

Profile

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EDUCATIONAL PROFILE

Course	Board/ University	Duration/ Awarded	% of Marks	Class
Ph.D.	S.V. University, Tirupati	2014-2020	Awarded (March 2020)	
B.ed	S.T.P.M.Govt.IASE, Nellore	2011-2012	61%	I ST
M.A. (Eco.)	S.V.University, Tirupati	2009-2011	64.83 %	I ST
B.A	S.V. Arts College, Tirupati	2006-2009	57.56%	II nd
H.E.C	Govt. Jr.College Piler	2005-2006	65%	I ST
S.S.C	Z.P.High. School Rompicherla, Chittoor (District)	2003-2004	52%	II nd

❖ **A.P. SET QUALIFIED IN 2016.**

TITLE OF THE RESEARCH TOPIC

“A STUDY ON PADDY PRODUCTION IN ANDHRA PRADESH DURING THE POST-REFORM PERIOD”

Under the Guidance of

Prof. M. DEVARAJULU

TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS

M.S. Office and Internet

TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 7 years worked as a Junior Lecturer in Economics, Priyadarsini Junior College, Piler, Chittoor district, Andhra Pradesh.
- 6 Years research experience

LIST OF PAPERS PRESENTED AT NATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES

1. Paper on *“Impact of MGNREG Programme on Rural Household: A Case Study of Chittoor District”*, Presented in UGC National Seminar on ‘Impact of MGNREGS on Rural Development’, Organized by Department of Economics, Government Degree & P.G. College, Nagari, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 30th - 31th October 2015.
2. Presented Paper on *“Skill Development and Training in the Handicraft Sector in Chittoor District of Andhra Pradesh”*, in a National Seminar on ‘Skilling India: Status, Contours and Strategies’, held at Department of Adult and Continuing Education, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 22th - 23th December 2015.
3. Presented Paper on *“Problems of Tourism Sector in Andhra Pradesh: A Case Study in Chittoor District ”*, in a Two-Day National Seminar on ‘Travel and Tourism: Challenges and Opportunities for Economic Development’, held at Department of Tourism and Management, Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh, on 25th - 26th January 2016.
4. Presented Paper on *“Empowerment of Women in India: A Study”*, in a National Seminar on ‘Women Empowerment and Human Rights’, held at Department of Human Rights, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 17th - 18th February, 2016.
5. Paper on *“Impact of MGNREGA on Scheduled Castes Employment Generation: A Case Study of Rayalaseema Region”*, Presented in ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on ‘Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA) and its Impact on the Socio-Economic Conditions of Scheduled Castes in India’, Organized by KKC College of Education, PR Mangalam, Puttur, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 25th - 26th February, 2016.

6. Paper on ***“Socio-Economic Conditions of Scheduled Castes: A Study in Chittoor District”***, Presented in ICSSR National Seminar on ‘Welfare and Development Schemes in the Socio-Economic Development of Scheduled Caste people in India’, Organized by Department of History, Government Degree & P.G. College, Nagari, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 20th August, 2016.
7. Paper on ***“Impact of Education on Tribal Women Empowerment: A Case Study in K.V. Palli Mandal of Chittoor District”***, Presented in ICSSR National Seminar on ‘Empowerment of Scheduled Tribe Women in India’, Organized by Wings Business School, KKV Puram (V), R.C. Puram (M), Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 28th September, 2016.
8. Paper on ***“Non-Timber Forest Products and Livelihood Security: A Study of Tribal Economy in Yerravari Palem Mandal of Chittoor District”***, Presented in ICSSR National Seminar on ‘Non-Timber Forest Produce (NTFP) for Livelihood Security of Tribal Communities in India’, Organized by Department of Economics, Government Degree & P.G. College, Nagari, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 22th - 23th October 2016.
9. Paper on ***“MGNREG Scheme Impact on Income and Employment of Scheduled Tribes: A Study in Chittoor District”***, Presented in ICSSR Sponsored Two Day National Seminar on ‘Impact of Welfare and Development Schemers on the Socio-Economic Development of Scheduled Tribes in India’, Organized by Department of Commerce, Government Degree & P.G. College, Nagari, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 23th - 24th March, 2017.
10. Presented Paper entitled ***“A Study on Educational Status of Tribal Children in Chittoor District”***, in a ICSSR Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on ‘Trends and Educational Opportunities of Scheduled Tribes in India’, held at Department of Education, Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajamahendravaram , Andhra Pradesh, on 12th - 13th April, 2017.
11. Presented Paper on ***“The Performance of Paddy Production in India: A Study”***, in a Two-Day National Seminar on ‘Farmers Suicides in India: Causes, Consequences and Remedies’, held at Department of Sociology, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 29th - 30th August, 2017.
12. Presented Paper on ***“Demonetization of Issues and Challenges for Economic Growth in India”***, in a ICSSR Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on ‘Demonetization in India-Impact and Prospects’, held at Department of

- Commerce, Vikrama Simhapuri University Post-Graduate Centre: Kavali, Nellore district, Andhra Pradesh, on 28th - 29th December, 2017.
13. Paper entitled ***“Trends of Paddy Production and Productivity in Andhra Pradesh During the Post-Reform Period: A Study”*** was Presented in a Two Day National Seminar on ‘Sustainable Agriculture in India-Issues and Challenges’, organized by Department of Economics, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur district, Andhra Pradesh, on 26th – 27th June, 2019.
 14. Paper on ***“Role of Higher Education System in India: A Study”***, Presented in Two Day National Workshop on ‘Emerging Trends in Higher Education: The Role of IQAC’, Organized by Department of Economics & Department of English, Smt. N.P. Savithamma Government Degree & P.G. College for Women, Chittoor, Andhra Pradesh, on 06th - 07th November, 2019.
 15. Paper entitled ***“Performance of Foreign Trade in India: A Study”*** was Presented in a UGC Sponsored Two Day National Seminar on ‘Emerging Trends and Challenges of Economic Reforms in India’, organized by Department of Commerce & Business Administration, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Ongole, Prakasam district, Andhra Pradesh, on 12th – 13th December, 2019.
 16. Paper entitled ***“A Study on Paddy Cultivation in Kurnool district of Andhra Pradesh”*** was Presented in a UGC Sponsored Two Day National Seminar on ‘Agricultural Growth in Indian Economy – Regional Experience and Policies’, organized by Department of Economics, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur district, Andhra Pradesh, on 24th – 25th January, 2020.
 17. Paper on ***“Political Empowerment of Women in India”***, Presented in NCW Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on ‘Expurgate of Gender Discrimination at Work place towards Inclusive Economic Growth’, Organized by KKC Institute of P.G Studies, PR Mangalam, Puttur, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 30th - 31th January, 2020.
 18. Paper entitled ***“A Study on Minimum Support Price for Paddy in India During the Post-Reform Period”*** was Presented in a UGC Sponsored Two Day National Seminar on ‘Sustainable Agriculture in India-Issues and Challenges’, organized by Department of Economics, Yogi Vemana University, Kadapa, Andhra Pradesh, on 28th – 29th February, 2020.
 19. Paper on ***“Digital Payment System in India: Advantages and Disadvantages”***, Presented in ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on ***“Digital Economy in***

India: Trends Prospects and Challenges’, Organized by S.G. Govt. Degree & P.G College, Piler, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 05th - 06th March, 2020.

20. Paper on *“Global Warming and its Impact on Climate Changes: A Study”*, Presented in UGC Sponsored National Seminar on ‘Environmental Concerns and Sustainable Development in Agriculture’, Organized by Department of Economics, Girraj Govt. Degree College (A), Nizamabad, Telangana State, on 13th - 14th March, 2020.

LIST OF PAPERS PRESENTED AT INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES

21. Paper on *“Role of MGNREGS in Alleviation of Poverty-A Study in Chittoor District of Andhra Pradesh”* Presented in International Seminar on ‘6th International Seminar on Regional Network on Poverty Eradication’, Conducted by Department of Economics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 13th-15th November, 2015.
22. Paper on *“A Study on Rural Poverty Eradication Through Information and Communication Technology”* Presented in International Conference on ‘Gender and ICT: Opportunities and Challenges’, Conducted by Department of Communication and Journalism, Sri Padmavathi Mahila Visvavidyalayam, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 24th-25th February, 2016.
23. Presented Paper entitled *“Performance of State Co-operative Banks in Andhra Pradesh”*, in a Two-Day International Conference on ‘Accounting , Banking and Finance in Emerging Markets: Challenges and Opportunities’, held at Department of Commerce, Kristu Jayanti College, Bangaluru, Karnataka State, on 05th - 06th October, 2016.
24. Paper entitled *“Microfinance for Inclusive Growth: A Case Study”* was Presented in a ‘2th International Conference on ‘Inclusive Economic Growth and Sustainable Development’, organized by Department of Economics, Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute for Management Development (SDMIMD), Mysore, Karnataka State, on 18th – 19th November, 2016.
25. Presented Paper entitled *“Role of State Co-operative Banks in the Development of Agriculture Sector in Andhra Pradesh”*, in an International Conference on ‘Inclusive Business Growth & Sustainable Development’, held at Department of Commerce, Kristu Jayanti College, Bangaluru, Karnataka State, on 22th - 23th February, 2017.

26. Paper entitled “*A Study on Paddy Production in Andhra Pradesh*” was Presented in a ‘3th International Conference on ‘Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends’, organized by Department of Economics, Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute for Management Development (SDMIMD), Mysore, Karnataka State, India, on 10th – 11th November, 2017.
27. Paper on “*India-Nigeria Trade Relation: A Study*” Presented in International Conference on ‘New Frontiers in India - Africa Relations (A Multi-Disciplinary Focus on Political, Socio-Economic, Administrative, Sports and Educational Aspects)’, Conducted by Department of Political Science & Public Administration, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India, on 27th-28th December, 2019.

NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES PARTICIPATED

1. Participated in the UGC-SAP-DRS-1 National Seminar “*Water Resource Management*” conducted by Department of Geography, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, on 22th -23th January, 2014.
2. Participated in one day International Seminar on “*Self-Management*”, Organized by Department of Management Studies, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, on 11th August, 2014.
3. Attended at UGC National Seminar on “*Human Development Index and India*” Organized by Department of Economics, V.S.M. College, Ramachandrapuram, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh, on 14th – 15th November, 2014.
4. Participated in International Conference on “*Statistics & Information Technology for a Growing Nation*”, Organized by Department of Statistics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India, on 30 Nov – 02 Dec, 2014.
5. Participated in International Conference on “*Operational Research (Theme: or for big Data & Analytics)*”, Organized by Department of Statistics & ORSI-Tirupati Chapter, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India, on 1-3 December, 2014.
6. Participated in the National Seminar “*Rural Development Policies, Programmes, Strategies & Challenges*” conducted by Department of Adult & Continuing Education, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 06th -07th November, 2015.

7. Participated in 98th Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association Jointly organized by IEA and Prof. Jayashankar Telangana State Agriculture University, Hyderabad, on 27th -29th December, 2015.
8. Attended at ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on ***“Institutional Finance for the Development of Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes in Andhra Pradesh”*** Organized by Department of Commerce, Government Degree & P.G. College, Nagari, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 29th January, 2016.
9. Participated in National Seminar on ***“Climate Change – A Swot Analysis”***, Organized by Department of Econometrics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 29th -30th June, 2016.
10. Participated in 99th Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association Jointly organized by IEA and Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 27th -29th December, 2016.
11. Participated in the Orientation Programme for Lecturers ***“Class Room Teaching Methodology”*** conducted by Department of Economics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 16th July, 2017.
12. Attended at ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar on ***“Issues and Challenges of Digital Payment Systems in India”*** Organized by Department of Commerce, Government Degree & P.G. College, Puttur, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh, on 18th -19th August, 2017.
13. Attended at Pre - Annual Conference of the Andhra Pradesh Economic Association on ***“Agriculture of Andhra Pradesh – With Special Focus on Irrigation Development in Rayalaseema Region”*** Organized by APEA and Srinivasa Educational Institute of Commerce Degree & P.G. College (SEICOM), Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on 26th October, 2019.

WORKSHOPS PARTICIPATED

1. Participated in the National Workshop on ***“Preparation of Sourcebook on Rural Development”*** Organized by the Department of Adult and Continuing Education, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati during March 10-11, 2015.
2. Participated in the **Ten Day ICSSR Sponsored Course** Workshop on ***“Research Methodology and Quantitative Techniques in Social Sciences”*** Organized by the Department of Economics, Christ University, Bangalore in collaboration with the Indian Association of Social Science (IASS), New Delhi, 5th – 14th October, 2015.

3. Participated in the **Ten Day ICSSR Sponsored Course Workshop on “Research Methodology Course and Applied Research Techniques SPSS in Social Sciences”** Organized by the Department of Economics, Nagaland Central University, Hqrs. Lumami, 23rd May to 1st June, 2017.
4. Participated in the **14 Days ICSSR Sponsored Course Workshop on “Training Course on Recent Trends in Research Methodology”** Organized by the Department of Economics, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati during February 15 - 28, 2018.

NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL WEBINARS PARTICIPATED

1. The Participated in “**Royalaseema Issues: Irrigation, Migrant Labour Issues & Atma Nirbhar Bharath**”, Organized by the Department of Economics, S.V. University, Tirupati during August 29th, 2020.
2. The participated in “**ArthaNiti-National Webinar on Declining GDP: Causes and Measures**”, Organized by the Department of Economics, SGK. Government Degree College, Vinukonda, Guntur district, A.P. during October 4th, 2020.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS - 5

Sl. No	Title of the Articles	Year of Publication	Name of the Journal	Vol. & Page No	ISSN No	Impact Factor
1	Performance of State Co-operative Banks in Andhra Pradesh	July-Sep 2016	International Journal of Business and Administration Research Review	Vol-1 Pp-114-116.	ISSN No: 2348-0653	3.853
2	Role of State Co-operative Banks in the Development of Agriculture Sector in Andhra Pradesh	February 2017	International Journal of Management and Social Science Research Review	Vol-1 Pp-159-161	ISSN No: 2349-6738	3.996
3	Trends in Area, Production and Productivity of Paddy Crop: An Overview	January 2019	International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Invention	Vol-8 Pp-50-58	ISSN No: 2319-7722	-
4	A Study on Paddy Cultivation in West Godavari District of Andhra Pradesh	March 2019	Review of Research International Online Multidisciplinary Journal	Vol-8 Pp-1-8	ISSN No: 2249-894X	5.7631
5	Development of Irrigation and Agriculture in Chittoor district of Rayalaseema Region	August 2020	Emperor International Journal of Finance and Management Research	Vol-VI Pp-1-8	ISSN No: 2395-5929	-

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS BOOKS WITH ISBN

Sl. No	Title of the Articles	Year of Publication	Name of the Book	Name of the Publication	Page No	ISBN No
1	Role of MGNREGS Alleviation of Poverty-A Study in Chittoor District	2015	Regional Network on Poverty Eradication	Spectrum Publications, S.R.Nagar, Hyderabad, India	P-204	ISBN: 978-93-82829-47-8
2	Impact of MGNREG Programme on Rural Households –A Case Study of Chittoor District	2016	Impact of MGNREGS on Rural Development	Lakshmi Narasimha Publications, Yasodha Nagar, Tirupati, A.P	Pp-335-341	ISBN: 978-93-52542-62-8
3	Problems of Tourism Sector in Andhra Pradesh-A Case Study in Chittoor District	2016	Travel & Tourism Challenges and Opportunity for Economic Development	Paramount Publishing House, Hyderabad.	Pp-225-228	ISBN: 978-93-85100-43-7
4	Microfinance for Inclusive Growth: A Case Study	2016	Inclusive Economic Growth and Sustainable Development	Sdmimd, Mysuru, Karnataka state	Pp-1-8	ISBN: 978-93-83302-18-5
5	Demonetization of Issues and Challenges for Economic Growth in India	2017	Demonetization Impact and Prospects	Jyoti Granthamala, New Sarvodaya Nagar, Hyderabad	Pp-100-102	ISBN: 978-93-83823-26-0
6	A Study on Educational Status of Tribal Children in the Chittoor District	2017	Challenges and Educational Opportunities of Scheduled Tribes in India	Roshan Publications, Visakhapatnam, A.P, India	Pp-1-10	ISBN: 978-93-86251-49-1
7	A Study on Paddy Production in Andhra Pradesh	2017	Economic Growth and Sustainable Development : Emerging Trends	Sdmimd, Mysuru, Karnataka state	Pp-1-8	ISBN: 978-93-83302-26-0
8	Role of Higher Education System in India: A Study	2019	Emerging Trends in Higher Education the Role of IQAC	Raja Rammohun Roy National Agency, MHRD, Govt. of India	Pp-201-208	ISBN: 9789353910488
9	Trends of Paddy Production and Productivity in Andhra Pradesh	2019	Sustainable Agriculture in India :Issues and	City Publication, Shahdara, Delhi	Pp-108-114	ISBN: 978-93-8911-725-7

	during the Post-Reform Period: A Study		Challenges			
10	Performance of Foreign Trade in India: A Study	2019	Emerging Trends & Challenges of Economic Reforms in India	DCBA Publishing House, Ongole, Prakasam district, A.P	Pp-372-380	ISBN: 978-1-79472-447-1
11	A Study on Paddy Cultivation in Kurnool District of Andhra Pradesh	2020	Agricultural Growth in Indian Economy-Regional Experiences and Policies	Roshan Publications, CBM Compound Visakhapatnam-3, A.P, India	Pp-92-97	ISBN: 978-81-944315-1-0
12	A Study on Minimum Support Price for Paddy in India during the Post-Reform Period	2020	Sustainable Agriculture in India	Winger Publications, A-531, H.No.4-32-521, Phase-1, Allwyn Colony, Kukatpally, Hyderabad-500072.	Pp-72-81	ISBN: 978-81-941934-0-1

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all the above information is true to my level best of my knowledge.

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