels Maintenance Expenditure A/c	-	6,06,254
		-	-		7) Guest/Contractual Staff Salary payment	-	8,46,008
					1,31,89,000		
				III	A) DEPOSITS WITH OTHER AGENCY		
					a) CPWD - Advance for Electrical Works	-	-
					b) CPWD - Forfeiture of EMD & BG on HEFA Project	-	1,26,61,400
	b) OTHER REVENUE						
	1) Other Income (Sch-13)	1,17,72,753	78,65,858				
	2) Recruitment Fee	7,46,008	21,68,504				
	3) Prior Period Income - Fellowship	2,22,187	20,96,795				
	4) Prior Period Income - Vehicle Allowances recovered from Agency	-	8,84,500				
	5) Electricity Charges received from Bank (as per audit comment)	-	75,562				
	6) Interest Earned on SB A/c (On IRG)	55,39,814	84,67,771				
	7) Interest Earned on TDRs (On IRG)	2,86,80,829	2,50,53,488				
	8) Interest Earned on Prof. A M Parham -TDR	14,111	-				
	9) Academic Fees -previous year received current year- Prior period	2,09,28,728	-				
	6,79,04,430						
	c) CORPUS FUND						
	1) Over Head Charges recovered from Project Funds	62,048	1,70,898				
VI.	HEFA LOAN AVAILABLE BY CUK (LIABILITY)						
	HEFA LOAN - Capital - Fixed Assets						
	HEFA -LOAN for Buildings	20,31,44,929	87,75,425				
		35,00,00,000	10,00,00,000				
VII.	ANY OTHER GRANTS / RECEIPT (LIABILITY A/c)						
	Centre for Classical Languages Kannada	10,13,000	28,00,674				
	Hostel Fee A/c (DSW) - 1 1 0 1 6 1 0 7 9 1 3 2	-	53,53,165				
	Hostel Mess Fee	4,78,37,353	1,43,82,710				
	DACE - Grants Received (Balance amount)	24,43,699	-				
	UGC/MoE Grants - Interest earned on Unspent	-	5,34,61,973				
	B Voc - Interest	-	1,12,992				
	Community College - Interest	-	89,247				
	Endangered Language - Interest	-	1,81,965				
				IV	ANY OTHER GRANTS - PAYMENT (LIABILITY A/c)		
					1) Centre for Classical Lang. Kannada - Principal	-	16,84,021
					2) GoK - For Covid Lab. Activities - Principal	4,53,275	4,66,539
					3) Dr. Ambedkar Centre for Excellence (DACE)	3,44,009	16,02,390



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		CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24			CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24
	Cauton Fee Deposit from Students (Acad.)	27,00,355	14,91,620		4) Centre for Classical Lang. Kamada - Interest Refund	6,10,030	-
	Hotel Accommodation - Security Deposit	34,83,000	29,39,575				
	EMD & Security Deposits	33,99,000	55,35,914		B) GRANTS FROM MOE - UNDER HEFA PROJECT		
	Interest earned Covid Lab grant	1,06,048	99,849		MoE (ODP) A/c		
	VIII. FUNDS - SPONSORED PROJECTS (RESEARCH)				1) Principal Loan Amount (90%)	11,87,01,000	11,87,01,000
	1) Minor/Major Research Projects	3,16,10,422	92,39,793		2) MoE - Interest on Principal Loan Amount (100%)	1,01,68,040	48,28,374
	2) Interest on Sponsored Projects	6,31,996	4,87,759				
					C) REFUNDIBLE DEPOSITS		
	IX. SPONSORED FELLOWSHIP & SCHOLARSHIPS				1) Cauton Fee Deposit from Students (Acad.)	10,52,272	72,225
	1) SC/ST students Scholarship	9,28,112	4,73,440		2) Hostel Security Deposit	63,000	15,43,500
	2) Education Loan received on behalf of Students	29,34,966	21,59,888		3) Hostel Mess Deposit (Refunded to students)	20,000	1,03,000
	3) DST - Inspire Fellowship	-	-		4) EMD & SD A/c	25,92,000	16,42,603
	4) UGC Fellowship	-	-		5) Mess Bills paid to Contractors	6,36,09,802	
	5) Dr. Ambedkar DAC Fellowship	-	2,44,800		D) SPONSORED FELLOWSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS		
	6) Prof. V Bhosle - FRP Faculty	41,50,065	3,07,364		1) SC/ST students Scholarship	2,05,026	4,86,501
	7) ICSSR Fellowship	9,58,500	11,00,692		2) OBC Students Scholarship	-	22,99,798
	8) DST - Fellowship	31,83,390	38,16,857		3) Education Loan	25,04,523	13,63,368
					4) ICSSR Fellowship	16,32,355	6,01,267
					5) DST - Inspire Fellowship	-	66,097
					6) DST - Fellowship	34,21,641	30,86,168
					7) Dr. Ambedkar DAC Fellowship	-	4,77,809
					8) Prof. V Bhosle - FRP Faculty	40,82,049	-
	X. REMITTANCES A/C						
	Income Tax (TDS)	6,35,65,521	4,66,50,343		E) EXPENDITURE - SPONSORED PROJECTS (RESEARCH)		
	GST	46,56,018	20,74,422		1) Minor/Major Research Projects	1,34,02,123	91,76,163
	Professional Tax	7,09,600	10,38,200		2) Refund of Interest earned on Research Projects	2,71,859	1,52,785
	NPS - Employee Share	3,72,53,136	2,95,06,754			-	-
	LIC	19,79,444	20,23,467				
	EPF Employee share	2,83,461	-				
	NPS - B RAMU - received	-	1,27,838				
	NPS - Prof. N Nagaraju - received - (Receivable amount of last year)	10,16,247	9,37,364		F) REMITTANCES A/C		
					1) Income Tax (TDS)	6,35,65,521	4,66,73,263
					2) GST	45,32,919	19,15,380
					3) Professional Tax	7,13,000	12,71,000
	XI. LEAVE SALARY & PENSION CONTRIBUTION (LS & PC)				4) NPS Employee Share	3,74,94,824	2,95,74,081
	1) Mr. B. Ramu	-	80,776		5) LIC	19,79,444	20,22,930
	2) Mr. Ankit Mishra	-	23,764		6) NPS - B RAMU - remitted	-	1,27,853
	3) Cash Equivalent Leave Salary (Dr. Sandeep R & Mr. Vikramaditya)	-	-		7) NPS - Prof. N Nagaraju - remitted	9,85,321	10,55,420
	4) GPF - Prof. Brindar, Registrar	23,59,907	88,000				



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		CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24			CURRENT YEAR 2024-25	PREVIOUS YEAR 2023-24
	5) GSIJS - Prof. Brindar, Registrar	-	630		8) GPF - Prof. Brindar, Registrar	-	1,28,000
	6) Mr. Akheel Pasha, SO	-	1,06,307		9) GSIJS - Prof. Brindar, Registrar	-	630
					10) EPF Employee Share	2,81,904	
	Receipt of previous year NIBA	9,07,971	14,36,300	V	RBI PULL BACK AMOUNT		
	Receipt of previous year NIBA - Seed Money	2,00,000	-		1) RBI - Pull Back (Recurring)	-	-
	SALE OF ASSETS				2) RBI - Pull Back (Salaries)	-	9,48,25,446
	1) Sale of Vehicle (Disposed)	1,05,551	77,786		3) RBI - Pull Back (Capital)	-	-
	2) Sale of Laptop (Dr. Lavanna G)	-	28,250		4) DST (MH Bank) - Agency Pull Back (Dr. Ashlok P)	5,29,420	-
		-	-		5) DST (ICICI Bank) - Agency Pull Back	7,28,827	-
		-	-		6) DST (UBI Bank) - Agency Pull Back	3,71,337	-
	XII. UNSPENT BALANCE RECEIVED FROM						
	a) Unspent Balance from NICS	70,37,823	-				
	b) Interest on Unspent Balance FROM NICS	38,11,515	-	VI	BANK BALANCES AS ON 31.03.2025		
	c) Unspent balance from CPWD (SC/ST Girls & Boys) Hostel	67,21,868	-		1) Canara Bank A/c No 01	3,06,44,707	1,38,45,711
	d) Unspent balance from CPWD (Tim-Shed)	1,36,679	-		2) Canara Bank A/c No 02	1,41,72,135	1,65,32,310
	e) Unspent balance from CPWD (other projects) (430-117-58503-48178)	1,07,228	-		3) Canara Bank A/c No 03	3,31,40,072	1,65,63,805
					4) Canara Bank A/c No 04	2,46,88,577	2,27,61,858
					5) Canara Bank A/c No 05	24,66,222	20,06,363
					6) Canara Bank A/c No 6412 (Recurring)	3,27,50,980	3,47,41,653
					7) Canara Bank A/c No 6413 (Salary)	6,26,03,107	5,81,07,753
					8) Canara Bank A/c No 6414 (Capital)	37,95,504	8,46,061
					9) ESCROW A/c No 0047	1,852	2,561
					10) ESCROW A/c No 0048	2,323	3,149
					11) Exam Section A/c No 8186	1,60,876	15,78,088
					12) Canara Bank - DACE A/c	4,698	95,994
					13) Guest House A/c No 9298	17,71,855	1,65,629
					14) Hostel Fee A/c (DSW) - 1185	55,08,437	53,53,165
					15) Bank of Maharashtra DST - Fellowship A/c	-	7,30,689
					16) PEMS - RBI A/c 1048	-	-
					17) Canara Bank - EPF A/c for FO	51,269	-
					18) Canara Bank - 9132 (Mess A/c)	1,29,30,491	-
					19) ICICI - Project A/c	-	-
					20) UBI - Project A/c	-	-
				VII	FUNDS UNDER FD SCHEME		
					1) CUK - IRG under FD Scheme	52,84,59,397	39,69,59,397
					2) HEFA-Mof-CUK - PPL Amount in FD	5,93,50,500	5,93,50,500
					3) HEFA-Mof-CUK - PPL Amount in FD	65,94,500	65,94,500
					4) Prof. A M Pathan Gold Medal - PPL Amount in FD	2,17,864	1,60,000
	GRAND TOTAL :-	2,46,82,98,598	3,00,77,43,458		GRAND TOTAL :-	2,46,82,98,598	3,00,77,43,458


Finance Officer
Central University of Karnataka
KALABURAGI-585367

6.10 Equal Opportunity Cell

Liaison Officer: Prof. Devrajappa .S

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has given priority to the downtrodden students and staff during the IX plan period and given direction to all the universities to establish the SC/ST Cell. The SC/ST Cell at Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, was constituted in the year 2012. After the establishment of the Cell in the university, it specifically concentrated on the welfare of the SC/ST students and staff. The main aim of the Cell is to implement the guidelines issued by the MHRD, the University Grants Commission, and the government of Karnataka from time to time. The Cell ensures the effective implementation of the reservation policies in the university admissions to students in various courses of study, accommodation in the hostels, appointments to the teaching and non-teaching posts, and allotment of quarters, establishment of Book Bank in the University, and maintenance of roster register in the University.

The following activities were carried out during the academic year of 2024-2025

1. 118th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram on 5th April 2024.
2. 134th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar on 14th April 2024.
3. Valmiki Jayanti On 18th November 2024.
4. Jan Jatiya Gaurav Diwas Celebrated at CUK on 25th Nov 2024.
5. 68th Mahaparinirvan Divas 6th December 2024.



68th Mahaparinirvan Divas 6th December 2024



Valmiki Jayanti on 18th November 2024



Jan Jatiya Gaurav Diwas Celebrated on 25th Nov 2024



118th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram on 5th April 2024



134th Birth Anniversary of Dr B R Ambedkar on 14th April 2024

6.11 Grievance Cell

Nodal Officer: Dr. Siva

The Centralized Public Grievance Redress and Monitoring System (CPGRAMS) is an online web-enabled system over NICNET developed by NIC, in association with the Directorate of Public Grievances (DG) and Department of Administrative Reforms and Grievances (CPGRAMS portal) is in place in the Central University of Karnataka and working efficiently. During the Financial Year 2024-25 and eleven grievances disposed off. The grievances were pertaining to fee structure, recruitment, transportation and safety measures. There are no pending grievances.

6.12 Health Centre

Staff Details:

S. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Jyoti.S.Tegnoor	Medical Officer
2	Dr. A.A.Tashkentkar	Medical Officer
3	Dr. Rohit S. Devani	Medical Officer
4	Mr. Kiranraj	LDC
5	Ms. Shruthika S. Beliger	Pharmacist
6	Ms. Annapurna	Staff Nurse
7	Mr. Ambresh	Staff Nurse
8	Mr. Shridhar	Staff Nurse
9	Ms. Shivleela	Staff Nurse
10	Mr. Mrityunjay	Lab Technician
11	Mr. Md Naseer	Medical Attender
12	Ms. Vandana	Cleaning personnel

The health centre provides comprehensive primary health care and emergency medical services around the clock. It provides OPD services from 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM on all 7 days, including general holidays. The health care is ensured by one female medical officer and two male medical officers available on the campus with supporting staff of a lab technician, a Pharmacist, and a staff nurse. The total dependent population is about 4000 which includes students, employees, and their authorised dependents, various non-entitled people, sanitary staff, security staff, housekeeping staff, various project staff, data entry operators, and many other temporary staff, etc., working in the university.

Dispensary: Most of the basic medicines and emergency medicines are dispensed at the health centre free of charge.

Inpatient facility: Health centre hosts a well-equipped six-bed facility offering outpatients as well as inpatient care. It also provides O₂ therapy, nebulisation therapy required as first-line treatment in emergency conditions.

Patient visits: The Number of patients visiting our health centre is approximately 1600 per month.

Clinical Laboratory: The Health Centre provides the following facilities. Blood test – CBC, LFT, RFT, RBS, LIPID PROFILE, ROT, DENGUE, WIDAL TEST, URINE ROUTINE AND MICROSCOPY, BILE SALTS AND BILE PIGMENT. The number of patients visiting our health centre for investigations is approximately 40 per month.

Health centre collaborated with hospitals and diagnostic labs for specialised care –

- Anugraha Eye Hospital, MSK Mill Road, Kalaburagi.
- HCG cancer hospital, kalaburagi • Vrinchi hospital, Hyderabad
- Indo American hospital, Hyderabad. Several Other hospitals are in the process of collaboration.
- For Higher radiological and pathological tests, collaborated with Vijay Diagnostic, Kalaburagi.

Special Camps: Special Camps like, blood donation camps, eye testing camps, dental check up camps, etc., are conducted regularly.

Ambulance Facility: It has a 24-hour ambulance service for referring patients to hospitals in the city during medical emergencies.

Bio-medical Waste Management: All the bio-medical waste generated in the health centre is disposed of according to the Bio-Medical Waste (Management & Handling) Rules 1998.

6.13 HEFA Projects

Progress of the works undertaken under HEFA Phase-1 during the financial year 2024-25					
Details of DIB approved ongoing Projects including Additional works					
Sl. No.	Name of Project	Expenditure (Rs in Cr.)	Date of commencement of the Project	Present Status	Percentage of Completion
1. Construction of Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre (SIC)					
1(i)	Supply, installation, testing and commissioning of 1000 KVA transformer and HT cabling (SIC)	1.532	29.06.2023	Completed on 06.05.2024	100%
1(ii)	Providing IEI cabling and Split AC's to ICPMS, Geochemistry and NMR Labs of SIC building				
1(iii)	Providing SITC of 500 KVA DG set to SIC Building	0.517	18.01.2024	Completed on 31.08.2024	100%
1(iv)	Providing Interlocking Paver Road and Fire Exit pathway to SIC building	0.350	10.03.2024	Completed on 18.10.2024	100%
1(v)	Providing Additional Civil works to ICPMS, Geochemistry and NMR Labs of SIC building	0.159	13.07.2024	Completed on 25.09.2024	100%
1(vi)	Providing Additional electrical work in Single Crystal XRD Lab at SIC building	0.093	30.09.2024	Completed on 25.10.2024	100%
1(vii)	Providing Additional Electrical works for PXRD and PPMS Labs at SIC building	0.030	18.02.2025	Completed on 19.03.2025	100%
1(viii)	Providing Additional Electrical works for HRMS and NMR Labs at SIC building	0.000	—	Yet to start (Tendering Process)	0%
2. Construction of Engineering Laboratory Building					
2 (i)	Providing 58 Nos. of 2 Tr-VRV/VRF AC's, 2-sets of 30KVA 3-ph.UPS with 30 min. backup to Engineering Lab building.	1.039	09.09.2023	Completed on 10.06.2024	100%
2 (ii)	Providing CC TV Surveillance system for Engineering				
3. Construction of Incubation cum Skill Development Center Building					
3 (i)	Providing 58 nos. of 2Tr-VRV/VRF AC's, 2-sets of 15KVA 3-ph.UPS of 30 min backup to Incubation and Skill Centre.	1.050	12.08.2023	Completed on 10.06.2024	100%
3 (ii)	Providing power points, LAN points with DLP trunking and CCTV for Incubation and Skill Development Center				
4. Construction of UG and PG Boys Hostel (452 capacity)		24.889	01.04.2021	Original Tender Rescinded. New agency	94%
4 (i)	Enhancement of bed capacity from 452 to 540 in Boys Hostel				
4 (ii)	2 lakh litre underground Sump with pumping machinery				



4 (iii)	Paver block road & external sewer line for Boys hostel			commenced work from 20.02.2024.	
4 (iv)	Wireless access points in Girls Hostel				
5. Construction of UG and PG Girls Hostel of 500 capacities each with Mess block. (Tendered capacity is only 452).				Original Tender Rescinded. New agency tender award. Work to commence.	
5 (i)	Enhancement of bed capacity from 452 to 540 in Girls hostel	20.972	01.04.2021		89%
5 (ii)	2 lakh litre underground Sump with pumping machinery				
5 (iii)	Paver block road, Badminton courts and External Sewer line for Girls hostel				
5 (iv)	Wireless access points in Girls hostel				
6. Procurement of 20 Sophisticated Instruments		30.300	06.06.2020	Eight Procured, one Purchase Order Issued and three Under process	70%

6.14 Innovation Club, Incubation and Skill Development Centre

Director: 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.

Innovation festival for students at different levels, honouring student creativity was planned, initial preparation and orientation sessions were conducted in the month of 22 March 2025. A festival showcasing and honouring achievers at the rural level was initiated. 25 innovators in six categories participated in the Innovation festivals.

Categories:

1. Humanities, Languages, Fine Arts
2. Commerce, Media, Management, Law, and Social Sciences
3. Pure Sciences
4. Agriculture, Biology, Pharma, and Medicine
5. Engineering & Technology

Levels:

- (2) UG/PG
- (3) PhD/ M. Phil (Innovation other than the PhD work)
- (4) Faculty (Non-guiding temporary or permanent teaching faculty- innovation other than PhD work)

After school-level selections, the poster presentations were held. The selected innovators were allowed to present their work to experts. The best innovations were chosen and awarded during the festival. The festival was conducted by Dr. Rajeev Shesha

Joshi with the collaboration of different representatives from all the schools. This activity aims to inculcate a research culture among students; to encourage original and novel thinking, to provide an opportunity for expression of academic talent; To promote interaction among academia, R&D Institutes, and Industries



Award distribution for the Innovation Festival held for UG, PG students, and faculty

Incubation and Skill Development Centre.

The centre aims to shelter and nurture skills at the University level with a special focus on entrepreneurial development. It houses laboratories and establishments for training in computer skills and a tinkering environment. The centre building was inaugurated this year by Honourable Prime Minister Narendra Modi

The national advisory meeting was conducted this year in the month of July 2024. The incubation policy was approved for the 74th Executive Council held on 04/11/2024. One company proposal for incubation was scrutinised. The CUK problem-solving hackathon was conducted on 8th September 2024 coordinated by Dr Layak Ali, from the School of Engineering. The incubation center team visited Foundation for Science Innovation and Development (FSID), IISc Bengaluru, for finalizing the establishment of Tinkering Lab, developing a ground plan for CUK.



CUK team at FSID, Bengaluru

To encourage incubation and startup culture, the Incubation and Skill Development Center, innovation club and R&D cell of CUK together have organized a seminar on 'Startup-Culture and Innovation' on 23/01/2025 by Dr. Zahoorullah. S. MD., the Chief Innovation Officer, Atal Incubation Centre ALEAP WEHUB, Hyderabad. The seminar was a base for innovation-based startup culture at Central University of Karnataka.

The CUK incubation center represented the *Yugma* program conducted by the honorable Prime Minister's office and Wadwani group on 29/04/2025 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi.

6.15 Internal Complaints Committee

The Internal Complaints Committee of Central University of Karnataka is instituted in January 2023 vide office order no. CUK/ADMN-III-F-812/2022-23/1178 Dated 02/01/2023 and Presiding Officer and members are as follows: -

Sl. No.	Name	Status
1	Prof. Sunitha A. Manjanbail	Presiding Officer (from 02/01/2023 to 31 March 2025)
2	Dr. Basavaraj Kubkaddi	Member
3	Dr. Renuka	Member
4	Dr. Reshma Nadaf	Member
5	Smt. Samarthini Serikar	Member
6	Dr. Pallavi Patil	Women NGO Representative

Gender equity, including protection from Sexual Harassment and the right to work with dignity, is a universally recognized basic human right. Eradication of social evils has been the prime aim of the Constitution of India. Article 15 of the Constitution of India prohibits discrimination on grounds of religion, race, caste, sex, or place of birth. Article 42 makes provision for securing just and human conditions of work. Article 51 A(e) makes it incumbent on every citizen to promote harmony and spirit of the common brotherhood amongst all the people of India, transcending religious, linguistic, and regional or sectional diversities; to renounce practices derogatory to the dignity of women. India is also a signatory to the Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women. Resultantly, the Central University of Karnataka introduced and enforced the ordinances titled "Sensitization, Prevention and Redressal of Sexual Harassment."

Activities of ICC: -

- Billboards are displayed at various buildings to create awareness amongst all the students and employees of the University were finalized by the Committee. ICC phone number, email ID, and helpline numbers are also displayed in the Bill Board.
- The Internal Complaints Committee Meetings have also been conducted regularly.



Orientation and Common Course Registration Programme for Newly Joined UG Students



Orientation and Common Course Registration Programme for Newly Joined PG Students

6.16 Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

Director: Prof. Ganesh Pawar

Deputy Directors: Prof. Venkita Ramana Doddi

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. Conducting a workshop/Seminar in association with IQAC.
2. Collecting year-wise Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the departments for NAAC.
3. Data collection for NIRF Ranking.
4. Collecting the Annual Self-Appraisal Report yearly from the Teaching and Library faculty of CUK.
5. Implementation of Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS).
6. Verifying documents for Counting of Past Service for promotion under CAS.
7. Collecting Student Satisfaction Survey (SSR) for NAAC.
8. Collecting Alumni Survey for NAAC.
9. AQAR report has been prepared and uploaded on the NAAC Website every year.
10. Collecting Teachers' feedback and analyzing the feedback.
11. Collecting Alumni feedback and analyzing the feedback.
12. Collecting Parents' feedback and analyzing the feedback.
13. Compiling and consolidating data related to events and programmes conducted by Schools, Departments, Centres, and Administrative Units of the University.
14. Conducts periodic academic and administrative audits, publishing the AAA Report, and initiates follow-up actions for improvements.

6.17 IPR Cell

Coordinator: Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi

An Intellectual Property (IP) Cell was established in CUK with the intention of supporting innovation, protecting intellectual property, and promoting awareness about the importance of intellectual property rights within the organization. Sensitization about the IPR, registration of the patents, and supporting the processes of the IP-protected entrepreneurial ecosystem is the aims.

6.18 National Service Scheme (NSS)

Coordinator: Mr Shivam Mishra

The NSS unit of CUK works in the spirit of 'Education Through Service' as envisaged by the Government of India. Very appropriately, the motto of NSS is "NOT ME, BUT YOU". An NSS volunteer places the 'community' before 'self'. NSS aims at developing the following qualities/ competencies among the volunteers:

- a) To understand the community in which the NSS volunteers work and to understand themselves in relation to their community
- b) To identify the needs and problems of the community and to involve themselves in a problem-solving exercise
- c) To develop among themselves a sense of social and civic responsibility
- d) To acquire skills in mobilizing community participation

e) To acquire leadership qualities and democratic values;

f) To practice national integration and social harmony.

The NSS wing of the university comprises a university-level coordinator as well as school-level coordinators.

List of the School level Coordinators		
Sl. No.	Name	School
1	Dr. P Ashok	School of Physical Sciences
2	Dr. Uday Patil	School of Engineering
3	Dr. Vishwanath B C	School of Earth Sciences
4	Dr. Mayur Siddappa Pujari	School of Education & Training
5	Dr. Kavishankar G B	School of Life Sciences
6	Dr. Deepthi	School of Media Studies
7	Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav	School of Social & Behavioral Sciences
8	Dr. Jagadish Biradar	School of Business Studies
9	Dr. Ashish Belamkar	School of Humanities & Languages
10	Dr. Parshuram M Kamble	School of Computer Sciences
11	Dr. Suchismita Sahoo	School of Physical Sciences

Details of the NSS activities conducted during April 2024 to March 2025

Cleanliness and Awareness Drive at the Kadaganchi Bus Stop

On 17th Sep 2024, the NSS-CUK conducted a cleanliness cum awareness drive at the Kadaganchi bus stop. The event was organised in collaboration with the Gram Panchayat. Apart from the NSS volunteers, faculty members of the university and te officials of the Gram Panchayat participated in the event and cleaned the bus stop area.



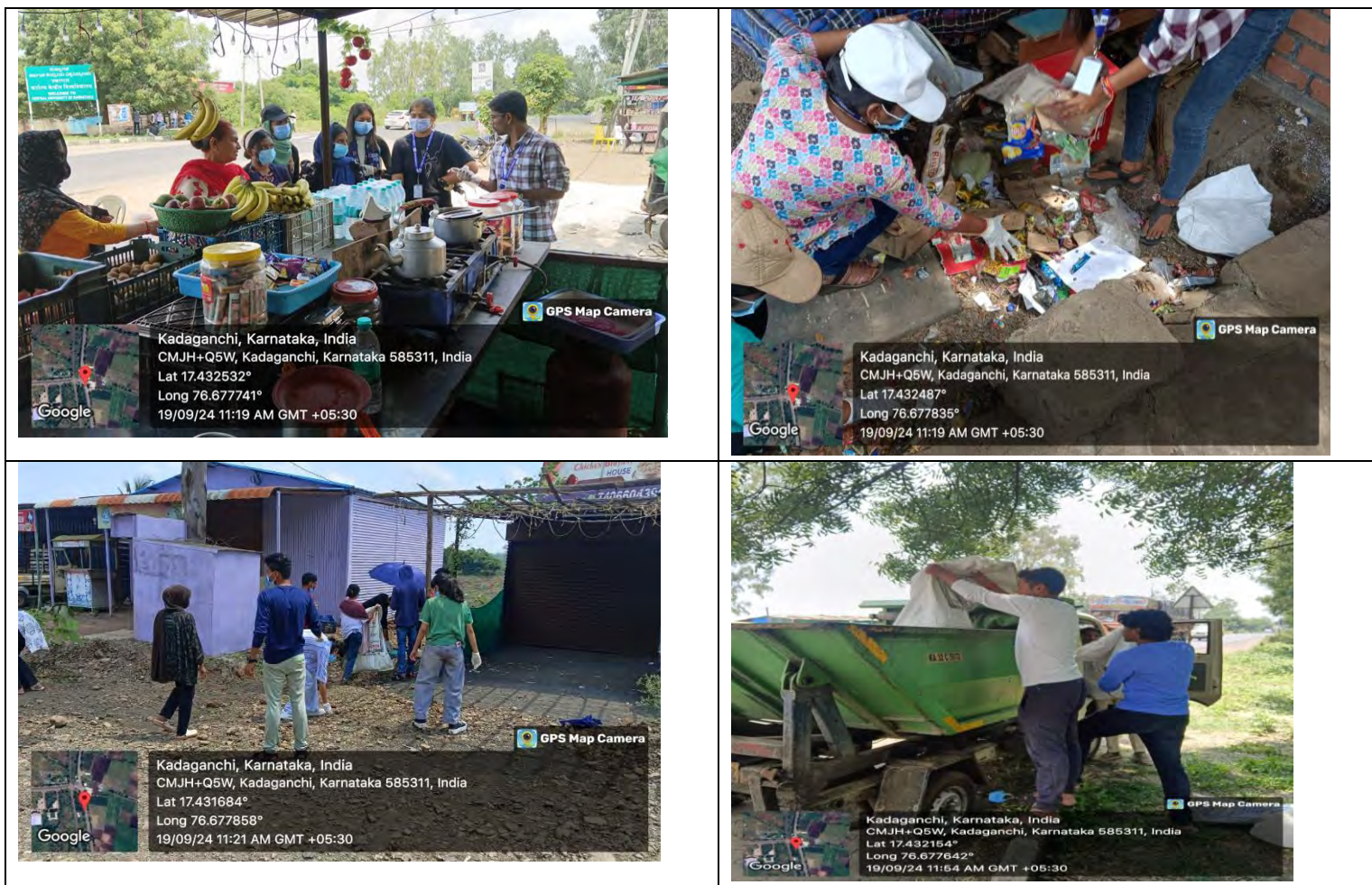


Walkathon and Cleanliness Drive at Suntanoor Village:

On 18th Sep 2024, the NSS-CUK unit and the Department of Social Work organised a Walkathon and Cleanliness Drive in the nearby Suntanoor Village. The NSS volunteers and the students of the primary school together held a rally with placards displaying the messages on the importance of maintaining cleanliness. Together, they also cleaned the premises of the school. The Registrar of the Central University of Karnataka, Prof R R Biradar, and the panchayat officials enlightened the gathering on the issue.



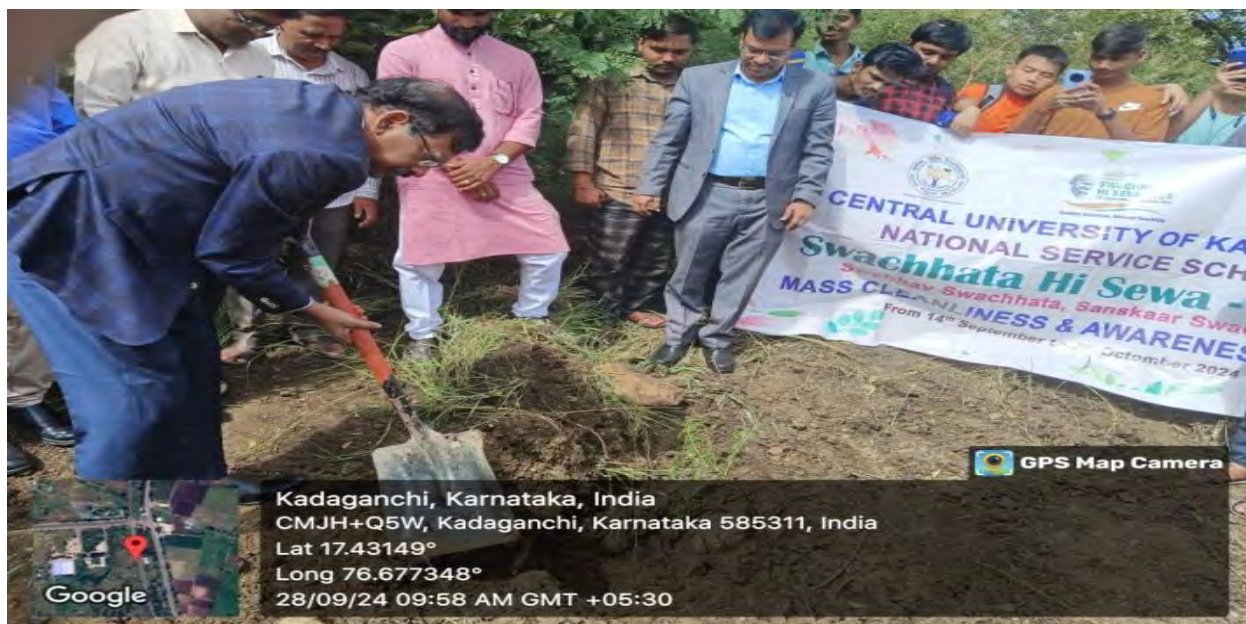
Awareness Drive against the Use of Plastic.



The NSS-CUK unit, along with the faculty members and the students of the Department of Engineering, organised an awareness camp against the use of plastic on 19th September 2024. As part of this camp, they went to shops located opposite to the university's main gate and made the shop owners and customers aware of the evil effects. They were urged to prevent its use as far as possible. They also cleaned the area.

Ek Ped Msaa Ke Nam

As per the directive by the Govt of India, the NSS-CUK unit organised a tree plantation camp called 'Ek Ped Maa Ke Nam' on 28th September 2025. Honourable Vice Chancellor of the university, Prof Battu Satyanarayana, Registrar of the university, Prof. R R. Biradar, led the team of volunteers and faculty members who planted saplings along the lakeside road. At the end of the drive, the honourable Vice Chancellor addressed the volunteers and enlightened them on the importance of tree plantation. Emphasising of the adverse effect of climate change, he urged the students to encourage their friends and family members also to plant saplings and support Mother Nature.



Destination Cleaning at Gulbarga Fort

The NSS-CUK unit and the Department of Tourism and Hotel Management organised a destination cleaning at the Gulbarga fort on 1st October 2024. The team of volunteers, along with the faculty members of the Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, dedicated a day to this purpose.



One Day Youth Camp

The NSS-CUK unit and the Dept of History and Archaeology, along with Karnataka Gandhi Smarak Nidhi, Bangalore, and National Service Scheme Youth and Empowerment, Govt. of Karnataka, organised a one-day camp on the theme 'Human Values Through Gandhian Thoughts' on 10th January 2025. The members of the Gandhi Smarak Nidhi enlightened the students on the importance of the Gandhian thoughts in today's time. The Honourable Vice Chancellor of the University, Prof Battu Satyanarayana, who also presided the program, addressed the students and highlighted the role and importance of Gandhian values for the youth.



Kalaburagi, organised a one-day Free Dental Check-up and Treatment Camp at the university health centre on 30th Jan 2025. The team of doctors and interns rendered their service in a highly professional manner. Students, teaching, non-teaching staff, and outsourced staff benefited from this camp.



6.19 Placement Cell

Placement Officer: Dr. Paramesh S.P

Central University of Karnataka imparts education in different disciplines, including professional programs. These programs of this university are designed in such a way so to prepare the students to find their respective roles in their real-life situations 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 jobs and opportunities. 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 internships 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 a

dynamic environment. The cell organizes numerous programmes such as seminars and workshops to enable the students 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. The cell facilitates the selection process of all the companies as per their requirement in terms of logistic and infrastructural support.

Campus Placement Orientation programs organized by the Placement cell during the year 2024-2025 are as follows.

1. Organized the campus placement orientation program of **Azim Premji Foundation** for the final year PG students of the university on 19th Feb. 2025
2. Organized the campus placement orientation program of **Teach for India**, Bangalore, for the final year U.G. and P.G. students of the university. on 28th January, 2025.
3. Organized the campus placement orientation program of **Avanti Fellows** for the final year PG students of the university. On 21st January, 2025.
4. Placement Cell organized the campus placement orientation program of **Home First Financial** for the final year M.B.A/ M.Com/B.Tech students of the university. On 9 Jan. 2025.
5. Organized the campus placement orientation program of **ESAF Small Finance Bank**, Kerala, for the final year M.B.A. students of the university. 16th October, 2024.
6. Organized the campus placement CSR drive of **QSpiders**, Bangalore, for the final year B.Tech and M.C.A students of the university. On 19th, Sept, 2024.

List of Companies/Organizations visited CUK for campus placements during the year 2024-25.

Sl.No	Name of the Company/Organisation
1	TCS-BPS, Bengaluru
2	Home First Finance Company (HFFC)
3	ESAF Small Finance Bank, Kerala
4	Niva Bupa Health Insurance, Bengaluru
5	Azim Premji Foundation
6	Avanti Fellows, Bengaluru
7	First Source Solutions, Bengaluru
8	Qspiders, Bengaluru
9	Saba School and PU College, Yadagir
10	Poorna Gnyana School, Kalaburagi
11	Kodnest Technologies, Bengaluru.
12	Tata Consultancy Services, Bengaluru
13	Prospiders, Bengaluru
14	TeachForIndia, Hyderabad
15	Piramal Foundations
16	Atkins Realis, Bengaluru
17	Infosys, Bengaluru
18	ADVI Group of companies
19	Mutthot Finance
20	Gurukula Academy, Bengaluru



On Campus Placement details of the Year 2024-2025

S. No	Student Name	Programme	Company	Role
1	Arun Kumar Choubey	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
2	Ayushsingh	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
3	Aditya Akhouri	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
4	Mandapallijahnavi	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
5	Tushar Kumar Ram	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
6	Mudit Kumar singh	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
7	Akash viswakarma	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
8	Shivapratapsimha	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
9	Mekala samayochitha	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
10	Tangallapallisanthosh Kumar	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
11	Ayush Kumar mishra	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
12	Melapativenkata Mahesh babu	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
13	Anurag Mishra	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
14	Smrutishree Pati	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
15	Divyanshu Saxena	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
16	Shaik Mahammad Tarik	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
17	Gangarapu Reema	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
18	Sujay DevarathnamPullarura	B.Tech in ECE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
19	V P Keerthigha	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
20	Anjali Khamitkar	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
21	Abhiram S	MCA	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
22	Ramagiri Suraj Kumar	MCA	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
23	Kishan	MCA	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
24	Kaushik Chowdhury	MCA	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
25	Banoth Naveen	B.Tech in EEE	QSpiders	Software-Trainee
26	Sudeep Rathod	BBA	Tata Consultancy Services-BPS	Business Process Services (BPS)
27	Siddharth Keshari	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
28	Vaishnavi Hegga	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
29	Dileep R	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
30	Dhiraj Kumar	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
31	Shreyas Chavan	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
32	Mohammed Baje	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
33	BujjiMedidi	BA in Economics	TCS-BPS	BPS
34	Mirza Baig	BA in Economics	TCS-BPS	BPS
35	Taufic Patel	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
36	Ramji Chandavath	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS
37	Shubham Kshirsagar	BBA	TCS-BPS	BPS



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38	SREE SAVANI	B.Sc Geography	TCS-BPS	BPS
39	BHUVANESHWARI	M.Sc. in Mathematics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
40	Divya	M.Sc. in Mathematics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
41	Nandana Rajeev	M.Sc. in Mathematics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
42	Swathy s sajeev	M.Sc. in Physics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
43	Sourav A	M.Sc. in Chemistry	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
44	Aleena M K	M.Sc. in Mathematics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
45	Vaishnavi	M.A in English	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
46	Bibina Michael	M.Sc. in Mathematics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
47	Arya S	M.Sc. in Physics	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
48	Akshara Mohan	M.Sc. in Chemistry	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
49	Priyanka Dey	M.Sc. in Chemistry	SABA School and College	Asst. Teacher
50	Abhinav	MBA	Home First Finance Corp.	Relationship Manager
51	Aditya Kumar Patil	MBA	HFFC	Relationship Manager
52	Ajay Kumar Kuntigorla	MBA	HFFC	Relationship Manager
53	Divya	M.Sc. Mathematics	Avanti Fellows	Program Associate
54	Shrimath	M.Sc. Chemistry	Avanti Fellows	Program Associate
55	Priyanka Dey	M.Sc. Chemistry	Avanti Fellows	Program Associate
56	Anjaneya	M.Sc. Chemistry	Avanti Fellows	Program Associate
57	Abhinav Taduru	M.Sc. Chemistry	Avanti Fellows	Program Associate
58	Ayushi Mishra	B.Tech in ECE	Kodnest Technologies	Software Development- Intern
59	Akash Vishwakarma	B.Tech in ECE	Kodnest Technologies	Software Development- Intern
60	Shreepad	B.Tech in ECE	Kodnest Technologies	Software Development- Intern
61	Avinash Bellad	M.Sc. Life Sciences	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
62	Veerendra Dengi	M.Sc. Chemistry	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
63	Devappa Parameshannara	M.A in English	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
64	Bhuvaneshwari Pujari	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
65	Chitranjan M Kar	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
66	DeepikaB	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
67	Megha Chowdhary	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
68	Raziyabegum Mulla	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)



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69	Shwetagni Bande	M.Sc. Mathematics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
70	Amar Basavanagudi	M.Sc. Physics	Azim Premji Foundation	Associate Resource Person (ARP)
71	Yamini Snigdha Boddupally	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Operations
72	Shiva Lukalapu	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
73	Rashmi	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
74	Gaganashree S	B.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
75	Surbhi	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
76	Yugesh Kannth N	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
77	A Lakshmi Nadh	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
78	Deepak	B.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
79	Danish Malik	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
80	Kuntigorla Ajay Kumar	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
81	Eguduri Nagaraju Yadav	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
82	P Hanumanthu	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
83	Dhiraj Kumar	B.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
84	Devarakonda Sai Sravanthi	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
85	ShabeebaMaheveen	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
86	Kiran Ajay	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
87	Prasad	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
88	Indudhar	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
89	Sanket	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
90	Smruthi P Shaji	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
91	R. Aishwarya	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
92	Mohammad Damshid K K	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
93	Jolly Kumari	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
94	Muhammad shafeeqe k	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
95	Hemanth ShivaramuA S	M.Com	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
96	Anmol Ratan	B.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
97	Ananth R Krishna	M.B.A	ProSpiders	Trainee-Banking Ops
98	Riya R Krishnan	M.Sc. Chemistry	Aakash Institute (AESL)	Assistant Lecturer
99	PruthvirajTonape	M.Sc. Life Sciences	AESL	Assistant Lecturer
100	Dipankar Deka	M.C.A	Destination Technologies	Software Trainee
101	Kaushik Choudary	M.C.A	Destination Technologies	Software Trainee
102	Amina Naswa	M.B.A	ESAF Small Finance Bank	Management Trainee
103	Gaddam Vamshi Sai	M.Sc. Chemistry	Syngene International Ltd	Research Associate Trainee
104	Hari	M.Sc. Chemistry	Syngene International Ltd	Research Associate Trainee
104	Sougata Shit	M.Sc. Chemistry	Syngene International Ltd	Research Associate Trainee
105	Veerendra	M.Sc. Chemistry	Syngene International Ltd	Research Associate Trainee

Placement Statistics of the Year 2024-25

Total Number of Students placed through on-campus placement drives: 105

(Placement process of academic year 2024-25 is still in progress)

Minimum Salary Offered: 3.0 LPA

Maximum Salary Offered: 9.0 LPA

Average Salary: 5.0 LPA

Events and Photographs



SABA School and PU College, Yadgir visited the CUK for the on-campus placement drive on 9th, January, 2025. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana issued the offer letters to all the selected students of this drive. Paramesh S.P, Placement Officer and the Recruiting team from SABA School & PU College were present in the



Azim Premji Foundation, Bangalore visited the CUK for the on-campus placement drive on 19th Feb, 2025. Dr. Paramesh S.P, Placement Officer, Mr. Gopal Sali from the HR team of Azim Premji Foundation were present in the program.



Avanti Fellows visited the CUK for the on-campus placement drive on 21st Jan, 2025 for the M.Sc. students of the university. The recruiters conducted the orientation program followed by Written test, Technical Interview and HR Interview.



Teach for India visited the CUK for the on-campus placement drive on 28th, Jan, 2025. The recruiters conducted the placement drive for U.G and P.G students of the university.

6.20 Prasaraṅga

Director: Prof. Vikram Visaji

Assistant Director: Dr. Rohinaksha Shirlalu

Secretarial Staff: Mr. Nagaraj Saloli,

Prasaraṅga was established at Central University of Karnataka in 2017, to create and nurture a distinctive intellectual and academic environment. The mission of Central University of Karnataka is 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. Prasaraṅga is planning to publish the proceedings of various workshops, seminars and special lectures organized by all the Schools and Departments at CUK. Prasaraṅga books are available for sale. Sales section has kept university publications and faculty publications. Prasaraṅga organizes Lectures, Workshops and Seminars on various academic issues.

Prearrange Publications:

- Noam Chomsky: Baduku Baraha (Kannada), By B.B.Rajpurohit
- Namma Lipi Huttina Poorvottaragalu (Translation from Telugu to Kannada), Original Author- Thirumala Ramachandra, Translated by Dr.T.D.Rajanna

- c) Poster (A Play) (Translation from Hindi to Kannada), Original Author- Shankar Shesh, Translated by Prabhakar Satkhed
- d) Horizons in Health care (English) by Dr, P.S.Shankar
- e) Folk Theatre of Karnataka: A Study (English) by Prof. Basavaraj Donur
- f) An Outline of History and Culture of India (English Volume 1, 2) by Prof. Seshgiri Rao

6.21 Rajbhasha Section

The Rajbhasha Section started functioning from 2011. The section was established to enrich the Hindi Language among the Teaching and Non-teaching staff of CUK. The Section aims to facilitate employees of CUK to use the Hindi language in day-to-day official activities. The section tries to create awareness about the Hindi language among the CUK employees. The major function of the section is the implementation of Hindi in the administration.

Staff Details:

Sl. No.	Name	Status
1	Dr. Reshma B. Nadaf	Deputy Director (OL). Additional responsibility –Nodal Officer for All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE)
2	Dr. Sivanand H. Koli	Senior Translation Officer (On deputation)
3	Mr. Naresh	Hindi Typist (worked in CUK from 04/10/2023 to 16/12/2024)
4	Dr. Aparna K	Statistical Assistant
5	Mr. Mubeen Ahmed	MTS

Activities of the Rajbhasha Section:

- a) The Rajbhasha Section is established to originate correspondence in Hindi (including e-mail).
- b) Rajbhasha Section convened Official Language Implementation Committee meetings in every quarter. Quarterly Progress Report of the section has been presented before the Chairman and other members of the Official Language Implementation Committee. After approval of the committee, the quarterly report of the Rajbhasha Bhag-1 and Bhag-2 of our University has been sent to the Office of Education, Government of India, University Grants Commission, New Delhi, and the Regional Implementation Office, Bangalore.
- c) During 1st April 2024 to 31st March 2025 the section translated 112 documents covered under section 3(3) from English to Hindi.
- d) 28 letters have been sent to the Ministry of Education and UGC, New Delhi, in Hindi.
- e) Some portion from the Sixteenth Annual Report 2023-24 has been translated from English to Hindi.
- f) All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) DCF and TIF formats of the survey year 2022-23 are uploaded on the AISHE Portal on 04th April 2024.
- g) The minutes of the meetings during the quarter ending October-December 2023, have been sent to the Director of Official Language, Ministry of Education, New Delhi, Joint Secretary (Official Language), UGC, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Education, New Delhi and Deputy Director, Regional Implementation Office, Bengaluru on 1st May 2024.
- h) One day Hindi workshop was organized by the Town Official Language Implementation Committee and Canara Bank Regional Office, Kalaburagi, on 22nd August 2024. Our university was asked to nominate two officers or employees to participate in the above Hindi workshop. Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Assistant Registrar, Samarth Section, and Mrs. Shravani, Lower Division Clerk, Administrative Section, were nominated from our university for the same.

- i) The minutes of the meetings during the quarter ending April-June 2024 have been sent to the Director of Official Language, Ministry of Education, New Delhi, Joint Secretary (Official Language), UGC, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Education, New Delhi, and Deputy Director, Regional Implementation Office, Bengaluru on 10th September 2024.
- j) Official language-related inspection was conducted by Dr. Anirban Kumar Biswas, Deputy Director (Implementation), Regional Implementation Office (South), Bengaluru, at Central University of Karnataka on 3rd October 2024, at 10.30 am to review the administrative work being done for the promotion of the official language Hindi in the Central University of Karnataka. All the members of the Official Language Implementation Committee, including the Registrar, were present in the meeting. Hindi related activities in the university were discussed in the meeting. Suggestions regarding the implementation of Hindi were also given.
- k) A translation of Statute 16(4), Draft Statute (41) is submitted to be published in the gazette notification of 8th October 2024.
- l) Translation of the Sixteenth Annual Accounts Report 2023 -24 from English to Hindi was submitted on 18th October 2024.
- m) Hindi Saptaah (Week) was inaugurated on 27th November 2024. Various competitions were organized for teaching, Non-teaching officers, staff, and students from 28th November to 3rd December.
- n) All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) DCF and TIF formats of the survey year 2023-24 are uploaded on the AISHE Portal on 15th February 2025.
- o) The CUK Bulletin October 2024 (Vol. III Sl. No. 3) has been translated into Hindi and submitted for approval on 04th March 2025.
- p) Hindi Saptaah (Week) award distribution ceremony was organized on 06th March 2025 at 3.30 pm. Prof. Sunita Manjanbail, School of Languages and Humanities, was the chief guest of the program. Prof. R.R. Biradar, Registrar CUK, and Prof. Vikram Visaji, Dean School of Languages and Humanities, were present as special guests in the program. Dr. Reshma Nadaf, Deputy Director, Official Languages, coordinated the program. During this, awards for Hindi Saptaah competitions were given to the winners, which included teaching, non-teaching officers and employees, and students.
- q) In this quarter, we have received a Demi-Official Letter No. 12019/02/2024 OL (कॉ-2) dated 17/01/2025 from the Secretary, Dept. of Official Language. Since the government of India has undertaken an exercise related to creation and recruitment for Hindi Posts in mission mode, therefore, it is requested that our University furnish the information in the prescribed format. According to the format, the information is prepared and put up for approval. After the approval of the competent authority, the spreadsheet will be shared on 31st January 2025.

Workshop Organized:

1. One-day Hindi workshop was organized by the Rajbhasha Section for the newly appointed Non-Teaching Staff of CUK on 27th November 2024. 19 employees participated in the workshop.

Sl. No.	Session and its details	Resource Person
1	First Session Introduction of the Workshop on the topic “Saral Rajbhasha Hindi mein kaarya karane hetu sarakari neeti”	Dr. Bhawana Koushik Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi, CUK
2	Second Session on use of Hindi. The topic was “Karyalayee nkaarya mein Paribhashik Shabdavali”	Prof. Sunitha Manjanbail Professor, Department of Hindi, CUK
3	Third Session on Noting and Drafting. The topic was “Hindi mein Tippani lekhan”	Dr. Reshma L. Nadaf Deputy Director (OL), CUK
4	Fourth Session. The topic was “Computer mein Hindi mein kaarya kaise Karen”	

External Meetings Attended:

1. Attended the Half-yearly meeting of the Town Official Language Implementation Committee, which was held in the BSNL Office, Kalaburagi, on 3rd October 2024, at 3.30 pm.

Lectures Delivered:

- Delivered a lecture in a one-day Hindi workshop organized by the Town Official Language Implementation Committee and Canara Bank Regional Office, Kalaburagi, on 22nd August 2024 on “Hindi kemadhyam se Roazgaarkevikalp”.
- Delivered a lecture in a day Hindi workshop organized by the Town Official Language Implementation Committee and Canara Bank Regional Office Kalaburagi on 22nd August 2024 on “Hindi meintippanilekhan”.

Workshop/Conference Attended:

- Attended Hindi Diwas and 4th All India Official Language Conference organized by Ministry of Home Affairs, Department of Official Language, Government of India on 14-15 September 2024 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi.
- Attended AISHE Workshop on 21st January 2025 at Karnataka State Higher Education Council, Gandhinagar, Bangalore.

Award:

2. Received a “Rajbhasha Samman Award” from Rajbhasha Academy in the 71st Official Language Training Program held at Puri, Odisha, on 29-31 August 2024, for the importance given by our university to the use of the official language Hindi

Events at the Rajbhasha Section:



Official language-related inspection conducted by Dr. Anirban Kumar Biswas, Deputy Director (Implementation), at CUK on 3rd October 2024. Registrar Prof. R R Biradar and all the Statutory Officers were present in the meeting.



Resource persons and all the participants of the One-day Hindi workshop organized by the Rajbhasha Section on 27th November 2024



Handing over the “Rajbhasha Samman Award” to Hon’ble Vice Chancellor received from Rajbhasha Academy in the 11st Official Language Training Program held at Puri, Odisha on 29- 31August, 2024.



Participation in Hindi Diwas and Fourth All India Official Language Conference organized by the Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi on 14-15 September 2024.

6.22 Research and Development (R & D) Cell

Director: Prof. N. Sathyanarayana

Additional Director: Dr. M P R Prasad

Non-Teaching Staff: Mr Nagaraj Kamble – Upper Division Clerk (UDC)

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 envisages the promotion of quality research within the Higher Education system. It focuses on addressing societal challenges through a solid and vibrant higher education ecosystem powered by research, innovation, and technology development. It can contribute meaningfully towards the goal of Atma Nirbhar Bharat (Self-reliant India). Thus, the University Grants Commission (UGC) has asked all the HEIs in India to establish an active Research and Development Cell (RDC) to realize this mission. In conformity with this, the Central University of Karnataka (CUK) has

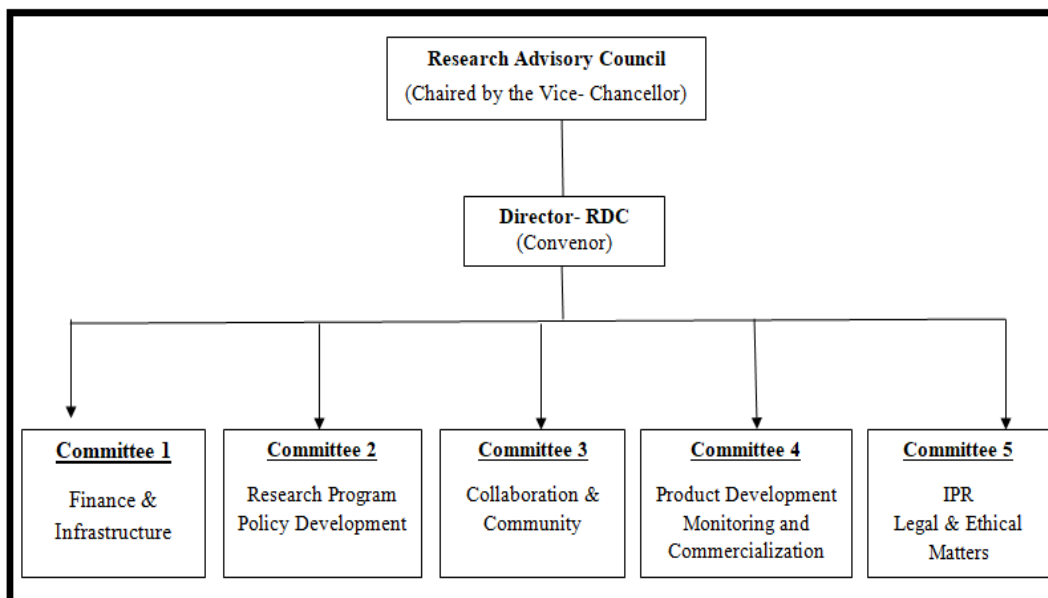
constituted an RDC strictly following the UGC guidelines. The various committees under this cell are working towards fostering reliable, impactful, and sustainable research output through enabling policy and the ecosystem in the university.

Functions:

Through its various committees, the R&D Cell attempts

1. To serve as a nodal centre for coordination between other cells associated with the R&D.
2. To create enabling provisions in research policies for recruiting research personnel, procuring equipment, and financial management with adequate autonomy to the Principal Investigator (s) and disseminate research outcomes to stakeholders and the public.
3. To develop an institutional research information system/database for sharing the status of ongoing/completed research projects/programs, available/accessible thrust areas of research, expertise, resources, etc., to provide consultancy services.
4. To constitute various committees that promote research activities and facilitate implementation of its recommendations as envisaged in UGC R&D Guidelines.
5. Liaison between researchers and research funding agencies to monitor progress and oversee adherence to project timelines.
6. To engage and utilize the services of superannuated active faculty/scientists in research capacity building of talented young minds at HEIs and promote mobility of researchers across institutions and R&D Labs.
7. To facilitate individual, departmental, and institutional research projects that are highly impactful, socially relevant, locally need-based, nationally important, and globally significant.
8. The RAC helps frame guidelines, develop a research ecosystem, and ensure quality. It also supports systems like research and consultancy cells, intellectual property cells, innovation cells, and entrepreneur development cells.
9. R&D Cell is headed by the Director and supported by other supporting committees as follows. It is governed by the Research Advisory Committee (RAC), chaired by the vice-chancellor.

Operational Structure



Major activities for the year:

1. Facilitated the application process for extramural funding by the faculty members
2. Facilitated the award of 29 seed money grants to the eligible faculty members
3. Conducted a day program on “Science and Sustainability” on 19.03.2025

Extramural Projects Sanctioned

SL. No.	Name of the faculty	Department	Title of the project	Sponsoring agency	Sanctioned year	amount sanctioned (in Rs)
1	Dr. Alok Kumar Gaurav	Public Administration	Evaluation of Police Emergency Response Support System (ERSS/Dial 112) Project of India: A Multilevel Study	ICSSR	2024	9,50,000/-
2	Prof. Channaveer RM	Social Work	Social Development Impact, Resilience, Promotional and Performance Predictor of Farmer Producer Organizations and Companies (FPOs): Discovering Atma Nirbhar Pathways to Sustainable Development Goals	ICSSR	2024	8,00,000/-
3	Prof. K. Hanumae Gowd	Chemistry	Intrinsically Photostable avobenzene derivatives as chemical UV-A Filters for cosmetics	VGST	2024	10,00,000/-
4	Prof. Channaveer RM	Social Work	Impact Assessment of Water Bodies, Watershed Management, and Perennial Plantation Intervention on Sustainable Campus Development	NBCC(INDIA)Limited	2024	1,21,20,000/-
5	Prof. Channaveer RM	Social Work	Monitoring and Evaluation Capacity Building of Universities in the State of Karnataka.	NITI Aayog	2024	5,14,124/-
6	Prof. R.S Hegdi	Computer Science	Visvesvaraya PhD Scheme for Electronics and IT: Phase II at Central University of Karnataka	Digital India Corporation	2024	1,02,91,200/-
7	Dr. Mahima Raj C	English	Exploring Frameworks for Indigenous Knowledge Preservation and Dissemination- The case of Karnataka	ICSSR	2025	9,00,000/-
8	Dr.Oinam Bedajit Meitei	Mass Communication & Journalism	The Socio-Cultural Impact of Rewarding YouTube Content Creators in Viksit Bharat: A study of National Creators Award 2024	ICSSR	2025	9,00,000/-
9	Prof.	Commerce	Development of Career Readiness	ICSSR	2025	16,00,000/-

	Devarajappa S		Skills among Undergraduate Students in Higher Education Institutions of Tumkur, Karnataka			
10	Dr. Vijay Sarde	History	Natha Sampradaya in Maharashtra: Ethnographic, Sculptural and Textual Insights into a Living Tradition.	ICSSR	2025	16,00,000/-
11	Dr. Niranjana B. Poojar	Management	Swaraj as a Model for Decolonized Holistic Development: Crafting Indic Development Indices Rooted in Bharatiya Philosophy.	ICSSR	2025	15,25,000/-
12	Dr. Ankita Satapathy	Linguistics	Language Maintenance Through Music: A Transdisciplinary Approach for Collaborative Language Documentation of Kutia_Kondh Tribe of Odisha.	ICSSR	2025	15,00,000/-
13	Dr. Nagaraj Yamanakkanavar	Electronics and Communication	Design and Development of an Automated Teeth Diagnostic Detection System from Panoramic X-ray Images.	ANRF-IRG	2025-	29,41,440/-
14	Prof. Channaveer RM	Social Work	Action Research and Impact Assessment of Strengthening Local Tribes through the Establishment of Processing and Value Addition Units at Hulsoor Mahila Kisan Milets Producer Company Limited, Aland Bhootai Millets Farmer Producer Company Limited, and Jewargi Farmer Producer Organization.	ICAR	2025	30,00,000/-

6.23 Right to Information (RTI) Cell

The Right to Information Act 2005 is undoubtedly an important tool that 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 establishments, and mandate a timely response to citizen requests for information from 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 requests from any quarter.

Objectives of the Cell

- To make speedy and timely disposal of the queries relating to RTI.

- To coordinate the work of proactive disclosure.

Composition

Sl.No.	Name	Designation	Department	Contact
1	Prof. R.R. Biradar	First Appellate Authority	Registrar	Registrar@cuk.ac.in
2	Dr. Basavaraj M. Kubakaddi	Public Information Officer	Law	admin-rti@cuk.ac.in

Quarterly Report of the year- 2024-25

Quarter	Months	Application received	Disposed off	Pending
1 st	April-June	36	38	01
2 nd	July-Sept	38	38	01
3 rd	Oct-Dec	48	43	06
4 th	Jan-Mar	23	28	01
TOTAL		145	147	01

Total applications received during the Year-145 and total disposal during the year-147 (including pending cases of the previous year). Pending cases after completion of the 4th quarter are 01.

6.24 SAMARTH Section

Nodal Officer: Prof. R. R. Biradar, Registrar, Central University of Karnataka.

The Samarth Section at the Central University of Karnataka is a dedicated administrative unit responsible for implementing and managing the Samarth e-Governance platform across various departments and units of the university.

Samarth is an initiative by the Ministry of Education, Government of India, aimed at enabling digital transformation in higher education institutions through a comprehensive, integrated, and customizable software suite. It facilitates the automation and streamlining of academic and administrative processes.

The section plays a vital role in enhancing transparency, efficiency, and accessibility in university operations through digital means. Samarth e-Gov Suite is a catalyst in the transformation of the Central University of Karnataka. transitioning towards a future-ready digital campus.

Staff Details:

Sl. No.	Name	Designation
1	Prof R.R Biradar -Registrar	Nodal officer
2	Prof R.S. Hegdi	Chief Coordinator
3	Mr. Rakesh Patil	Assistant Registrar
4	Mr. Sujith K	LDC
5	Mr. Shravanakumar	Support Engineer (Contractual)

Activities of various modules:

In the Central University of Karnataka 40 Modules of Samarth are implemented.

Module Group	Modules Implemented
Base Configuration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Users 2. Organigram 3. Organisational Units
Academics	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Programme and Courses Management 2. Admissions 3. Evaluation & Grading 4. Student 5. Student Feedback Management System 6. Training and Placement 7. Hostel Management 8. Convocation 9. Managed LMS/VLE 10. Digital Certificate
Finance and Accounts	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Financial Supply Chain Management (Budget & Accounts) 2. Budget (RPMS) 3. Bill Tracking System 4. Inventory Management System
Employee	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Recruitment 2. Employment Management (HR(MIS)) 3. Leave Management 4. Knowledge Management 5. Career Advancement Scheme 6. Training of Trainers (ToT) Management 7. Payroll Management
Governance	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Grievance Management 2. File Management & Tracking 3. Estate Management System 4. Residence Allocation Management 5. RTI Management 6. Legal Case Management 7. Minutes and Resolutions Archive and Retrieval System 8. Core Communication System 9. Content Federation System and Website APIs 10. Health Facilities 11. Transport and Fleet Management 12. Security Management System 13. Sports Facilities 14. Other Essential Services 15. IT Service Desk 16. Endowment Portal

6.25 Sports Section

The financial year 2024-25 was a remarkable period for the Central University of Karnataka regarding sports and games achievements as well as developments. Our university has always prioritised the holistic development of students, and sports play a pivotal role in fostering teamwork, discipline, and resilience.

Sports Events

Throughout the year, the Sports Section of Central University of Karnataka organised and participated in numerous sports events within and outside the university. These events include Football, Cricket, Handball, Volleyball, Badminton, Table Tennis, Chess, Kabaddi, etc.

Various sports such as football, volleyball, athletics, cricket, handball, and more were held, encouraging mass participation and identifying top talent within the university. ANKUR is conducted annually to uplift the university's sports and arts culture.

Ankur 2025 featured diverse events, catering to a wide range of interests and showcasing the multifaceted talents of CUK students. The festival included games like Badminton, Table Tennis, Chess, Carroms, Volleyball, Throwball, Kabaddi, Kho Kho, Cricket, Football, Athletics, and Yoga for students and staff (Teaching and Non-Teaching)

Inter-University Competition

Sports Section, Central University of Karnataka (CUK) actively encourages its students to participate in inter-university competitions, recognising the values these events bring in fostering sportsmanship, teamwork, and competitive spirit.

Football

- The 2024-25 academic year was very successful for the event football. With the sheer support of Honourable Vice-Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayana, the students could also access high mass light.
- Organised a State Level Invitational football tournament on CUK Campus
- Conducted KPL (Kadaganchi Premier League) and enhanced football culture.
- Impressive performance in the state-level invitational tournament held at Bidar.





Cricket

- Cricket holds a special place at the Central University of Karnataka (CUK), where it is one of the most popular and widely played sports. The university is dedicated to nurturing cricket talent and providing students with the necessary resources to excel.
- Conducted IPL Cricket league to promote cricket culture inside the campus.
- The Central University of Karnataka team has represented in the South Zone Inter University tournament in Tamil Nadu



Handball

- Practice matches were held on and off the campus.
- The Central University of Karnataka team has represented in the South Zone Inter University tournament at M G University, Kottayam.



Kabaddi

- Conducted a Cricket league to promote Kabaddi culture on campus.
- The Central University of Karnataka team has represented in the South Zone Inter University tournament at SRM University, Tamil Nadu.



Badminton

- The university's commitment to promoting badminton is also reflected in the opportunities it provides for students to participate in regional and zonal-level competitions. CUK aims to nurture talent and create a vibrant badminton culture on campus.
- Every year, the badminton league is conducted in the multi-purpose hall.

- The CUK Badminton team has participated in the South Zone Inter-University Badminton Tournament at SRM University.



Volleyball

- Volleyball is a vibrant and growing sport at the Central University of Karnataka (CUK), attracting passionate players and supporters. The university is committed to providing a solid foundation for volleyball, offering excellent facilities and opportunities for students to develop their skills and compete at high levels.
- The CUK Team has become the District Champions of the volleyball tournament conducted in Gulbarga.



- The CUK Volleyball team has participated in the South Zone Inter University at M.G. University Kerala.

Table Tennis

The Central University of Karnataka Table Tennis Team has participated in the South Zone Inter University Tournament at TNPESU, Chennai.

Waterpolo

Mr. Devi Santosh student of the School of Media Studies, has won gold at the 2024 and 2025 Senior Nationals and once again dominated at the 38th National Games in Uttarakhand. Now, Devi Santhosh has earned a prestigious opportunity to represent India at the Asian Water Polo Championship, marking another incredible milestone in her journey.



Programs and Various Events

- **Fit India Week at Central University of Karnataka: Promoting Health and Wellness**

Central University of Karnataka (CUK) successfully hosted "Fit India Week," a week-long event promoting health, wellness, and active living among students, faculty, and the broader community. This event featured various activities to encourage a healthy lifestyle and foster a spirit of fitness and well-being.

Walkathon: Stepping Towards a Healthier Future

The week began with a walkathon, symbolizing the university's commitment to promote physical fitness and well-being. Participants from across the campus and local community enthusiastically joined the walk, which took them through the scenic surroundings of the university. The walkathon was a resounding success, bringing together people of all ages towards a healthier lifestyle.

Quiz Competition: Testing Knowledge on Health and Fitness

A highlight of Fit India Week was the quiz competition, which focused on health, fitness, and wellness topics. Teams from various departments participated, showcasing their knowledge of healthy living practices, nutrition, and the importance of physical activity. The competition was educational and fun, reinforcing the importance of staying informed about fitness and health.

Talks: Inspiring a Culture of Fitness

Throughout the week, talks featuring health, fitness, and wellness experts were organized. The speakers shared valuable insights on exercise routines, mental health, balanced nutrition, and the long-term benefits of an active lifestyle. The well-received talks inspired many participants to adopt healthier habits and routines.

These initiatives enhance the campus experience and prepare students for future challenges by fostering physical fitness, cultural awareness, and intellectual growth. As CUK moves forward, it remains dedicated to creating an environment where students can thrive in all aspects of their university life, contributing to a vibrant and progressive academic community.

6.26 Swayam / Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs)

Coordinator/Nodal officer: Dr. Ponnamm Anjaneyulu

The SWAYAM (Study Webs of Active-Learning for Young Aspiring Minds) programme is an initiative by the Government of India to promote inclusive and affordable education for all. Here are some key points about SWAYAM:

- **Objective:** To provide free access to quality education to anyone, anywhere, anytime.
- **Platform:** SWAYAM is an online platform offering courses from school to postgraduate levels, covering various disciplines.
- **Courses:** The platform hosts a wide array of courses from various Indian institutions, including IITs, IIMs, and central universities. Courses range from high school education to advanced postgraduate studies and professional certification.
- **Credits:** Many SWAYAM courses offer certification and credits that can be transferred to students' academic records in formal educational institutions.
- **Structure:** Each course comprises video lectures, reading material, self-assessment tests, and online discussion forums to clarify doubts.
- **Accessibility:** SWAYAM is designed to be accessible to a broad audience, including those in remote areas, and it aims to bridge the digital divide by providing high-quality education at no cost.
- **Recognition:** The courses and certifications from SWAYAM are recognized by various universities and educational institutions in India.

This initiative helps in achieving the goals of the Digital India campaign and the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NME-ICT).

Central University of Karnataka adopted SWAYAM/MOOC courses for credit transfer in October 2017. On 2nd July 2021, CUK adopted MOOC courses from the SWAYAM platform involving Credit Transfer Mobility as per UGC regulations 2021. Every year, CUK students enrol in more than 1000 SWAYAM courses.

Student enrolment and registration details in the SWAYAM portal (NPTEL National coordinator) for the Academic Year 2024-25.

	Jul 2024-Dec 25	Jan 2025-June 2025	April 2024 to March 2025
Total Enrolments	1642	1216	2858
Total Courses	524	468	992
Eligible/Passed Users	318	255	573
Total Unique Users	595	508	1103
Number of courses cleared	86	Yet to be available	86

Awards/Recognitions:

The Central University of Karnataka is recognized as an active SWAYAM-NPTEL Local Chapter for 2023-24 and 2024-25. The Central University of Karnataka was recognized as one of the top 100 SWAYAM-NPTEL Local Chapters for the year 2021-22.

Road map: CUK has a dedicated SWAYAM coordinator to create awareness among students on the SWAYAM platform and

the courses offered. Also, A SWAYAM/MOOCs committee is working on reviewing the progress of the courses offered on the SWAYAM platform and the timely adoption of the SWAYAM regulations/amendments, if any. From the upcoming academic year it is proposed to conduct the exams offline in our CUK campus depending on the feasibility, number of courses recommended and students registered.

6.27 University- Industrial Hub

Director: Prof. A.N. Vijayakumar

The University-Industrial Hub at Central University of Karnataka is established in 2025 to serve as a strategic platform for strengthening the relationship between academia and industry. Its primary objective is to align academic programs with evolving industry skill requirements, offer management development programs based on felt needs, and facilitate industry-driven research, innovation, and technology transfer to assist industry partners. This collaborative bridge ensures that students and faculty are equipped with the skills and knowledge required to meet industry demands, while the curriculum is continuously updated to reflect the latest trends and requirements. The center also plays a pivotal role in promoting industry-led research projects, where faculty and students collaborate to address real-world challenges. These partnerships help refine academic programs, making them more responsive to the competencies employers seek in graduates. In addition, the center organizes workshops, seminars, and conferences to facilitate ongoing dialogue between academia and industry, ensuring that curriculum and program design align with industry expectations. Through extensive industrial exposure, both students and faculty gain valuable practical experience, enhancing the application of academic learning. As a result, students graduate as job creators or job-ready professionals. These initiatives enable both industry partners and the schools of university to produce graduates who are well-prepared to meet employer demands and contribute to innovation, benefiting to realise mutual goals for the growth of global economy.

Objectives

1. Identify and create opportunities for interaction between academia and industry partners for mutual growth and development.
2. Support faculty and students in conducting industry-relevant research that addresses real-world challenges and drives innovation.
3. Explore MOUs with universities, industrial and research organizations to ensure continuous collaboration, knowledge sharing, and expertise development.
4. Collaborate with industry partners to create Centers of Excellence that offer real-time exposure to advanced technologies and industry practices.
5. Provide students with the skills and opportunities to not only meet industry expectations but also become entrepreneurs and job creators.

6.28 Yoga Section

Yoga Trainers: Jyostna Ambewadkar and Santosh Bashetti

The Yoga Section at Central University of Karnataka (CUK) promotes holistic health and well-being through regular yoga sessions led by two dedicated yoga teachers who guide students, faculty, and staff in staying fit and balanced. The University offers elective yoga courses at UG and PG levels, combining theory with practical training, while also organizing departmental wellness sessions across all disciplines. Beyond the campus, the section extends its reach through outreach activities in nearby villages and government schools, where students, under the guidance of the yoga teachers, participate in spreading awareness and practice. Together, these efforts make yoga an integral part of academics, wellness, and community service at CUK

Activities:

1. 14th June 2024 – Yoga for Women
2. 15th June 2024 - Yoga for Stress Management
3. 16th June 2024 – Pranayam and Guided Meditation
4. 18th June 2024- Yoga for Govt School Students Kadaganchi
5. 21st June 2024- 10th International Yoga Day –
6. 27th Aug 2024 - Inauguration Of departmental Yoga session
Theme – Yoga for Self and Society
 - a. Dept of Business Studies , Commerce, Economic Studies and Planning , Tourism & Hotel Management –
Ravi Kant sir as Chief Guest
7. 21st Sept 2024 – Village -School Outreach at Bhimalli
8. 19th Sept 2024 – Departmental Awareness session – Computer Science
9. 26th Oct 2024- Dept Eng, Kannada, Hindi , Linguistics, Foreign Languages, Music and fine arts, history and archaeology. – 71 participants were present
10. 22nd Jan 2025- Departmental Yoga Session
 - a. Dept of Chemistry, Geology, Geography, Physics, Mathematics,
11. 18th Jan 2025- School Outreach - Govt high School Suntnoor Village - 123 Participants
12. 2nd Feb – 2025 – Rathasaptami- Suryathon – 54 rounds – 177 participants
13. 7th March 2025 - Yoga competition in Ankur event

1. 14th June 2024 – Yoga for women



The special yoga class included a series of yoga asanas specifically tailored to address women's health issues such as hormonal balance, stress management, flexibility, and overall well-being. The session was led by experienced yoga instructor's of CUK, who guided participants through each pose with a focus on proper alignment and breathing techniques

2. 15th June 2024 - Yoga for Stress management



Yoga class for stress management featured a series of gentle yoga asanas, breathing exercises, and relaxation techniques designed to help participants unwind, release tension, and cultivate a sense of inner peace and few balancing practise to have balance and control in life through physical postures.

3. 16th June 2024 – Pranayam and Guided meditation



Focused solely on breathing techniques like *Kapalabhati*, *Anulom-Vilom*, and *Bhastrika*. The session helped participants understand how pranayama can **improve lung health and mental clarity**

4. **18th June 2024-** Yoga for govt school students of Kadaganchi village



As part of outreach, a yoga awareness program was conducted for school children. Simple **asanas, breathing practices, and concentration-enhancing activities** were taught to help students improve **posture, focus, and physical fitness**.

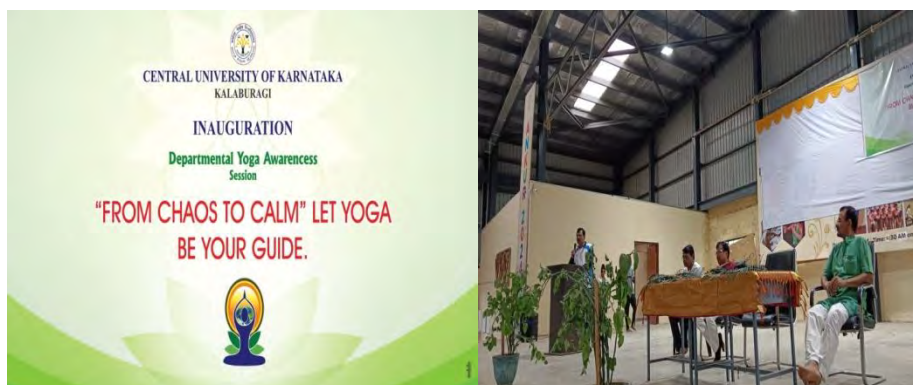
21st June 2024- International Yoga Day – 2024 - **Theme** – Yoga for Self and society



Group photo with Honorable VC Prof. Battu Satyanarayan, Registrar Prof. R.R. Biradar, Dean of Education and Training Prof. G.R. Angadi, Dean of Student Welfare Basavaraj Kubakaddi , Finance officer ,Yoga Instructors , Faculties and Students

The 10th International Yoga Day celebration not only highlighted the significance of yoga in enhancing health and wellness but also fostered a sense of community among participants. The inspiring addresses and practical sessions empowered attendees to take charge of their health through yoga, reiterating the importance of this ancient practice in modern life. The university looks forward to continuing its efforts in promoting wellness and holistic health in the future.

1. **3rd Sept 2024** - Inauguration Of departmental Yoga session



This event marked the official launch of departmental yoga activities. Departments of **Business Studies, Commerce, Economic Studies & Planning, Tourism & Hotel Management** participated. The event was inaugurated with **Ravi Kant Sir** as **Chief Guest**, who encouraged students to integrate yoga into their daily routines for personal and professional growth

2. 21st Sept 2024 – School Outreach at Bhimalli



On Saturday, 21st September 2024, from 7:30 AM to 9:30 AM, a Community Yoga Awareness Session was successfully conducted at Adarsh Vidyalaya, Bhimalli- Kalaburagi. The session witnessed enthusiastic participation from the school over 200 students, along with their teachers. The event was organized by the Central University of Karnataka (CUK) to promote the importance of yoga in daily life among students and the community.

3. 19th Sept 2024 – Departmental Awareness session – Computer Science



A focused session for Computer Science students highlighting the **ill effects of prolonged screen time and sedentary lifestyles**. Participants were guided in simple stretches, eye exercises, and stress-relieving yoga postures suitable for their routine.

led an interactive session, engaging all participants in a series of yoga practices. The session included:

- **Sukshma Vyayam (Loosening Practices):** Conducted by Mr. Santosh Bashetti, focusing on basic stretches and movements to prepare the body for more intense yoga practices

Surya Namaskar (Sun Salutation) and Asanas: Led by Ms. Jyostna Ambewadkar, who guided participants through a sequence of poses designed to enhance flexibility, strength, and balance

4. 26th Oct 2024

Departments of **English, Kannada, Hindi, Linguistics, Foreign Languages, Music & Fine Arts, History, and Archaeology** participated with **71 participants in total**. The session combined **asanas, pranayama, and meditation practices**, encouraging interdisciplinary students to experience yoga for balance and creativity.

5. 22nd Jan 2025- Departmental Yoga Session ,

This session included **Departments of Chemistry, Geology, Geography, Physics, and Mathematics**. Emphasis was placed on **stress management for research students**, breathing techniques for relaxation, and practices to improve alertness and focus.



6. 18th Jan 2025- School outreach - Govt high School Suntnoor - 123 Participants



The Central University of Karnataka (CUK) organized a Yoga Awareness Program for the students of **Government High School (GHS), Suntnoor, on 18th January 2025, from 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM**. The program aimed to promote physical and mental well-being among students by introducing them to the various benefits of yoga. The event was conducted under the esteemed guidance of **Honourable Vice Chancellor Prof. Battu Satyanarayan, Registrar Prof. R. R. Biradar, Dean G R Angadi & Co-ordinator Dr S L Murthy**

7. **2nd Feb – 2025 – Rathasaptami- Suryathon – 54 rounds – 177 participants**



A mega yoga event conducted on the occasion of **Rathasaptami**. Around **177 participants performed 54 rounds of Surya Namaskar**, symbolizing energy, vitality, and discipline. The program created a sense of unity, collective strength, and spiritual devotion.

8. **7th March 2025 - Yoga competition in Ankur event**



As part of the **Ankur cultural festival**, a yoga competition was organized. Students showcased **advanced asanas**. The competition encouraged students to explore yoga as both an art and a discipline.

7. University Events



Ankur Fest on 6th April, 2024



Celebration of Birth Anniversary of Baharat Ratna Babasaheb Dr. B. R. Ambedkar on 14th April, 2024



Two-day national conference ViksitBharat 2047 on 16th April, 2025



Celebration of 891st Basava Jayanti on 8th May, 2024



Celebration of 10th International Yoga Day on 19th May, 2024



NEP Orientation on 31st July, 2024



World suicide Prevention day on 10th September, 2024



Swach Bharat Abhiyan – Swachata Hi Sewa on 14th September, 2024



Celebrating of Mahatma Gandhi 155th Birth Anniversary on 2nd October, 2024



Celebration of Maharishi Valmiki Jayanthi on 17th October, 2024



Celebration of 69th Karnataka Rajyostava on 21st October 2024



Hindi Saptah celebrated on 25th October, 2024



Blood Donation Camp on 7th October 2024



One day Hindi workshop on 25th October 2024



Celebration of Jan Jatiya Gaurav Diwas on the eve of the birth anniversary of Bhagwan Birsa Munda on 25th November 2024



Two day national conference on Viksit Bharat through Tribal Empowerment Harnessing the Traditional Wisdom, Cultural Heritage and Entrepreneurial Abilities on 16th January 2025



MoU Signing Ceremony on 22nd January 2025



Meditation and spiritual science one-day workshop on 25th January 2025



Celebration of 76th Republic day on 26th January 2025



Farmer Meet on Augmenting Farm Income on 27th January 2025



Road Safety and Awareness program held on 29th January 2025



Dental camp held on 30th January, 2025



Ratha Saptami through Surya Namaskar on 4th February, 2025



Symposium on budget on 11th February, 2025



Youth and Cooperation on 14th February, 2025



Special Lecture on Navigating Professional Challenges with Legal Expertise on 18th February, 2025



One Day Seminar on the event of Kashi Tamil Sangamam on 24th February, 2025



Interactive session on Pros and Cons of NPS and UPS on 27th February, 2025



Three-day international conference on Earth and Environment in Anthropocene on 5th March, 2025



8th Convocation held on 11th March, 2025



National Seminar on E-commerce and digital transformation for Viksit Bharat on 23rd March, 2025



Celebration of International Women's day on 31st March, 2025



Hostel Inauguration



Rotary Club



Safai Mitra Suraksha Sibir



National Study Tour