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1. Academic Qualifications:

Doctoral Research – Ph.D

- **University** : Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, India
- **Title** : The Contribution of Madurai Nayaks to Temple Art and Architecture.
- **Year** : 2019

Master of Philosophy

- **University** : Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, India
- **Title** : Pandyas Contribution to Art and Architecture.
- **Year** : 2009

Post-Graduation

- **University** : Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, India
- **Degree** : Master of Art in History
- **Year** : 2001

Under Graduation

- **University** : Fatima College
- **Year** : 1999
- **Degree** : Bachelor of Art in History

2. Teaching Experience

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| Till this year | : | 8 Years |
| a. UG | : | 8 Years |
| b. PG | : | NIL |

3. Details of E-contents / Modules Developed :-

| S.No | Name of the teacher / teachers | Name of the module developed | Platform on which module is developed | Date of launching e content | Provide link to videos |
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| 1 | Dr.R. Praiya | Religious and Social Reform Movements | YouTube | 1 st September, 2020 | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nnkiu1qUyHM |

4. Subject Expert/ member in Board of Studies / Interview Panel / Doctoral Committee

University Nominee:

| S.No | Expert/ Member | Name of the institution | Board / Interview Panel | Date |
|------|----------------|---|---|--|
| 1 | Dr.R.Praiya | Fatima College | Board of Studies | 5 th April 2017 |
| 2 | Dr.R.Praiya | Mother Teresa Women University Research and Extension Centre Keelakuilkudi. | External Examiner History | 4 th March to 5 th March 2022 & 7 th and 8 th March 2022 |
| 3 | Dr.R.Praiya | Madriya Vidyalaya, No 2, Madurai - 625 005 | Subject Expert in the Interview Committee Panel for the post of Social Science. | 16 th March 2022 |
| 4 | Dr.R.Praiya | Saraswathi Narayanan College, Madurai | External Exam Paper Setter and External Examiner in History | April 2022 |
| 5 | Dr.R.Praiya | Saraswathi Narayanan College | Chairperson | 15 th November 2022 |
| 6 | Dr.R.Praiya | Saraswathi Narayanan College | External Examiner | 10 th December 2022 |
| 7 | Dr.R.Praiya | Fatima College | Alumna | 3 rd April 2023. |
| 8 | Dr.R.Praiya | Saraswathi Narayanan College | External Expert | 10 th May 2023 |
| 9 | Dr.R.Praiya | EMG Yadava College | Subject expert | 30 th May 2023 |
| 10 | Dr.R.Praiya | MKU | Research Advisory Committee | 18 th August 2023 |
| 11 | Dr.R.Praiya | Fatima College | Alumna | 15 th March 2024. |

5 . Details of awards, recognition, fellowships, at State, National and International level

| S.No | Name | Name of the Award | Awarding agency | Date |
|------|-------------|------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Dr.R.Praiya | Teaching Excellence | Global Multidisciplinary Research – Academic Foundation | 29 th December 2019 |
| 2 | Dr.R.Praiya | An Award of Honor And Recognition. | ESN Publications. | 30 th January 2021. |
| 3 | Dr.R.Praiya | Woman Achiever Award | Vaigai Egg. College, Madurai. | 8 th March 2023 |

6. Details of Seed Money received from the institution for institutional sponsored Faculty / Interdepartmental / Students Project:-

| Name of Principal Investigator / Co Investigator | Faculty / Interdepartmental / Students Project | Title of the research project | Amount / Fund received | Year of sanction | Duration |
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| Dr.R. Praiya & Lt (Dr.) S Rajagopal | Faculty | The Sculptural Art of the Nayak Period | 20,000 | 2018-19 | 1 Years |
| Dr.R. Praiya & Lt (Dr.) S Rajagopal | Faculty | Madurai Nayak's Inscriptions from 1529 to 1736 – A Study | 20,000 | 2019-20 | 1 Years |
| Dr.R. Praiya & Lt (Dr.) S Rajagopal | Faculty | Life and career of queen Mangammal - A Study. | 25,000 | 2020-21 | 1 Years |

7. Details of research projects per teacher funded by government and non-government agencies

| Name of Principal Investigator/ Co-Investigator | Title of the research project | Amount / Fund received | Name of funding agency | Year of sanction | Duration |
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| Lt Dr S Rajagopal –PI Dr R Praiya – Co-I | Research Project on “Rosanapatti Natham Medu-A Field Study” | Rs 50,000/- | Padma Ramasamy Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Ranganathapuram, Theni letter No PMRS/PROJECT-01/2022 dated 24 Jan 2022 and MOU between | 2021-22 | 16 Feb 2022 to April 2024 (25 Months)) |

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| | | | MTNC and PRMHSC dated 16 Feb 2022. | | |
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8. Details of recognized research guides

| S.No | Subject | Date & Month of award of Guideship | Guideship Number |
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| 1 | Modern India | Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai letter No SI/Guide Recog/ History/ 2022 dated 24.05.2022 | 2173/22 |

9. Number of Projects Guided :-

UG : 13

| S.No | Title of the Project | Name of the Student | Register No | UG /PG / M.Phil. | Name of the Organization | Year |
|------|---|--|--|------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| 1 | Vaigai River in Madurai City – A Study | T.Jeyasri R.Vaishali P.Ramviswa R.Tamilselvan | 21UHT003 21UHT019 21UHT040 21UHT046 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-24 |
| 2 | Mutuvarpatti Valarpirai Kabaddi Club in Madurai District Tamilnadu - A View | K.Pasupathi R.Saranya | 21UHT012 21UHT014 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-24 |
| 3 | Kalinga Vasthath Silambam School, Madakulam Thirupparankudram Taluk Madurai District – A View | A.Sowmiya K.Kaviasri R.Gopalakrishnan G.Nagabalan | 21UHT014 21UHT007 21UHT025 21UHT034 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-24 |
| 4 | Siva Temples in Madurai District | M.Sivamalinidevi I.Sumitra | 19RUHT014 19RUHT015 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2022-23 |
| 5 | Mandapams in Meenakshi Amman Temple | T.Diviyadharshini M.Keerthika S.Snega | 20RUHT002 20RUHT008 20RUHT016 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2022-23 |
| 6 | Thiruparankundra | R.Kodeeswaran | 20RUHT034 | UG | Mannar | 2022-23 |

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| | m Festivals | P.Nagaarjun | 20RUHT038 | | Thirumalai Naicker College | |
| | | M.Sankar | 20RUHT043 | | | |
| | | G.Anbarasan | 20RUHT022 | | | |
| 7 | Jallikattu | V.Vadivelmurugan | 20RUHT047 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2022-23 |
| | | C.Vigneshwaran | 20RUHT051 | | | |
| | | M.Dinesh Kumar | 20RUHT026 | | | |
| | | R.Jeyaboopathy | 20RUHT030 | | | |
| 8 | Thiruvathvur Thirumarainathar Temple - A Study | Divyabharathi. V | 19RUHT002 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-22 |
| | | Kajal. B | 19RUHT006 | | | |
| | | Sankar. M | 19RUHT042 | | | |
| | | Subburaj. P | 19RUHT046 | | | |
| 9 | Sculpture Gallery in Pasumalai, Pykara, Thiruparankundram, Madurai District - A Special Study | Ajaykumar. H | 19RUHT018 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-22 |
| | | Mukesh Kumar. M | 19RUHT027 | | | |
| | | Periyajeyapandi. J | 19RUHT032 | | | |
| 10 | Tourism Perspective of Meenakshi Amman Temple | Priyadharshan. L | 19RUHT036 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2021-22 |
| | | Vijay. V | 19RUHT052 | | | |
| 11 | Siva Temples in Madurai District | B. Dhanalakshmi | 18RUHT003 | UG UG UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2020-21 |
| | | M.Mareeswari | 18RUHT008 | | | |
| | | S.Roja | 18RUHT011 | | | |
| 12 | Madurai is A Temple City | S.Sridhar | 18RUHT048 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2020-21 |
| | | P.Ravikumar | 18RUHT033 | | | |
| | | E.Balamurugan | 18RUHT019 | | | |
| 13 | Rock cut cave Temple in Madurai | M. Yogeshwaran | 18RUHT045 | UG | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 2020-21 |
| | | R. Venkateshwaran | 18RUHT043 | | | |
| | | M. Veluchamy | 18RUHT042 | | | |

10. Details of Workshops / Seminars / Conference attended :

| S. No | Name of the Programme | Name of the Institution | Date |
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| Workshop | | | |
| 1 | Intercollegiate Faculty Workshop - Pedagogy of Women Studies | Lady Dock College | 5 th March 2016 |
| 2 | Technicalities of Writing Research Proposal (Workshop) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 29 th June 2018 |
| 3 | One day National Workshop on Human Rights | Saiva Bhanu Kshatriya College, Aruppukottai. | 17 th October 2018 |
| 4 | Benchmarking the Best Practices in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education | Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirapalli. NAAC Sponsored two-day workshop | 14 th & 15 th February 2019 |
| 5 | One day Training and Production workshop on prospects of outcomes based curriculum | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 9 th March 2019 |
| 6 | “Epigraphy: Tamil, Vattalazthu, Grantha and the Inscriptions of Cholas” | Rajapalayam Raju’s College, Rajapalayam | 16 th & 17 th August 2109 |
| 7 | One Day Awareness Workshop on Archaeology” | Ramnad and Keeladi | 24 th September 2019 |
| 8 | ICSSR – SRC Sponsored three days National level workshop on “SPSS – AMOS” | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul | 5 th to 7 th March 2020 |
| 9 | “Packaged Software Based Inter Disciplinary Researches: Status, Trends and Challenges” | Government Arts College, Melur | 13 th & 14 th March 2020 |
| 10 | “தமிழர் வரலாற்று மீட்டுருவாக்கத்தில் டெதால்லியல் தளங்கள்” தமிழ்க்கைல ஆஃ வகத்தின் ஏ, நாள் இணைய வழிப் பயிலரங்கம் – 2020 | தென் திருவிதாங்கூர் இந்துக் கல்லூரி நாகர்கோவில் | 6 th to 12 th July 2020 |
| 11 | Online Workshop on “Positive Thinking and Decision Making | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 24 th May 2020 |
| 12 | ICSSR – SRC Sponsored three days National level workshop on Micro & Macro issues of Research Design in Social Science Research | Government College of Arts Science, Aurangabad | 7 th January 2022 |
| 13 | Tamilaga nadukarkkal marabhu | MKU | 14 th to 17 th December 2022 |
| 14 | State level Technical Workshop “Intellectual Property Rights” | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 16 th & 17 th October 2023 |

| Seminar/Conference | | | |
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| 1 | International - Seminar - New Tools and Techniques in Historical Writing | Sri S.R.N.M college | 12 th September 2016 |
| 2 | Seminar on Developing New Curriculum – 2017 | State Council of Educational Research and Training, Tamil Nadu | 21 st and 22 nd July 2017 |
| 3 | One day State level symposium on Woman and the Law | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 22 nd September 2017 |
| 4 | One day national level seminar on The Forgotten Identities | Devangar arts college, Aruppukottai | 6 th October 2017 |
| 5 | International level conference on Multidisciplinary approaches in Social Sciences Humanities and Sciences | Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur | 14 th December 2018 |
| 6 | Role of Women in Dravidian Movement | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 26 th February 2019 |
| 7 | 79 th Session of Indian History Congress | Barkatullah University, Bhopal | 26 th – 28 th February, 2019 |
| 8 | ICHR sponsored two day national level Seminar on Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College. | 20 th and 21 st March, 2019 |
| 9 | Paradigm Shift in Pedagogical Practices – Quality Enhancement in Higher Education | National College (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli | 24 th August 2019 |
| 10 | 26 th Annual session of Tamilnadu History Congress | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul | 11 th to 13 th October 2019 |
| 11 | ICWA sponsored two day national level conference on “BOICBRICSC – 2019” | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul | 12 th and 13 th December 2019 |
| 12 | One day national level seminar on Perspective on subaltern Studies | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College. | 17 th December 2019 |
| 13 | 80 th Session of Indian History Congress | Kannur University, Kerala | 28 th to 30 th December 2019 |
| 14 | Introduction to Indian temple Architecture and Iconography | Alagappa University, Karaikudi | 24 th to 26 th June 2020 |
| 15 | XLVI – Indian Social Science Congress | Bharatidhasan University, Trichy | 27 th to 31 st January 2023 |
| 16 | International Seminar on Multidisciplinary Documents in Tamil Grammar and Literature | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 8 th February 2023 |

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| 17 | A one day State level Conference on Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 22 nd February 2023 |
| 18 | 29 th Annual Session of Tamilnadu History Congress | A.Veeriya Vandanyar Memorial Sri Pushpam College | 14 th to 16 th October 2022 |
| 19 | 81 st Session of Indian History Congress | Madras Christian College, Chennai | 27 th to 29 th December 2022 |
| 20 | ICSSR sponsored National level Seminar Introspection and Retrospection of Indigenous ideas, Communalism and Secularism in South India. | MKU | 2 nd & 3 rd March 2023 |
| 21 | 31 st Annual conference of Archeological Society | Soodappa Kalyana Mandapam , Osuor. | 15 th & 16 th July 2023 |
| 22 | 1 st Annual Session of World History Congress | Pondicherry University, Pondicherry. | 9 th & 10 th September 2023 |
| 23 | 30 th Annual Session of Tamilnadu History Congress | Holy Cross College, Nagarcoil. | 22 nd to 24 th September 2023 |
| 24 | 42 nd Annual Session of South Indian History Congress | University college, Thiruvananthapuram. | 28 th to 30 th October 2023 |
| 25 | 82 nd Session of Indian History Congress | Kakatiya University, Warangal. | 28 th to 30 th December 2023 |
| 26 | International conference on skill development ,entrepreneurship and emerging technologies for international and Indian youth | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 16 th February 2024 |
| 27 | 2 nd International conference on Inscriptions: The Primary sources to reconstruct history and culture | Alagappa University, Karaikudi | 28 th & 29 th March 2024. |

National and International Webinar

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| 1 | Challenges and oppertunarities in business post covid-19. | SVN College, Madurai | 30 th May 2020. |
| 2 | State level webinar on “கீழடி - வைகை நதிக்கரை யில் சங்க கால நகர நாகரிகம்” | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 1 st June 2020 |
| 3 | Two days webinar on India strategic relation I n post covid World order. | Kristu Jeyati College, Bengaluru | 19 th & 20 th June 2020 |
| 4 | National Level Webinar on Pandemics and Epidemics during british rule in india - A critical hindsight. | Nesamony Memorial Christian College, Kanyakumari | 22 nd June 2020 |
| 5 | National Level Webinar on “Recent Archaeological Excavations in Tamil Nadu (Keeladi, Konthagai and Other Sites)” | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul | 27 th June 2020 |

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| 6 | National level conference on எக்காலமும் ஏற்கும் மறை நம் பொதுமறை | Webinar | 28 th June 2020 |
| 7 | National Level Webinar on PARADOX OF COVID 19 LIFE | Thiruvalluvar College , Papanasam | 03 rd July 2020 |
| 8 | National Level Webinar on “ NAAC Accreditation Process During Post Covid Scenario” | Yadava College, Madurai | 10 th November 2020 |
| 9 | Online Conference 36.0 | Online | 19 th & 20 th December 2020 |
| 10 | National Level E- Seminar onNew Trends in Modern History | Lokmanya Mahavidyalaya, Warora, Maharashtra | 5 th June 2021 |
| 11 | National Level Lecture on Life in the Service of Humanity: Remembering Savitribai Phule and Health Awareness Programme & Blood Donation Camp | Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Studies Centre (Sponsored by UGC) Kakatiya University & University College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Kakatiya University, Warangal – 506009, Telangana State | 03 rd January, 2022 |
| 12 | National Heritage Club - □□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□□□ □□□□□□ □□□□□□□□ □□□□□□□□ | Vivekananda College, Madurai | 24 th September 2022 |
| 13 | National Level Conference on Nadukarkkal | Online | 3 rd December 2022 |
| 14 | யாழ்ப்பாணம் ஆறுமுக நாவலரின் 143 ஆம் ஆண்டு நினைவு நாள் இணைய வழி கருதரங்கு | Online | 5 th December 2022 |
| 15 | Thonmai pesuvom – Pandaiya tamarin Veeram | Online | 10 th December 2022 |
| 16 | Navalarin Valuvu Seiyallum | Online | 14 th December 2022 |
| 17 | Varalattruchinnagalum avai Thodarbana Vizhipunarvugalum | Online | 07 th January 2023 |
| 18 | Marabhuvazhi Pongal | Online | 08 th January 2023 |
| 19 | Thonmai Pesuvom | Online | 14 th January 2023 |
| 20 | Pandiya nattu Samanappalligali Tamil Prami Kalvettugal | Online | 21 st January 2023 |

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| 21 | Illakiyam kattum Marabhusar Ulavu | Online | 28 th January 2023 |
| 22 | Sindhamsaveliyil Thiravida Mozhi | Online | |
| E- Quiz | | | |
| 1 | COVID-19 General Awareness Quiz | SRM Institute of Science & Technology, School of Management, Ramapuram, Chennai-89 | 18 th April 2020 |
| 2 | National Level Online Quiz | St. Mary's College (Autonomous), Thoothukudi. | 4 th to 8 th June 2020 |
| 3 | National Level Online Quiz in "General Knowledge - June 2020". | DR.R.K.Shanmugam College of Education (B.Ed.), Kallakurichi | June 2020 |
| 4 | Father's day celebration of Online Quiz | Savitha Bhanu Kshatriya College, Aruppukottai. | 27 th to 29 th June 2020 |
| 5 | International Online Quiz Competition on World Environment Day " (FDP) | Raje Vishveshwarrao Art Comm.College, Bhamragad | June 2020 |
| 6 | National Level Online E-Quiz on " Foreign Policy of India" | SN College, Madurai | 26 th June 2020 |
| 7 | National Level Online E-Quiz on "Art and Culture of Pandyas" | Kalaithai Publication , Chennai | 29 th June 2020 |
| Other Events | | | |
| 1 | Maximum Author contribution for a Book on covid -19 and its impact | ESN Publication | 30 th January 2021 |
| 2 | Up gradation of Syllabus – Board of Studies | Fatima College | 15 th March 2024. |

11 . Number of Papers / Posters Presented :

| S. No | Name of the Programme | Name of the Institution | Title of the paper | Date |
|-------|--|---|--|---|
| 1 | 2 nd International conference on Inscriptions: The Primary sources to reconstruct history and culture | Alagappa University, Karaikudi | Major Dynasties Inscription in Tamilnadu Analytical View | 28 th & 29 th March 2024. |
| 2 | International conference on skill development ,entrepreneurship and emerging technologies for international and Indian youth | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Integration of Artificial intelligent in domicile activities and its impact | 16 th February 2024. |
| 3 | 82-Indian History Congress | Kakatiya University, Warangal. | Need water user organizer administration to face challenges of ground water in Tamilnadu. | 28 th to 30 th December 2023 |
| 4 | 42nd Annual Session of South Indian History Congress | University College Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. | Future Challenges of the Tanks in Tamil Nadu | 28 th to 30 th October 2023. |
| 5 | 30 th Tamilnadu History Congress | Holy Cross College, Nagarcoil. | Ulave Unnatham | 22 nd to 24 th September 2023 |
| 6 | World History Congress | Pondicherry University, Pondicherry. | Life style of Paliyar Tribes Dindigul district Tamilnadu. | 9 th & 10 th September 2023 |
| 7 | 31 st Annual conference Archaeological Society | Soodappa Kalyana Mandapam, Osuor. | Rajathani Kalvettu | 15 th & 16 th July 2023 |
| 8 | Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Epic and Secular Sculptures of Vijayanagara - Nayaks an Analysis | 22 nd February 2023 |
| 9 | Multidisciplinary Documents in Tamil Grammar and Literature | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Pala duraigalil kallthadam pathikkum thirukkural | 8 th February 2023 |
| 10 | Thematic Panel | Bharathidhasan University, Trichy | Tribals in Tamilnadu - A Special reference to Palliyar Tribes | 27 th to 31 st January 2023 |
| 11 | National - Indian History Congress | Madras Christian College, Chennai | Sustainable ground water harvesting and management strategy | 27 th to 29 th December 2022 |
| 12 | State level Seminar | A.Veeriya Vandanyar Memorial Sri Pushpam College | Irrigations tank in Thirupparankudram block in madurai | 14 th to 16 th October 2022 |
| 13 | State Level Congress | Kalaingar Karunanidhi Government Arts College, Tiruvannamalai | Nathammedu An Unexcavated Archaeological Site Discovery In Theni District – An Open Field Survey | 22 nd to 24 th April 2022 |
| 14 | State Level Congress | Kalaingar Karunanidhi Government Arts College, Tiruvannamalai | Later Pandya Collapsed Adi Narayana Perumal Temple in Madurai - A Ground Report | 22 nd to 24 th April 2022 |

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| 15 | Historical Archaeology of Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Potumbu Kattum Padippu Oru Parvai (Tamil) | 19 th April 2022 |
| 16 | Historical Archaeology of Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Recent New Findings of Pandya Period Inscriptions – A Study | 19 th April 2022 |
| 17 | Historical Approaches of Ritual and Customs in Nagaland and Tamilnadu State | Nagaland | Conservation of Katunayake’s-A Study | 11 th February 2022 |
| 18 | Lockdown Impacts | Virudhunagar | Lockdown Challenges in health care sector – A Study | January 2021 |
| 19 | One Day National Seminar on New approaches in Commerce, Economics, Engineering, Humanities, Arts, Social Science and Management: Challenges and opportunities. | Salem | Exploring Pandya Rulers History Through Inscriptions in the Tamil Country | 26 th December 2020 |
| 20 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | Exploring History Through Digital Learning | 29 th February 2020 |
| 21 | National Level Conference | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Stepping Success of Women Entrepreneurs in India | 24 th January 2020 |
| 22 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | lesson Teach by Covid -19 Pandemic and Steps need to Take | 2019 |
| 23 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | Status of Cases Children Sexual Abuse in Chennai City in 2018 | 28 th December 2019 |
| 24 | National - Indian History Congress | Kannur, Kerala | Thousand Pillar Mandapa in Meenakshi Sundareswarar Temple, Madurai, Tamilnadu – A Study | 28 th to 30 th December 2019 |
| 25 | Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Strengthening of Ability in Madurai Through Military by the Madurai Nayaks – A Study | 20 th and 21 st March, 2019 |
| 26 | State - Tamilnadu History Congress | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul | ‘Children Sexual Abuse in Chennai City from January 2017 to December 2018 under POCSO Act – A Study’ | 11 th to 13 th Oct 2019 |
| 27 | National - Indian History Congress | Barkatullah University, Bhopal | A Portrayal of Statue’s Attire in the Temples During Nayak’s Period | 26 th to 28 th February, 2019 |

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| 28 | National Level Conference | Jayaraj Annappaikiam College for Women, Periyakulam | The process of increasing the Capacity of Women to Transform Society into Desired Outcome | 20 th February, 2019 |
| 29 | International level conference | Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur | Depiction of Colourful Embellishments of the Nayaks | 14 th December 2018 |
| 30 | State Tamil Nadu History Congress | University of Madras | Multi-Dimensional Nature of Temple Beyond a Mere Religious Institution in Medieval South India | 5 th to 7 th October 2018 |
| 31 | Empowerment, Social Justice, Inclusive Development: Issues & Perspectives of Tribal Tamil Nadu | MKU, Madurai | History of The Tribes of Tamil Nadu | 1 st and 2 nd February 2018 |
| 32 | Human Rights Violation: Issues Related to the Downtrodden | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Remedies to Overcome the Human Rights Domestic Violations | 23 rd & 24 th February 2017 |
| 33 | Socio-Cultural Settings of Pandya Country Up to 1736 A.D. | Devanga Arts College, Aruppukottai. | Sculptures of Madurai Meenakshi Amman temple | 29 th July 2016 |
| 34 | Higher Education in India – New paradigms and challenges | Govt. First Grade College for Woman, Holenarasipura, Hassan, Karnataka. | Higher Education in India – A Study | 4 th May 2016 |
| 35 | Juvenile Justice in India | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Juvenile Justice In India | 18 th & 19 th March 2015 |
| 36 | Gender Equality in Higher – During the plan Periods | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Gender Equality in Higher Education | 22 nd August 2014 |

12. Details of Professional development Programmes attended

- a. Refresher Courses : 02
- b. Orientation Courses : 01
- c. Faculty Development Programmes (FDP):24
- d. Short Term Courses : 01
- e. Training Programmes : 03

| S. No | Name of the Professional Development Programme | Date and No. of Days | Name and address of the Institution imparting Training |
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| Refresher Course | | | |
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| 1 | UGC – Human Resource Development Centre, MKU | 16 th November 2018 to 13 th December 2018 (28 Days) | MKU, Madurai |
| 2 | UGC – Human Resource Development Centre, MKU UGC - Sponsored Online Refresher Course | 16 th September 2020 to 29 th September 2020 (14 Days) | MKU, Madurai. |
| Orientation Program | | | |
| 1 | UGC - Sponsored Online Refresher Course in Online Education (Multidisciplinary) - Bharathidasan university | 16 th August 2022 to 29 th August 2022 (14 Days) | Bharathidasan university, Trichy |
| Training Programmes | | | |
| 1 | ‘A One Day Training Program on Rights of Women’ | 19 th December 2019 | GTN Arts College (A), Dindigul |
| 2 | Inter Teacher Training | 5 th & 6 th May 2022 (2 Days) | MKU, Madurai |
| 3 | Internship Training Program | 23 rd to 26 th February 2023 (2 Days) | Government Museum, Madurai |
| 4 | Internship Training Program | 28 th February to 4 th March 2024. | Government Museum, Madurai. |
| Short Term Courses | | | |
| 1 | Two Weeks Online Short-Term Training Programme On Research Methodology | 6 th to 18 th July 2020 (13 Days) | Online |
| Faculty Development Programmes (FDP) | | | |
| 1 | Faculty Development Programme | 4 th March 2017 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 2 | E-Content Development and Digital Tools | 2 nd & 3 rd March 2018 (2 Days) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 3 | Intellectual Property Rights, Skill Development programs, Innovations, Patents and Setting up Incubation Centers (Faculty Development Programme) | 22 nd January 2019 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 4 | Promotion of API Score and CAS Filing | 2 nd March 2019 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 5 | One day Training and Production Workshop on prospects of Outcome Based Curriculum | 9 th March 2019 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 6 | Self – Enhancement Programme (Better English... Better Life) | 9 th March 2019 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 7 | Outcome based education | 28 th August 2019 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 8 | e – Content development and | 29 th February 2020 | Mannar Thirumalai |

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| | Digital Tools Usage | | Naicker college |
| 9 | Promotion of API Score and Career advancement scheme | 3 rd March 2020 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 10 | 21st Century Skills | 5 th March 2020 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 11 | Quality Assurance and Sustenance in Higher Education | 11 th March 2020 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 12 | Managing Online Classes and Co creating MOOCS | 20 th April to 06 th May 2020 (17 Days) | Ramanujam College, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching |
| 13 | Online Faculty Enrichment Program | 13 th May to 19 th May 2020 (7 Days) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 14 | Online Workshop on Positive thinking and decision making | 24 th May 2020 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 15 | RUSA Sponsored Faculty Development Programme's National Seminar on Transcending the Boundaries of Gender. | 22 th January 2021. | Vivekananda College, Kolhapur |
| 16 | Aspects of Research Paper Writing | 25 th & 26 th June 2021 (2 Days) | Khandelwal Vaish Girls Institute of Technology, Vaishali Nagar, Jaipur |
| 17 | Being an Effective History Teacher | 07 th January 2022 | Lady Doak College, Madurai |
| 18 | National Level 7 days FDP Enhancing Quality by Unearthing Innovative Practice-Equip 2022 | 18 th to 24 th April 2022 (7 Days) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 19 | Pedagogical Transition In Higher Education - A Paradigm Shift | 18 th to 23 rd April 2022 (6 Days) | Sri Aurobindo College, Bangaluru |
| 20 | One Day Faculty Enhancement Program Education 4.0 for Sustainable Economic Development | 27 th April 2022 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 21 | Best Practices for Next Gen Teachers - National Level 9 days FDP | 30 th May to 07 th June 2022 (9 Days) | SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai |
| 22 | Dynamics of Research Publication | 15 th & 16 th September 2022 (2 Days) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College |
| 23 | Faculty enhancement programme | 18 th March 2023 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 24 | Faculty enhancement programme | 23 rd to 26 th February 2023 (4 Days) | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |

13. Details of Paper Publications:

Journal (UGC Approved Journals)

| S. No | Name of Author / s | Title of the Paper | Name of the Journal | Volume / Issue No. | ISSN No. | Month & Year of publication |
|-------|--|--|--|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Lieutenant S.Rajagopal & Dr.R. Praiyya | Madurai Nayaka's Dilapidated Sri Varadaraja Perumal Temple at Maravapatti Village of Vadipatti Taluk -Architectural Engineering a Field Report https://images.app.goo.gl/6Y9wMSHEkLYJcwnr8 | International Journal of Innovative Science and Research Methodology | Volume 9, Issue 2 | ISSN - 2456-2165 | February 2024 |
| 2 | Dr.R. Praiyya & Lieutenant S.Rajagopal | Later Pandya Collapsed Agriculture Engineering Adinarayana Perumal Temple in Madurai - A Ground Report https://ijisrt.com/late-r-pandya-collapsed-architectural-engineering-adinarayana-perumal-temple-in-madurai-a-ground-report | International Journal of Innovative Science and Research Methodology | Volume 8, Issue 2 | ISSN - 2456-2165 | February -23 |
| 3 | Dr.R. Praiyya & Lieutenant S.Rajagopal | Thousand Pillar Mandapa in Meenakshi Sundareswar Temple, Madurai, Tamilnadu - A Study https://www.researchgate.net/publication/369884500_THOUSAND_PILLAR_MANDAPA_IN_MEENAKSHI_SUNDARESWARAR_TEMPLE_MADURAI_TAMILNADU_-_A_STUDY | Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai | Vol. : XCVI, No:03 | ISSN - 0972-0766 | 2023 |

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| 4 | Dr.R.Praiya & S Rajagopal | Rajathani Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.33/2022, | ISSN-0975-1831 | July 2022 |
| 5 | S Rajagopal & Dr.R.Praiya | Eliyarpathi Karuppasamy Kalvettu. | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.33/2022, | ISSN - 0975-1831 | July 2022 |
| 6 | S Rajagopal & Dr.R.Praiya | Pothumbu Maruthaiah Kovil Kalvettu. | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.33/2022, | ISSN - 0975-1831 | July 2022 |
| 7 | C.Santhalingam, S Rajagopal R Praiya | Aundipatti Vattara Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021, | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 8 | S.Rajagopal R.Praiya C.Santhalingam | Nochikulam Kulasekara Pandya Kelvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021 | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 9 | C.Santhalingam, S Rajagopal R Praiya | Pappamadai Kammai Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021, | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 10 | C.Santhalingam, S Rajagopal R Praiya | Tenparan-kundram Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021 | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 11 | S.Rajagopal R.Praiya C.Santhalingam | Nalatinpudur Madai Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021, | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 12 | R.Praiya S.Rajagopal C.Santhalingam | Potumbu K Marudiya Kovil Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021 | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |

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| 13 | S.Rajagopal R.Praiya C.Santhalingam | 24 Manai Telugu Chettiyarkal Kalvettu | Avanam, An International Journal of Archaeology Society (Tamilnadu) | Vol.32/2021, | ISSN 0975-1831 | July 2021 |
| 14 | Dr.R.Praiya & Lt (Dr.) S Rajagopal | The Heroic Role of Ariyanatha Mudaliyar in Madurai Nayakdom-A Study | Modern Thamizh Research, A Quarterly International Multilateral Thamizh 14Journal | Vol.9 No.4 | ISSN No: 2321-984X | Oct-Dec 2021 |
| 15 | Lt (Dr.) S Rajagopal & Dr.R.Praiya | Status of Mangammal Salai, Tamukkam Palace and Tamukkam Ground-A Historical Investigations | Modern Thamizh Research, A Quarterly International Multilateral Thamizh Journal | Vol.9 No.2 | ISSN No: 2321-984X | Apr-June 2021 |
| 16 | Dr.R.Praiya | Stepping Success of Women Entrepreneurs in India | International Journal of Psychosocial Rehabilitation | Vol. 24, Issue 08, | ISSN:1475- 7192 | January 2020 |
| 17 | Lieutenant S. Rajagopal Dr.R. Praiya | MADURAI NAYAKS CONTRIBUTION TO TEMPLE – A SPECIAL STUDY ON MANDAPAS AND DEVADHANA LANDS | CLIO An Interdisciplinary Journal (UGC Care Journal) | Vol-6- Issue-9 | ISSN: 0976-075X | April20-20 |
| 18 | Dr.R. Praiya | Gandhi and Women in National Movement | Purakala | Vol-31- Issue-04 | ISSN:0971- 2143 | April 2020 |
| 19 | Dr.R.Praiya Lieutenant S.Rajagopal | The Process of increasing the Capacity of Women to Transform Society into Desired Outcome | Mukt Shabd Journal | Volume 9, Issue 4 | ISSN NO:2347- 3150 | April 2020 |
| 20 | Dr.R.Praiya Lieutenant S.Rajagopal | Digital Learning through Information and Communication Technologies in History | TEST Engineering & Management | Volume 83 Issue - | ISSN:0193- 4120 | March-April 2020 |
| 21 | Mrs.R.Praiya | 'Madurai Nayak's Inscriptions from A.D 1529 to A.D 1736 a study' | Review of Research | Volume 8 Issue -9 | ISSN:2249- 894X | June 2019 |

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| 22 | Lieutenant S.Rajagopal.& Mrs.R.Praiya | Terrorism an Evil Challenge to the Indian Democracy | Universal Review | Volume 8 Issue -4 | ISSN: 2277 – 2723 | April 2019 |
| 23 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Depiction of Colorful Embellishments of The Nayaks | Universal Review Journal | Volume 7, Issue XII | ISSN NO 2277 – 2723 | December 2018 |
| 24 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Madurai Nayak Patronage to Temple Through the Charities and The Endowments. | Shanlax International Journal of Arts, Science and Humanities | Volume 6, Issue 1 Impact Factor 3.025 | ISSN 2321 – 788 X | Oct 2018 |
| 25 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Sculptural Beauty of The Nayaks in Meenakshi Amman Temple https://www.mannarcollege.ac.in/uploaded_files/2018-2023_PUBLICATION_PAPER_TEACHER.pdf | The International Journal for Environmental Protection and Rural Development | Volume 8 Issue 1 | ISSN: 2249 – 4375 | July – Sep 2018 |
| 26 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Madurai Minakshi Temple Gold Images and Jewelry | Shanlax International Journal of Arts, Science and Humanities | Volume 5 Issue 3 | ISSN: 2321 – 788X | October 2017 |
| 27 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Design of Pillars of Meenakshi Amman Temple – A Study | Nilam A Bi Annual Research Journal on History and Culture | Volume 5 Issue 2 | ISSN 2321-788X | November 2017 |
| 28 | Mrs.R.Praiya | Nayaks Painting | Nilam – A Bi Annual Research Journal on History and Culture | Volume 2 Issue 1 | ISSN 2321-788X | October 2016 |

Journal (Other Peer reviewed Journals).

| S. No | Title of paper | Name of the author/s | Name of the journal | Month &Year of publication | ISSN number |
|-------|--|----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1 | Sustainable Groundwater Harvesting and Management Strategy | Dr.R.Praiya | International Research Mirror | January-2024 | ISSN (P) : 2250-253X ISSN (E) : 2320-544X |

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| | January2024 Wisdom-Dr.R.Praiya -.pdf | | | | |
| 2 | TRIBALS IN TAMILNADU – A SPECIAL REFERENCE TO PALLIYAR TRIBES January2024.Mirror-Dr.R.Praiya - (1).pdf | Dr.R.Praiya | International Research Wisdom | January-2024 | ISSN (P) : 2250-2629 ISSN (E) : 2320-5466 |
| 3 | Groundwater in Madurai District, Tamilnadu - A Study http://www.ugcjournal.com/ISSM | Dr.R.Praiya | Shodh Samiksha Aur mulyankan | December 2022 | ISSN: 2320-5474 |
| 4 | Unsung Freedom Fighter Maravan Seemai Maravan Chitrangudi Mylappan http://www.ugcjournal.com/IRAE | Dr.R.Praiya | Research Analysis and Evaluation | July 2022 | ISSN -0975-3486 ISSN - 2320-5482 |
| | A Generous ruler Rani Mangammal – A Study https://www.srjis.com/ | Dr.R.Praiya | Scholarly Research Journal for Interdisciplinary Studies, | June 2021 | ISSN :2319-4766 |
| 5 | An analyze of statues attire in the temples during Nayaks period. https://www.nijresearch.com/ | Dr. R. Praiya | Nilam International Research Journal of Arts and Culture | August 2020 | E-ISSN: 2582-2063 |

Proceedings

| S. No | Date of the Conference / Seminar | Name of the Conference/ Seminar | Name of the Institution | Title of the Paper | ISBN No. | Month & Year of Publication |
|-------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | 22 nd Feb 2023 | Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Epic and Secular Sculptures of Vijayanagara - Nayaks an Analysis | ISBN - 978-93-91987-90-9 | 22 nd February 2023 |
| 2 | 8 th Feb 2023 | Multidisciplinary Documents in Tamil Grammer and Literature | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Pala duraigalil kallthadam pathikkum thirukkural | ISBN 978-81-929395-3-7 | 8 th February 2023 |
| 3 | 19 th April 2022 | Historical Archaeology of Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | POTUMBU KATTUM PADIPPU ORU PARVAI (Tamil) | ISBN - 978-93-94899-47-6 | 19 th April 2022 |

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| 4 | 19 th April 2022 | Historical Archaeology of Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Recent New Findings of Pandya Period Inscriptions – A Study | ISBN - 978-93-94899-47-6 | 19 th April 2022 |
| 5 | 11 th Feb 2022 | Historical Approaches of Ritual and Customs in Nagaland and Tamilnadu State | Nagaland | Conservation of Katunayake's-A Study | ISBN - 978-81-957103-8-6 | 11 th February 2022 |
| 6 | January 2021 | LOCKDOWN IMPACTS | Virudhunagar | Lockdown Challenges in health care sector – A Study | ISBN: 978-93-90781-03-4 | January 2021 |
| 7 | Dec -2020 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | Exploring Pandya Rulers History Through Inscriptions in the Tamil Country | E-ISBN: 978-93-87865-44-0 | Dec 2020 |
| 8 | Dec 2020 | Prospects and Horizons in Commerce and Management | OF BY AND FOR YOU Publication, Kanyakumari. | Artificial Intelligence - Alexa – A Study | ISBN – 978 – 81-942871-1-7 | Dec 2020 |
| 9 | February 2020 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | Exploring History Through Digital Learning | ISBN - 978-93-89658-88-0 | February 2020 |
| 10 | 2019 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | lesson Teach by Covid -19 Pandemic and Steps need to Take | ISBN - 978-93-87865-35-8 | 2019 |
| 11 | 28 th December 2019 | Global Multidisciplinary Research Academic Foundation | Chennai | Status of Cases Children Sexual Abuse in Chennai City in 2018 | ISBN - 978-93-89658-04-0 | 28 th December 2019 |
| 12 | 20 th & 21 st March 2019 | Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Strengthening of Ability in Madurai Through Military by the Madurai Nayaks – A Study | ISBN: 978-93-88398-74-9 | 20 th and 21 st March 2019 |
| 13 | 11 th to 13 th October 2019 | Tamilnadu History Congress | Chennai | Multi-Dimensional Nature of Temple beyond a Mere Religious Institution in Medieval South India | ISSN:231 9-3808 | 11 th to 13 th Oct 2019 |

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| 14 | 1 st & 2 nd February 2018 | Empowerment, Social Justice, Inclusive Development: Issues & Perspectives of Tribal Tamil Nadu | MKU, Madurai | History of The Tribes of Tamil Nadu | ISBN 978- 93-5174- 212-2 | 1 st & 2 nd February 2018 |
| 15 | 23 rd & 24 th February 2017 | Human Rights Violation: Issues Related to the Downtrodden | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college | Remedies to Overcome the Human Rights Domestic Violations | ISBN 978- 93-85399- 62-6 | 23 rd & 24 th February 2017 |
| 16 | 14 th March 2016 | Wonder That was Madurai | | Sculptural Popularity of Meenakshi Amman Temple | ISBN 978 – 910124 – 5 – 3 | 14 th March 2016 |
| 17 | 29 th July 2016 | Socio-Cultural Settings of Pandya Country Up to 1736 A.D. | Devanga Arts College, Aruppukottai. | Sculptures of Madurai Meenakshi Amman temple | ISBN 978- 93-85977- 49-7 | 29 th July 2016 |
| 18 | 4 th May 2016 | Higher Education in India – New paradigms and challenges | Govt.First Grade College for Woman, Holenarasipura , Hassan, Karnataka. | Higher Education in India –A Study | ISBN:978- 93-85629- 18-1 | 4 th May 2016 |
| 19 | 18 th & 19 th March 2015 | Juvenile Justice in India | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Juvenile Justice In India | ISBN 978- 93-80686- 44-8 | 18 th & 19 th March 2015 |
| 20 | 22 nd August 2014 | Gender Equality in Higher – During the plan Periods | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Gender Equality in Higher Education | ISBN 978- 93-80686- 11-0 | 22 nd August 2014 |

14. Details of Books published :

| S. No | Title of the Book | Name of the Publisher | ISBN No | Year |
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| 1 | Juvenile Justice in India | Shanlax Publications, Madurai | ISBN 978-93-80686-44-8 | March 2015 |
| 2 | Human Rights Violation | Shanlax Publications, Madurai | ISBN 978-93-85399-62-6 | 23 rd & 24 th February 2017 |

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| 3 | Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Shanlax Publications, Madurai | ISBN 978-93-88398-74-9 | March 2019 |
| 4 | Historical Archeology of Tamilnadu | Shanlax Publications, Madurai | ISBN: 978-93-94899-47-6 | 19 th April 2022. |
| 5 | Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | ISBN 978-93-91987-90-9 | 22 nd February 2023 |
| 6 | Evolution of Woman's Rights in India | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | ISBN: 978-93-90203-91-8 | 12 th March 2024 |

15. Chapters in edited volumes :

| S. No | Title of the chapter in edited volume | Title of the Book | Name of the Publisher | ISBN No | Year |
|-------|--|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1. | Juvenile Justice in India | Juvenile Justice in India | Shan lax | 978-93-80686-44-8 | March 2015 |
| 2 | Human Rights Violation | Human Rights Violation | Shan lax | 978-93-85399-62-6 | 23 rd &24 th February 2017 |
| 3 | Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Military History of Tamil Country Through the Ages | Shan lax | 978-93-88398-74-9 | March 2019 |
| 4 | Pothumbu Kattum padippu – oru Parvai. | Historical Archeology of Tamilnadu | | ISBN: 978-93-94899-47-6 | 19 th April 2022. |
| 5 | Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Vijayanagar rule in Tamilnadu | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | 978-93-91987-90-9 | 22 nd February 2023 |
| 6 | Evolution of Woman's Rights in India | Legal Rights of Woman in India | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | ISBN: 978-93-90203-91-8 | 12 th March 2024 |

16. Bibliometrics of the publications based on Scopus Index/ Web of Science or Pub Med /
h-index Indian Citation Index

| S.No | Name of the Author/s | Title of the Paper | Name of the Journal | Month & Year of publication | No. of Citation Index | No. of H Index | Indexed in Scopus / Web of Science | Name of the Institution |
|------|-------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Dr.R.Praiy a & Lt S Rajagopal | Digital Learning through Information and Communication Technologies in History | Test Engineering & Management (ISSN: 0193-4120) | Vol. 83, pp.:713 – 718, Mar-Apr 2020 | 1 | - | Scopus - 12997 http://www.testmagzine.biz/index.php/testmagzine/article/view/3635/3189 | MTNC |

17. Details of Financial Support received from institution to attend conferences / Workshops / Seminars / Membership

| S. No | Name | Name of the Conference / Seminar/ Workshop/Membership | Name of the Institution / Body | Amount | Month & year |
|-------|---------------------------------|---|--|---------|--|
| 1 | Lt Dr S Rajagopal & DR R Praiya | National Conference on 79 th Indian History Congress | Barkatullah University, Bhopal, M.P. | 17707/- | 26 th to 28 th February 2019 |
| 2 | Lt Dr S Rajagopal & Dr.R.Praiya | Travel Expenses for Ranimangammal Life History Research | Chandragiri (AP), Achieves Chennai and back to Madurai | 5000/- | 8 th to 12 th January 2021 |
| 3 | Lt Dr S Rajagopal & Dr.R.Praiya | Travel Expenses for field research | Nochchikulam, in Tenkasi district and back | 3138/- | 13 th February 2022 |

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| 4 | Dr.R.Praiya | Travel Expenses | A.Veeriya Vandayar Memorial Sri Pushpam College (Autonomous) Poondi, Thanjavur | 2000 /- | 14 th to 16 th October 2022 |
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18. Details of Financial Support received from institution to publish Articles :

| S. No | Name of the Author / Authors | Title of the Paper | Title of the Journal | Month & Year of publication | Amount | UGC Care/ Scopus / Web of Science |
|-------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Dr.R.Praiya & Lt S Rajagopal | The Process of Increasing the Capacity of Women to Transform Society into Desired Outcome | Mukt Shabd Journal (ISSN: 2347-3150) | Vol. IX, Issue IV, pp.403-413; April 2020 | Rs 1500/- (Processing fee & print copy an Amount was expended part of Seed money from Institutional Project) | UGC CARE Gp-I |

19. Details of Revenue generated from consultancy

| S. No | Names of the Teacher | Name of consultancy project / Corporate Training Programme | Consulting / Sponsoring agency with contact details | Revenue generated (amount in rupees) | Total revenue generated in rupees | Number of Participants | Date |
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20. No. of Special Address Delivered :

(Guest Lectures, Conferences, Seminars, Workshops, Symposiums, Orientation, Refresher, NSS and Others)

| S. No | Name of the Programme | Name of the Institution | Topic | Date |
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| 1 | Chief Guest for Kid's Department | Padma Ramasamy Matriculation School | Animal Parade | 20 th July 2019 |
| 2 | National Integration Day | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | Constitution of India | 25 th January 2020 |
| 3 | Cute Mom Program | Padma Ramasamy Higher Secondary Education | Mother | 9 th March 2020 |
| 4 | Guest Lecture | Akila Uzhaga Kamban Vizha | - | 29 th to 31 st October 2021 |
| 5 | Guest Lecture | Vaigai College of Engineering, Madurai | Women In Leadership | 11 th March 2021 |
| 6 | Assessed and valued the models | E.M.Gopalakrishna Kone Yadava Women's College | Arts and Science Expo - 2022 | 8 th April 2022 |
| 7 | Guest Lecture | Padma Ramasamy Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Theni | Nathemedu An Unexcavated Archaeological Site in Theni District an Open Field Survey | 30 th April 2022 |
| 8 | Symbol of Unity | MTNC | Symbol of Unity | 29 th October 2022 |
| 9 | Thonmai pesuvom - Tamil Kovilgalin Kattadakazhi. | National Heritage Trust - Pondichery | Tamil Kovilgalin Kattadakazhi | 3 rd September 2022 |
| 10 | Chief Guest for 13th Annual Sports Meet 2022-23 | Padma Ramasamy Matric Higher Secondary Education | 13th Annual Sports Meet 2022-23 | 11 th January 2023 |
| 11 | Judging for inter school Competition - IGNITE 2023 | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College | IGNITE 2023 | 12 th January 2023 |
| 12 | International Women's Day -2023 | Vaigai Engg.College, Melur | Embrace Equity | 8 th March 2023 |
| 13 | RGNIYD three days Capacity building program - on Understanding of Rights and Goals to be achieved in Society | Manonmaniam Sundaranar University | Understanding of Rights and Goals to be achieved in Society | 13 th to 15 th March 2023 |

21. Number of Conferences, Seminars, Workshops and other Programmes Organized:

| S. No | Date | Name of the Programme | Role | Name of the Institution |
|--------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | 11 th July 2016 | Unnul utham sei | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |

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| 2 | 11 th August 2016 | How to face Competitive Examination (General Knowledge) | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 3 | 27 th August 2016 | How to face Competitive Examination” (Geography) | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 4 | 07 th September 2016 | How to face Competitive Examination (Tamil) | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 5 | 17 th July 2017 | Chase Your Dreams | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 6 | 4 th September 2017 | Best in the World | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 7 | 22 nd September 2017 | One Day State Level Symposium on Women and The Law | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 8 | 15 th September 2018 | How to approach Group II Examination | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 9 | 7 th January 2019 | The Art of Getting into Teaching Profession | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 10 | 22 nd February 2019 | Information Revolution and Its Impacts on Youth Empowerment | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 11 | 9 th March, 2019 | Self – Enhancement Programme (Better English... Better Life) | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 12 | 15 th July 2019 | How to break obstacle and reach the peak | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 13 | 17 th July 2019 | Tackling Techniques in Interview | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 14 | 19 th July 2019 | Peaceful uses of Atomic Energy | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 15 | 22 nd July 2019 | Pradhan Mantri Gramin Digital Saksha Abhiyaan | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 16 | 24 th July 2019 | Vetri Nichayam | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 17 | 25 th July 2019 | Career Opportunities in Central | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |

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| | | Government Sector | | |
| 18 | 2nd August 2019 | Career after UG/PG with Digital Literacy in Competitive Examinations | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 19 | 5th August 2019 | TNPSC Group IV Examination Preparation Guidance | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 20 | 20th August 2019 | Current Affairs Content Preparation for Group IV | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 21 | 29th August 2019 | Emailing of all current affairs to TNPSC enrolled students for quick exam reference | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 22 | 9th September 2019 | Resume Preparation | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 23 | 17th September 2019 | Preparation for Interview | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 24 | 20th September 2019 | Preparation for Interview | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 25 | 29th September 2019 | How to prepare Group II Examination | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 26 | 30th September 2019 | Preparation for IT company Interview | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 27 | 12th October 2019 | Web development | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 28 | 23 rd and 24 th February 2022 | Two Day State Level 'Training and Account Opening Campaign' | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 29 | 27 th January 2023 | Indian Architecture and introduction | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 30 | 30 th January 2023 | History for Competitive Examination | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 31 | 31 st January 2023 | Tourism A tool of Economic Development | Programme Organizer | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college |
| 32 | 07.02.2023 | Raja Raja Cholan | Programme | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker |

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| | | Foreign Conquest | Organizer | college. |
| 33 | 22 nd February 2023 | State level conference – Vijayanagar Rule in Tamilnadu | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 34 | 13 th September 2023 | Mannar Academy | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 35 | 14 th September 2023 | Tamilnadu Adi Dravidar Housing and Development Corporation Limited (TAHDCO) Training. | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 36 | 12 December 2023 | Awareness Programme on Medical Coding | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 37 | 15 th December 2023 | An Awareness Programme on How to Apply for Private Jobs through Various Portals | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 38 | 21 st December 2023 | Awareness Programme of Indian Culture | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |
| 39 | 5 th January 2023 | Orientation Programme on Vertical Solutions | Organizing Secretary | Mannar Thirumalai Naicker college. |

22. Other Services Rendered in the College :

(NAAC, IQAC, Sports, Cultural Activities, Hostel, Department Association, Placement, Club, Examination, etc.)

| S. No | Name of the Activity | From | To | Remarks |
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| 1 | Planning Evaluation Board | 2022 | Till date | Member |
| 2 | Placement officer | 2020 | Till date | Placement officer |
| 3 | IQAC Member | 2016 | Till date | Member |
| 4 | Research, University and UGC affairs committee | 2022 | 2023 | Member |
| 5 | Career Guidance Wing, Placement Cell, Centre for Competitive Examinations | 2019 | 2020 | Coordinator |

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| 6 | Centre For Competitive Examinations | 2018 | 2019 | Convenor |
| 7 | IQAC/AQAR Preparation committee | 2016 | 2021 | Member |
| 8 | Women Development Cell & Complaint committee | 2016 | 2019 | Member |
| 9 | Criterion VI – Governance and Leadership (NAAC) | 2016 | 2019 | Convenor |
| 10 | Press Committee | 2016 | 2019 | Member |
| 11 | Research, University and UGC affairs committee | 2016 | 2017 | Member |
| 12 | Grievance and redressal & Counseling | 2016 | 2017 | Member |
| 13 | Physics lab stock verification committee | 2015 | 2018 | Member |

23. Articles Published in Tamil Journals:

| S.No. | Title of the paper | Name of Journal | Month & Year |
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| 1. | Anbin Sudar Arivin Vidiyal Aasiriyarkal | Dinamalar | 4 th September 2018 |
| 2. | Iraivan Thantha Arputhangal | Dinamalar | 13 th November 2018 |
| 3. | Pirappukkum Ellam Uyirkkum | Dinamalar | 12 th December 2018 |
| 4. | Thukkumedaikku Anjadha Maaveeran | Dinathanthi | 3 rd January 2019 |
| 5. | Samaniyan Uruvaagiya Sarithiram | Dinathanthi | 5 th May 2019 |
| 6. | Veerathin Vilai Nilam Theeran Chinnamalai | Dinathanthi | 31st July 2019 |
| 7. | Manithathin Menmai Manidhaneyam | Dinathanthi | 9 th Sep 2019 |
| 8. | Penpuli Nurjahan | Dinathanthi | 17 th December 2019 |
| 9. | Purachchiyin Puthumai Bhagat Singh | Dinathanthi | 23rd March 2020 |
| 10. | Nam Sudhandhiram Nam Kaikalil | Dinamalar | 15 th August 2020 |
| 11. | Meenatchiyin Aatchi Thandha Mannan | Dinamalar | 26th January 2021 |

24. Any Other Distinction :

New Inscription Discovery

| S.No. | Name of the Inscription | News paper | Month & Year |
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| 1. | Pandya Era stone inscription found in Theni District | The Hindu | 13 th June 2020 |
| 2. | Inscription Found at Pradukkaranpatti. Theni District | Hindu | 14 th June 2020 |
| 3. | Inscription Found at Pradukkaranpatti. Theni District. | Dinathanthi | 14 th June 2020 |
| 4. | 400Year old Nayak Stone Inscription found at Avaniyapuram in Madurai District. | The Times of India. | 28 th March 2021 |
| 5. | 400Year old Nayak Stone Inscription found at Avaniyapuram in Madurai District. | The Hindu | 28 th March 2021 |
| 6. | 250Year old Stone Inscription found at Thenparankundram in Madurai District. | The Times of India. | 4 th April 2021 |
| 7. | 250Year old Stone Inscription found at Thenparankundram in Madurai District. | Dinamani | 4 th April 2021 |
| 8. | 250Year old Stone Inscription found at Saravanapoigai, Tirupparankundram in Madurai District. | The Hindu | 20 th November 2021 |
| 9. | 200 years old inscription temple Chatiram found near Madurai | Dinamani | 25 th January 2022 |
| 10. | 200 years old inscription temple Chatiram found near Madurai | The Hindu | 26 th January 2022 |
| 11. | 800-year-old Second Pandiyar inscription found in an agricultural land in Nochchikulam | Dinamalar | 15 th February 2022 |
| 12 | Kanmai Madayil Vattelluthu KAlvettu, Usilampatti. | Dinathanthi | 15 th May 2022 |

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| 13 | 1100 years of Vattelluthu Kalvettu, Usilampatti. | Indhu tamil Disai | 16 th May 2022 |
| 14 | 1100 years of Vattelluthu Kalvettu, Usilampatti. | Dinamani | 15 th May 2022 |
| 15 | 1100 years of Vattelluthu Kalvettu, Usilampatti. | Dinamalar | 15 th May 2022 |
| 16 | 1100 years of Vattelluthu Kalvettu, Usilampatti. | Dinakaran | 15 th May 2022 |
| 17 | 4000 Years old parai oviyam and koogaigal, Thirupparankundram. | Dinathanthi | 11 th August 2022 |
| 18 | 4000 Years old parai oviyam and koogaigal, Thirupparankundram. | Dinamani | 10 th August 2022 |
| 19 | 400-Year-old Inscription find at Rajathani, Theni District | The Hindu | 12 th September 2022 |
| 20 | Ancient Temple Discover near Alanganallur. | The Hindu | 28 th March 28 2023 |
| 21 | 1000 Yrs of old Late pandiya Temple, Alaganallur | Dinamalar | 28 th March 28 2023 |
| 22 | Pandiya mannargalal Kattapaatta Perumal Kovil, Alaganallur | Dinathanthi | 30 th March 2023 |
| 23 | 1000 Yrs of old Late pandiya Temple, Alaganallur | Dinamani | 27 th March 2023 |
| 24 | Inscription on a family war | Dinamalar | 6 th December 2023 |

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| S. No | Description |
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Lieutenant S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya Assistant Professors of History, Mannar Thirumalai Nayakar College, Madurai, have together discovered 13th century Later Pandiya's inscription, found in between Rosanapatti and Pradukkarnapatti villages in Aundipatti Taluk, Theni district. The inscription is a stone slab of four feet long and one foot wide. The inscription stone has available between the agricultural land and the public road. The inscription stone's half was inside the soil, while the other half of the inscription was outside on the soil. This donation inscription is incomplete with seven lines. With the help of Archaeologist, Dr.C. Santhalingam, the information presented in this inscription was read. According to this later Pandya inscription, incomplete words were found about the donation provided by a citizen "Thirupuvan konna Angarayan to a small chieftain E Kilangudi Thevar Thondaiman". This news published in Dinathanti on 14 June 2020; Dinamalar on 13 June 2020.



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9th Century, 1st Pandiya Era, Oil press inscription discovered in 27 July 2020 near V.Periyakulam and Saranthanki village in Vadipatti Tk in Madurai District. The Vatteluthu stone inscription says cekku was made by Kāṭaṇ Utta Nādi.



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13th century 2nd Pandiyas period land boundary inscription in agricultural field in Sadayalpatti village, Bodi Taluk, Theni District in 18 Jan 2021. Dr. S. Rajagopal verified a large size stone was buried half in the soil and half outside in the farmland. He also discovered that It was found that some lines of ancient Tamil script inscribed on it and took estampage with the help of the landowner.





The stone carving is 1 ½ feet wide and 2 feet long. Some symbols on the upper edges of this inscription found to be damaged due to natural environment. The inscription is engraved with Tamil characters in five lines. As per the inscription inscribed style, the inscription around 800 years old and dates back to the late 13th century Pandyan period. The inscription is engraved on the south side of the stone as (“SAVASTSRĪ SAVANANAR NILATTUKKU TEN ELLAI”) "Southern boundary to the land of Savast Sri Savanar". This news published in The Times of India on 18 Jan 2021; Dinamalar on 20 Jan 2021.


4.


A team consists of Lieutenant Dr.S.Rajagopal, Dr.R.Praiya Archeological activists of Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College professionals and students discovered a rare 400 year old nayak inscription at Papamadai, Avaniyapuram village in Madurai district. Discovered a twin stone pillars, 10 feet in height and one and half feet in breadth. In a single pillar two inscriptions are



discovered. First inscription revealing 19 lines inscribed with the first 3 letters in Telugu invoking devotional word. This inscription also says the Madurai Nayak dynasty, the 6th King “Veerappa Nayaka Ayan is being thanked profusely by one Algatchiyar Pillai regarding the Kings donation and constructing a sluice for the local irrigation purposes”. The second inscriptions engraved at the eastern side of the same pillar. The beginning words is in the dilapidated condition due to natural calamity. This news published in Dinamani on 22 March 2021; The

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| | Hindu on 24 March 2021.and Times of India in 28 March 2021. |
| 5 | <p>A team consisting of Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal, Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors of History from Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College along with final year history undergraduate students have discovered a 250 years old stone inscription and they find out a three feet height and one feet breath the slab inscription on the way of the Thenparankundram Jain cave temple. The inscription describes the donations in front of Kunpandiyan Kovil has been discovered at Thenparankundram in Madurai district. This This donation inscription was set up on the Girivalam or Circumambulation path of the Lord Thiruparankundram Subramania Swami darshan. As per the script inscribed style, this inscription is dated 18th-19th Century. There are 20 lines inscribed on the stone in Tamil script. This inscription says that "Uthandarama Servaikaran son of Nagalapadi Veerasinnu Servaikaran, was donated water distribution shed (Neer Panthal), Nandavanam (Flower garden) and also a well construction in front of the Koonpandiyan temple." This news published in The Hindu and Published in Dinamani on 4 Apr 2021.</p>  |
| 6 | <p>A team of Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors, Department of History from Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai have conducted a field study of the historic imperative inscriptions scattered on the ground at the foothills of Thirupparankundram, in Madurai. During their field study of the college assistant professors, they discovered a 105 year old an inscription related to donation, which is found on the left side of the Girivalam or Circumambulation path of the Thiruparankundram Subramania Swamy temple enroute. This inscription is located inside of the 167 Kirama 24 Manai Telugu Chettiar Uravinmurai building. The stone slab inscription consists of a four feet height and one feet width which is found on the way to the near Saravanapoigai of Subramania Swamy temple. This inscription is engraved in the early quarter of the 20th Century. This stone slab is inscribed with 26 lines of Tamil script. This inscription says that "in the mandapa, for the benefit of community people, Kanthan chettiyar son of Maharaja Sri Mattapparai Konanch chettiar belong to a resident of Singarathoppu in Chennai pattanam and his wife Jithammal, a daughter of Komanampatti Bomman chettiar their donated money for digging and construction of a well on 5th June 1914. The well may be constructed to fulfil</p>  |

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| | <p>the requirement of devotees drinking water facility and for bathing for the benefit of the general public during the journey of the Girivalam of the pilgrimage. This donation inscription was set up on the Girivalam path of the Thiruparankundram Subramania Swamy temple. This inscription information read out with assistance of retired archaeologist Dr. C. Santhalingam of Madurai. This news published in The Hindu and Published in Dinathanti - Tamil on 20 Nov 2021; & Dinamalar in 21 Nov 2021.</p> |
| <p>7</p> | <p>Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors of the Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Nayakkar College conducted a field study on the discovery of inscriptions in and around Alankanallur, Madurai District. They discovered 200 years old a temple, a chathiram and nine inscriptions.</p> <p>The temple and the Chathram are surrounded by fertile farmlands which were safeguarded by the Chervaikarars the names of those as follows: Maniyan Cheruvaikkaran, Kumara Irulappa Cheruvaikkaran, Muthirulandi Cheruvaikkaran, Kumara Sonai Cheruvaikkaran, Alagayi, Virai, Chennammal Kumaran Veeran Cheruvaikkaran, Kumaran Subramania Cheruvaikkaran. the words Chatram, Kinaru, Thoppu, Urani, Sivam and Vinayagan Thunai are also found in the Ganesha Temple built by Kumaran Subramania Cheruvaikkarar. In memory of these Chervaikarars who dedicated their lives in meticulously safeguarding the lands, the sculptures of the Servaikarars are installed, additional interesting information is that the sculptures of their spouses also find a place along with them.</p> <p>The upper part of the temple is adorned with bas-relief sculptures wherein we find exquisitely carved figures of four-feet fish, bird swallowing a snake, and worshipping devotee. The Chervaikarars who were prominent in this area two hundred years ago were highly philanthropic and since this was a busy path connecting various places it was abound travellers who were taken care of by the Servaikarars with great dedication. Not only lands but their attitudes too were fertile which made the journey of the travellers' hunger-free and safe also. The inscriptions found in this temple and in Chattaram were read with the help of S Santalingam. Former Assistant Director of the Archaeological Survey of Tamil Nadu. This news published in Dinamalar on 25 Jan 2022, The Hindu on 26 Jan 2022.</p>  |


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| <p>8</p> | <p>A new, 800 year old Second Pandiyar inscription has been found in an agricultural land in Nochchikulam village in Alangulam circle of Tenkasi district. The team comprising of Lt Dr.S.Rajagopal and Dr.R. Piraya, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Nayakkar College, Madurai were engaged in a field study on the historically significant ancient inscriptions scattered on the ground floor under the direction of the College President and Secretary. They found a cylindrical stone half buried in the farmland and half out. The excavation was carried out with the help of Appaya Nayak, the owner of the land. The carving is 5 feet high, half a foot wide at the top and one foot wide at the bottom. This cylindrical stone rests on a rectangular shaped stone. The inscription is dated to 1294 - 1295 during the reign of King Kulasekara Pandyan, later Pandya ruler. Here the lines of Pitagai Karulapayar Nalandi under Kallaka Nadu donated in the Tamil year Saya are found. The inscription dates back to the 13th century. There are 18 lines in this inscription. Of these, 13 lines are clear and the remaining five lines are ambiguous. This news published in Dinajeyam, TOI, Dinamalar and Thinakathir on 15 Feb 2022.</p> |  |
| <p>9</p> | <p>A team consisting of Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors, Department of History from Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai have conducted a field study in NalatinPuthur Village Kammai in Kovilpatti Taluk, Tuticorin. They discovered a madai construction and donation an inscription is engraved in the early quarter of the 20th Century. In a 9 feet stone inscribed with 25 lines of Tamil script. This madai was constructed by “MUDUKU MEENDANPATTI MAHARAJAR RASAMANI JEGAVEERA ETTAPPANAICKER MAPILLAI SOTHIYA SEVITHA MADAI”</p> |  |

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Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors of the Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Nayakkar College conducted a field study on the discovery of ancient inscriptions in and around Alankanallur, Madurai District. They found a



dilapidated unworshipped a thousand-year-old post-Pandyan temple in midst of trees. In this temple, the Garbhagiragam, Arthamandapam and Mahamandapam are found in a completely dilapidated condition. The contribution of the later Pandya, Vijayanagara and Nayaka kings are shown through the evident of the architecture such as Mahamandapam, Arthamandapam and sculpture. There is no idol in the sanctum sanctorum of the temple. But there is an ample evidence that it may have been a Vaishnava temple. On the pillars at the entrance of the temple, a four-foot-tall statue of Garudhalvar and an Anginaeyar make it clear that the temple belongs to the Vaishnava shrine. The pillars of the temple have sculptures of Vaishnavism such as the conch, the wheel, and the Narasimhar. The temple is beautifully decorated with embossed sculptures of dancers and embossed sculptures of female maternity. The sendu symbol between two fish figures which falls from the roof of the entrance of the temple, proves that the temple belongs to the Second Pandyan period. The rectangular Mahamandapam has pillars with artistic intricacies. Also the statues on the bottom of the pillars in the Mahamandapam are buried in the soil to a height of at least one foot. Broken statues of males and females standing and seated are found in the Mahamandapam. The Ardhmandapam and the Garbhagraha are in a state of complete disrepair. A line inscription of Narayana Perumal is engraved on the entrance of the temple between Mahamandapam and Garbhagiragam. Also, in the Mahamandapam, the name Alhagar is engraved on the right side. But no inscription has been found regarding the construction of the temple or the donation or the puja method. According to the public, during the reign of King Thirumalai Nayak, the people of the area used to come to the temple to offer alms during the Chithrai festival. The temple is surrounded by alluvial soil. The temple is built entirely of black stone, on a silt floor. It is believed that the temple was destroyed due to invasions and the heavyweight of the stones. The professors said that it is true that by maintaining the temple properly, future generations would have the opportunity to learn about the architecture, sculpture and antenatal medicine of the Tamils. C. Sandalingam, the former Deputy Director of the Department of Archaeology, confirmed the temple belongs to a post-

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| | <p>Pandiyar period. This news published in The Hindu, Dinamalar and Dinamani on 28 March 2022, and Published in Dinathanti -Tamil on 30 March 2022.</p> |
| <p>11</p> | <p>A team Dr.R.Praiya and Lt.Dr.S.Rajagopal, Assistant Professor of Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College have been found an 1100 year old Vatteluthu inscription at Thirumanikam, a village in Peraiyur taluka, Madurai, is about twenty-five kilometers from Usilampatti. Periyakanmai village is located under the beneath of the Western Ghat. It is also known as Thirumanikkam Periyakanmai. This place serves as a drainage ground from the Western Ghats. At present there are one hundred drainage in Madurai. This big water reservoir (kanmai) is just one of them. From this water reservoir, water is distributed to three villages namely Thirumanikkam, Meenatchipuram and T.Ramanathapuram. The capacity of this water reservoir is 1.832 million cubic meters. The area covered by water is 148.2 hectares. The catchment area, the depth of the gorge and the length of the gorge are 60.38 sq km, 2.57 m and 3300 m (3,3 km) respectively. The strategic area of the land is 313.99 acres. There are eight-foot parallel pillars on the east side of the Great water reservoir. These two parallel pillars are connected by two four feet stone planks. On the north pillar of the parallel pillar, on the north side, alphabet letters are engraved. These inscriptions belong to 9th and 10th century.</p>  <p>This Vatteluthu inscription was earlier discovered but due to natural erosion it was not correctly read by researchers. As per our researcher it consists 13 lines. This inscription says, Sangarathattan, a goldsmith from Koodarkkudi (which is RR Nagar in Viruthunagar District) Vembangudi Madai and paid tax for that (previously it was read as Kasiva Karana Thaattan constructed this Madai). And from this Kanmai three villages such as Thirumanikkam, Meenatchipuram and T.Ramanathapuram received water for irrigation, three times in a year. This inscription information read out with assistance of retired archaeologist Dr. C. Santhalingam of Madurai. This news published in Dinamalar, Dinamani, Dinakaran and Dinamani in 15 May 2022.</p> |



A team consisting of Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College History Department Assistant Professors and inscription enthusiasts Dr. S. Rajagopal, Dr.R. Praiya, also Historical Sociologist S. Aswath, Thavasi, Ajay Kumar, were engaged in a field study of inscriptions and paintings. They discovered a 4000-year-old rock painting and a cave at Perumal Hill, Madurai South Taluk, Madurai.

Perumal Hill also known as Karadipatti Hill is about 3 kilometers from Keezhakuilgudi. Currently, this Perumal hill is declared a protected area



under the Archaeological Survey of India. Now a rock of this Digambara Jain hill is newly discovered to have a human figure clothed in crimson color. The head of the standing human figure looks like a small triangular nail head. Two clothed legs are clearly visible. This painting is about 4000 years ago, says a former archeologist of Tamil Nadu Dr.S.Santhalingam has confirmed. And many paintings are found around it in a ruined state. Extinct paintings are particularly difficult to find. So, by scanning these rock paintings through 3D scanning with modern technology one can see the true full replica of the paintings. About 100 meters from this sketch rock, two Neolithic caves have been newly discovered by the above team in a thick bush area hidden by rough rocks that are not inhabited by humans. Each cave can accommodate about 10 to 12 people. A natural water tank 10 feet long, 6 feet wide and 6 feet deep is found at the top of the hill for the drinking water required for daily life by the people who lived in the caves. 10 feet in front of this cave is a natural high rock. The interior surface of the cave has been detonated on the backside of the mountain, causing the surface of the cave to crumble under the shock. Dr. S. Rajagopal, and Dr.R.Praiya said that more historical facts can be discovered by improving the research in this place and removing the ruins of the cave. This news published in Dinanthanthi and Dinamani on 11 August 2022

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A team consisting of Dr.R.Praiya, Lieutenant. Dr. S. Rajagopal, Assistant Professors, Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Nayakar College, Madurai, and social activist Thiru S. Aswath were engaged filed study to the research of vital inscription around of southern district of Tamilnadu. The team has recently discovered a 400-year-old Madurai Nayak period donation inscription and took estampage. This stone inscription has been found opposite Vinayagar temple in Rajadhani village, Aundipatti taluk, Theni district. Originally, this inscription was installed during renovation work by Madurai Nayak at the ancient Pandya Meenakshi Sundareswarar temple at Rajadhani. Now, this temple has a fully dilapidated condition and is located en-route from Aundipatti to Velapparkovil. Knowingly unknowingly the village committee leaders shifted this inscription and installed it in front of the Vinayagar temple of Rajadhani village.

During the field study, the team found the inscription. The stone inscription consists of 3 feet in height and one foot in width. It has been engraved in Tamil-scripts, inscribed in the early quarter of the 17th Century. The inscription contains 11 lines on the eastern side and 16 lines on the western side of the stone slab. On the front side of the stone, an inscription has found the Vaishnava symbol, the sun, the moon, and a lotus flower with some buried letters on the north side. There are no letters on the south side of the stone. By expressing the conformity of Bodhi Naicker this inscription was installed. This stone inscription says that the Kandamanayakanur Palayakkarar Veerakandama Naicker received the donation from Muthu Veerappa Nayak, the sixth ruler of the Madurai Nayakdom in 1621-1622 AD. The donation inscription expresses that, the bounded lands of Kandamanayakanur, a Patti for keeping cattle, donated land to Brahmins and temples. This information was read out with the help of a retired Archaeologist of Tamilnadu Dr. C. Santhalingam of Madurai. Like that some inscriptions and some stone uncared stone sculptures are scattered surrounding the area. Both history professors' and his team is searching for more inscriptions in the surrounding area. It is expected that more exploration will help more Madurai ruler information and

Knadamanayakkanur local administration details in a fresh light. This news published in Dinamani and Dinamalar Madurai and Dindigul on 12 Oct 2022 and The Hindu on 15 Sep 2022.

14 A team consisting of Lieutenant. Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr.R.Praiya, Assistant Professors, Department of History, and III Year History student Ajay of Mannar Thirumalai Nayakar College, Madurai, were engaged in filed study to the research about inscription around southern district of Tamilnadu. The team has recently discovered a 200-year-old Karuppasami Temple Inscription of Eliyarpattin in Madurai. This slab stone inscription says about the construction of the temple from a donation made by the villagers. Both professors took estampage of the inscription information was read out with the help of a retired Archaeologist of Tamilnadu Dr. C. Santhalingam of Madurai. This information published in Aavanam Issue 33/2022.



15 Lieutenant. Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr.R.Praiya, Assistant Professors, of Mannar Thirumalai Nayakar College, Madurai, were discovered a 400-year-old t in Tiralli Village of Thirumangalam Taulk in Madurai District. This news published in Dinathanthi on 6 Dec 2023 Dinamai on 07 Dec 2023 and Times of India in Chennai on 09 Dec 2023.



Meeting with Tamilnadu Chief Minister and Requesting *Excavate a new Archaeological site Nathammedu In Theni District.*

Lieutenant Dr. S. Rajagopal and Dr. R. Praiya, Assistant Professors Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College conducted a field study and they have discovery an *Unexcavated Archaeological settlement a Nathammedu in between Rosanapatti and Pradukkarnapatti villages under Thirumalapuran Panchayat in Aundipatti Taluk, Theni district.* In the surrounding of Nathammedu the glittering artefacts and objects found. So many



small size stone wet grinder, *ammikal, decorated polished potteries, huge broken potteries, flint stones, metal coins (by local villagers) and partially melted iron ore were discovered.* Potteries are read and back colour and much thicker in size. Some decorated potteries and graffiti marks are also found in the field visit. It is believed that it may be a Sangam ancient site. Also destructed conditions, so many poor and partially white stone sculptures are found at Nathammedu unexcavated site which is belonging to second half of 8th Century in first Pandya period. But no temple stone structure was observed. However, recently some female goddess's broken head was placed in a basement and called Nachiyar Temple. A 4 feet height Buddha stone statue also found in this site. As per Dr. C. Santhalingam, a retired Tamilnadu State Archaeology Department, has very clearly says that the 'statue of Buddha was vital evidence to understand the occurrence of Buddhism in the southern part of Tamilnadu during 10th C.E' So in this unexcavated site Buddha statue may be in 10th C.E. Also, two new inscriptions discovered around the site in June 2020 and it says about land donation which means it belongs to the 13th century later Pandya period. So, this unexcavated site since Sangam period onwards may be present and due to unknown reason, this site's resident people were left the area. Therefore, it is finally come to consequences of this site continually living site/active site since Sangam period to till date. Regarding this new site excavation both professors gave a brief description a booklet has handover to Honorable Chief Minister of Tamilnadu Thiru MK Stallion on 30 April 2022 in Vaigai Dam, Theni. Both Professors requested to Chief Minister of Tamilnadu conduct excavation at this Nathammedu atleast 5 to 10 trenches. It may be similar to Keeladi, Konthagai, Agaram, Manalur and will reveal more information of Tamilaham history within one meter of the site. Also, Nathammedu site update history to the people. Also, both professors assured their willingness and ready to extend full cooperation in the event of an excavation at this site and make every effort to uncover the historical truth. Regarding this, they also Met with Theni

DistrictCollectorThiru.Muralidharanregarding excavationat *Archaeologicalsettlement* Nathammedu on 14 May 2022 DistrictCollector also visited the site with both professors and other officials on 15 May 2022.



25. Membership in Academic/Professional Bodies:

| S.No | Name of the Body | Capacity |
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| 1 | Indian Academy of Social Science | Life fellow Member |
| 2 | Pandya Nadu Cultural Foundation | Annual Member |
| 3 | South Indian History Congress | Life fellow Member |
| 4 | World History Congress | Life Time member |
| 5 | Tamilnadu History congress | Life Time member (6278) |
| 6 | Archeological Society | Life Time member (1047) |
| 7 | Indian History congress | Life time Member (02493) |