

# Dr. B. Athmanathan

## Research Coordinator

Teaching History and Certificate in Travel and Tourism Undergraduate Students. Reading palm leaves and inscriptions, conducting field surveys, and guiding researchers to archaeological sites.

## Work History

**2020**                      **Research Coordinator**  
*Centre for Historical Research at Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College*

Creating awareness about history among students. Striving tirelessly for the growth and development of the college.

Obtaining financial assistance from central state governments for courses related to inscription, archaeology and tourism. Publication of a book on the history of the Nayak kings in a simple manner for people from all walks of life to understand. Especially, revealing the history of King Thirumalai Nayak and Rani Mangammal through inscriptions and copperplates.

Organising monthly lectures, field work and annual seminars. Review of history of Nayak kings through field study. Bringing together students and history experts to train students and history enthusiasts. To sign MoU with State Department of Archaeology and Museums. To Conduct a meeting regarding Jain religious monuments in Madurai and organising a one day tour. Facilitating central government degree courses such as Archives, Museums, Museology, Archaeology and Epigraphy etc. through our study centre for all college students to learn and train without discrimination of various fields.

Bringing certificate course on Madurai Nayaks. (Certificate in History of the Nayaks of Madura)

Conducting field surveys at places of historical and archaeological importance, recording and investigating antiquities, artefacts, statues, paintings, coins, inscriptions and Palm leaves and publish news about them as texts.



## Contact

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### WWW

<https://www.mannarcollege.ac.in/UserPanel/DisplayPage.aspx?page=cacea&ItemID=cacsi>

### WWW

<https://www.pchrmaidurai.com/administrator.jws>

## Skills

Document filing



Client Support



Database entry

Setting up a small library to help historical researchers and enthusiasts and collect rare books related to inscriptions of Nayaks of Madurai, Archaeology, Archives Keeping and Museology.

2018-2019

### Junior Research Coordinator

Department of Research and Training at TVS Lakshmi Vidya Sangham Visited The TVS Schools which was running by Lakshmi Vidhya Sangham , worked there, Monitoring students activities and topics chosen for Projects based on the School activities

2015-02

### Assistant Professor (ADHOC)

Department of History, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College Handled classes for the Under Graduate students and motivating students to know about Ancient Monuments

2011- 2018

### Assistant Secretary

#### Pandyanadu Centre for Historical Research

- Creating awareness about history among students.
- Striving tirelessly for the growth and development of the college.
- Obtaining financial assistance from central state governments for courses related to inscription, archaeology and tourism.
- Facilitating training in writing and reading Telugu language with ease and bringing Certificate and Diploma courses through Centre for Historical Research.
- Publication of a book on the history of the Nayak kings in a simple manner for people from all walks of life to understand. Especially, revealing the history of King Thirumalai Nayak and Rani Mangammal through inscriptions and copperplates.
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Travel Arrangements



Meeting planning



Schedule Coordination



File Management



Document Preparation



Data Entry



Microsoft Office Suite



Records Management



Electronic Records Management



Administrative Support



Travel administration



Report Preparation



Document conversion



Clerical Support



Proposal Writing



Document retrieval

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- Setting up a small library to help historical researchers and enthusiasts and collect rare books related to inscriptions of Nayaks of Madurai, Archaeology, Archives Keeping and Museology.
- Coordinated events, meetings, and conferences for seamless execution and positive stakeholder experience
- Developed strong working relationships with colleagues through effective collaboration on shared tasks
- Contributed to a positive work environment by maintaining a clean, organized office space that promoted efficiency

## Education

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2017

**Ph.D**

*Madurai Kamaraj University*

- Grade: I
- Subjects: History

2008

**M.Phil.**

*Madurai Kamaraj University*

- Grade: I
- Percentage: 68%
- Subjects: History



Expense Reporting



Bookkeeping



Project Planning



Presentation Design



Mail Management



Recordkeeping



Multitasking Abilities



Self Motivation



Critical Thinking



Project Schedule Coordination



Writing reports



Editing and proofreading



Professionalism



Microsoft Office



Report Development



Document and File Management

2005-2007

**M.A.**

*SHS Madurai Kamaraj University - Madurai Tamilnadu*

- Grade: I
- Percentage: 72.44%
- Subjects: History

2002-2005

**B.A.**

*Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College - Madurai Tamilnadu*

- Grade: II
- Percentage: 59.7%
- Subjects: History

2001-2002

**HSC**

*Thiagarajar Model Higher Secondary School - Madurai Tamilnadu*

- Grade: I
- Percentage: 78.33%
- Subjects: Arts

2000-2000

**SSLC: History**

*Thiagarajar Model Higher Secondary School - Madurai Tamilnadu*

- Grade: I
- Percentage: 68.6%
- Subjects: State Board

## Affiliations

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- Annual Membership in Indian History Congress
- Life Membership in South Indian History Congress
- Annual Membership in Tamil Nadu History Congress
- Life Membership in AVANAM – Thanjavur University
- Life Membership in Pandyanadu Centre for Historical Research

## Participations

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- Aspirant's Quench – 2004, Annual Inter Collegiate Quiz Competition of Sri Kaliswari College, Sivakasi
- Skill Scaler 2005 of PSNA College of Engineering and Technology, Dindigul



Social Media Updating



Program files maintenance



Meeting Arrangements



Filing and data archiving



Clear Communication



Schedule Maintenance



Website Updating



Travel Planning



Meeting participation



Written Communication



Adaptability and Flexibility



## Software

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Sources Collecting and Typing



Reading Inscriptions and Copper Plates



## Languages

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Tamil

- Economic Condition of Tamilnadu under the Nayaks - A Historical Survey of Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Pasumalai, Madurai
- The Role of India in International Relations Emerging Trends at N.M.S.S.Vellaichamy Nadar College, Madurai
- Myth and Reality in History: Correcting Perspectives at School of Historical Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
- Cultural Heritage of Tamil Nadu at Lady Doak College Madurai
- Preparation of Self Instructional Materials at Directorate of Distance Education, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
- Conservation of Bronze Sculptures at Government Museum, Chennai and Government Museum Madurai
- Workshop on Epigraphy and Archaeology at Department of Archaeology, Chennai and Central Institute of Classical Tamil (CICT), Chennai
- Recent Trends in Historical Research at School of Historical Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
- Annual Session of South Indian History Congress at Department of Indian History, University of Madras
- Annual Session of South Indian History Congress at Department of History, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala
- Workshop on Epigraphy and Archaeology at Department of Archaeology, Chennai
- Annual Session of Tamilnadu Archaeological Society at Pandyanadu Centre for Historical Research, Madurai



English



Hindi



Sanskrit



## Papers Presented

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- South Indian History Congress, Dhanuskodi - The Forgotten Coastal Town, Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh, 01/19/08, Published
- South Indian History Congress, Historiocity of Dhanuskodi, Abheshekapatti, Tirunelveli, 01/29/09, Published
- Co – Operative Arts & Science College, Various Forms of Lord Vishnu and Lord Siva with Special reference to Gajendra Moksha and Gajasamharamurthi, Madayi,

Kannur, Kerala, 02/06/10, Published

- Tamil Nadu History Congress, Seaports, Coastal Cities in India and its Trade contacts, Vallam, Thanjavur, 09/19/08
- Tamil Nadu History Congress, The Yeomen Services of Vijayanagara Nayaks in Madurai, N.G.M. college, Pollachi, 10/08/10
- State Level Seminars, The Forgotten Women Freedom Fighters in Civil Disobedience Movement, Palani, Arulmigu Palaniandavar Arts College, 02/27/08
- State Level Seminars, Kinnimangalam New Inscriptions, Thanjavur, 07/19/14
- State Level Seminars, Child Labour Problems, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai, 03/18/15
- State Level Seminars, Clashes between Indian Religions and its impact – Human Rights Violation, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai, 02/23/17

## Publications

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**Dhanuskodi - A Paradise Lost**, Sharada Publishing House, Delhi, 978-93-83221-45-5, 2022

**Varalartunokkil Madurai Nayakkargal ( in Tamil), (Upcoming)** Centre for Historical Research, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai, 2024

## References

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- **Mr. M.Vijayaraghavan**, Secretary, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Pasumalai, Madurai, 9843058844
- **Dr. A. Ramasubbiah**, Principal, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Pasumalai, Madurai, 9842163687
- **Mr. Thangam Thennarasu**, Minister for Finance and Archaeology, Government of Tamilnadu,
- **Mr. Balaguru**, Thangapandian Educational Trust, Mallankinaru, Virudhunagar District
- **Ms. Mythili Sundararajan**, Assistant Director, Lakshmi Vidya Sangham(TVS Schools), Madurai, 9787707011
- **Ms. Selvi Santosham**, Administrative Head, Lakshmi Vidya Sangham(TVS Schools), Madurai, 9843420688
- **Dr.G.Sethuraman**, Senior Professor, Head & Chairperson (Retd), School of Fine Arts & Aesthetics, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, 9443393494

- **Dr.T.Ramaswamy**, Professor, Head & Chairperson (Retd), School of Historical Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, 9443075386
- **Dr.B.S.Chandrababu**, Professor, Head & Chairperson (Retd), School of Historical Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, 9486162147
- **Dr.C.Santhalingam**, Assistant Director of Archaeology, (Retd) Government of Tamilnadu

## Personal Information

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- Category: General
- Father's Name: **S.BALAGANAPATHY**
- Mother's Name: **B.LOGANAYAKI**
- Date of Birth: 11/24/1983
- Nationality: INDIAN
- Religion: HINDU , BRAHMIN

## Accomplishments

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- Collaborated with team of PCHR in the development of Memorial Stones Project

## Interests

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Watching Historical Movies , Visiting Heritage Monuments, discovering inscriptions, Collecting rare books, Palm Leaves, Copper Plates and Documentary Movies

## Disclaimer

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