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## Personal Details

Name - Dr. A. VIJAYAKANTH  
Designation - Assistant Professor and Head  
Academic Qualification - M.A., M.Phil., Ph.D.

## Teaching Experience

- UG – 20 Years
- PG – 17 Years
- Research – 8 Years

## Area of Specialization

- Development Economics

## Research Supervisor

- Recognised Research Supervisor for M.Phil., (Full Time and Ph.D. (Full Time and Part Time)
- Guiding Ph.D Scholars
  - 4 Scholars Pursuing Ph.D.
  - 3 Scholars Got Awarded Ph.D. Degree.
  - 1 M.Phil., Scholar / Academic Year Since 2019-2020
- Guiding M.A., Projects
  - Yes

## Research Activities

- Advisory Editorial Board

- Emperor International Journal for Management and Research (EIJMR)
- **Major/Minor Research Project**
  - University Grants Commission Major Research Project
    - \* Project Duration: 2014 - 2016.
    - \* Project Title: An Economic Analysis of Packaged Drinking Water in Tamil Nadu with special reference to Chennai City.

## Membership in Professional Bodies

- IEA – Life Member in Indian Economic Association
- AET – Life Member in Association of Economists in Tamil Nadu.

## Resource Person

1. Rapporteur in the Technical Session in a Two Day National Seminar on Social Exclusion in India Towards Inclusion and Equity sponsored by ICSSR and organized by PG & Research Department of Economics, The New College, Chennai, during 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> January 2016.
2. Chief Guest at SIMCA Annual Day Celebration and delivered chief guest address at DRBCCC Hindu College, Pattabiram, Chennai.
3. Guest of Honour and delivered chief guest address at e-book release and Valedictory-Farewell of the Department of Business Administration and Economics at Sri Devi Arts and Science College, Ponneri.
4. Chairperson in the Technical Session in the One Day National Level Conference on Indian Economic Development: A Long Term Study since 1950 Organised by the Department of Economics, DRBCCC Hindu College, Pattabiram Chennai, in Collaboration with Tamil Nadu Economic Association (TNEA) held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2016.
5. Chairperson in the Technical Session in the Two Day National Seminar on Impact of Globalisation on Rural Livelihood: Opportunities and Challenges, Organised by PG & Research Department of Economics, Muthurangam Government Arts College, Vellore, Sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi, held on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2017.
6. Chairperson in the Technical Session in the Two Day National Seminar on Rural Development: A Strategy for Poverty Alleviation in India, Organised by the Department of Economics, Government Arts College (Men), Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu, Sponsored by ICSSR, New Delhi, held on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> February 2017.

7. Rapporteur in the Technical Session in the One Day National Level Seminar on Impact of Globalisation on Indian Economy Organised by Department of Economics, C. Kandaswami Naidu College for Men, Anna Nagar, Chennai, during 25<sup>th</sup> February 2017.
8. Rapporteur in the Technical Session in the Two day – Annual Conference of Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu held at Madras Christian College, Chennai.
9. Refresher Course (MHRM) – Department of Economics, University of Madras, 2021.
10. Refresher Course (MHRM)- Department of Economics, University of Madras, 2022.

### Board of Studies

- Served as (P.G.) Board of Studies Member in Department of Economics, University of Madras.
- Served as (P.G.) Board of Studies Member in Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education (TANSCHÉ)

### Doctoral Committee Member

- Served as a Doctoral Committee Member in various University viz.,
  - University of Madras

### Viva Voce Examiner

- Served as Ph.D Viva-Voce Examiner in various University viz.,
  - University of Madras
  - Bharathidasan University.

### Seminars/Workshop

1. National Seminar – Presented paper on New Economic Policy and Primary Health Care, in the Department of Economics, Periyar University, Salem.(2006).

2. UGC Sponsored National Seminar – Presented paper on Impact of Gandhian Thought on Globalisation with respect to Khadi and Village Industries – A case study of Thiruvallur District, in Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati.(2006).
3. State Level Seminar – Presented paper on Adoption of technology and productivity in Thiruvallur District with respect to Groundnut Cultivation, in the Department of Economics, DRBCCC Hindu College, Chennai.(2006).
4. National Seminar – Participated on Value Added Tax (VAT), in the Department of Commerce, in the NEW COLLEGE, Chennai.(2007).
5. Workshop on Teaching Techniques and curriculum development in Economics – Participated. Organized by the Department of Economic, Ethiraj college for women and Malcolm and Adiseshiah Trust, Chennai.(2007).
6. Workshop on Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS) – Participated. Organized by Loyola College – LISSTAR, Chennai.(2008).
7. National Seminar – Presented paper on Dalit movements in Tamil Nadu, in the Dr. Ambedkar Centre for Economic Studies, University of Madras, Chennai.(2009).
8. National Seminar – Presented paper on Women Empowerment : A Challenge for future politics in India, in the Department of Economics, Queen Mary's College, Chennai.(2010).
9. International Conference – Presented paper on Role of Private Sector in Human Capital, in Department of Economic, Loyola College, Chennai.(2010).
10. Workshop on Higher Education-problems and challenges – Organised and Participated. UGC sponsored workshop organized by the Department of Economics, Government Arts College, Nandanam, Chennai.(2010).
11. National Seminar – Presented paper on Role of Transport in Economic Development, in the Department of Economic, Presidency College, Chennai.(2010).
12. International Conference on “Recent trends in growth patterns – a global perspective” held on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2011 at Loyola College, Chennai. Paper presented on title (a) “Recent trends in growth of service sector in India” (b) “Growth patterns of India and China – A comparative study (A global perspective)” (c) “ WTO and Indian Agriculture – Growth and its impact”.
13. International Seminar on “Human Capital and Human Resource Development” held at RS Government College, Thanjavur, TN, India. Paper presented on Investment in Human Capital and Human Resource Development – An Overview. (June 2011).
14. International Seminar on “Health Economics and Management” held at RS Government College, Thanjavur, TN, India, sponsored by ICMR, New Delhi and Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology – publication partnership with TissL International – Belgium, 15/16<sup>th</sup> December, 2011. Presented paper on Health Status and Its Impact on the Labour Market Behaviours and Health Care Awareness among the People.
15. International Conference on “Good Governance and sustainable Development” held at Annamalai University (2012). Presented paper on Corporate Social Responsibility in Rural Development : Indian Prespective..

16. National Conference on “Issues and Challenges of Sustainable Development in India”, held on 30/31<sup>st</sup> January, 2012 at Quaid-E-Millath Government College for Women, Chennai. Paper presented on “Diversification and Participation of Workforce in India.”
17. Participated in One day State Level Seminar on “Higher Education for All” held on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2015, organized by Tamil Nadu Government College Teachers’ Association at University of Madras.
18. 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu (AET) held on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> November 2015, Organised by PG & Research Department of Economics, Kandaswami Kandar’s College, Velur-Namakkal, Participated and presented a paper on “Economic Growth and Its Impact on Poverty Since 1991 in Tamil Nadu.”
19. Participated in the 98<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of The Indian Economic Association held on 27-29 December 2015 at Prof. Jayashankar Telangana State Agriculture University, Hyderabad.
20. Presented paper on Inclusive Growth and Gender Inequality in a Two Day National Seminar on Social Exclusion in India Towards Inclusion and Equity sponsored by ICSSR and organized by PG & Research Department of Economics, The New College, Chennai, during 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> January 2016.
21. Participated in the FICCI’S Education Conference in Association with Tamil Nadu State Council on “Reforming and Rejuvenating the Higher Education” held on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at Chennai.
22. 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu (AET) held on 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> November 2016, Organised by PG & Research Department of Economics, Erode Arts and Science College, Erode – 638009, Participated and presented a paper on “Impact of Make in India on Goods and Service Tax (GST).”
23. Participated and Presented research paper entitled “Analysis of Urban Infrastructure Development in India” in the One Day National Level Conference on Indian Economic Development: A Long Term Study since 1950 Organised by the Department of Economics, DRBCCC Hindu College, Pattabiram Chennai, in Collaboration with Tamil Nadu Economic Association (TNEA) held on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2016.
24. Participated and Presented research paper entitled “Perspective of Future Challenges and Options in Agriculture in India” in the 99<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of The Indian Economic Association held on 27-29 December 2016, held at Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh.
25. Participated and Presented paper entitled “Theoretical study on Schemes of Education and Employment in India for Human Development – An Overview” in the Two Day International Conference on Development Economics, organized the PG & Research Department of Economics, Ethiraj College for Women, Chennai, supported by NABARD, held on 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> February 2017.
26. Participated in the International Seminar on Leading Socio-Economic Issues in the Making of New India: Challenges, Ways and Means, Organised by PG and Research Department of Economics, in Association with Indian Economic Association held on 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

## Refresher and Orientation Courses

- Orientation Course** : (1) October 13, 2008 to November 8, 2008.  
: (2) Participated in the Orientation Programme for Academic Counsellor of M.A. (History) held for two days from 21-22 October 2016 at IGNOU Regional Centre, Bangalore.
- Refresher Course** : (1) In “Economics Batch XI” - November 10, 2009 to November 30, 2009. ASC – University of Madras, Chennai. (Grade – A)  
(2) In “Research Methodology in Behavioral and Social Sciences – Batch VIII” – August 13, 2013 to September 5, 2013. ASC – University of Madras, Chennai. (Grade – A).  
(3) In “Research Methodology and Data Analysis” – May 17, 2021 to May 31, 2021. Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, Under the aegis of Ministry of Education, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching. (Grade – A+).  
(4) In “Managing Online Classes & Co-Creating MOOCS (Level 2)” – June 2, 2021 to June 16, 2021. Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, Under the aegis of Ministry of Education, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching. (Grade – A+)

## Additional Responsibilities

- ❖ • . Physical Director In-charge (PD) – Dr. Ambedkar Government Arts College, Vyasarpadi, Chennai – 600 039. (2014-2015).