



**Centre for Differently Abled Persons,
Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli**

**Report on the activities of
International Conference on
“Achievements of and Innovations for the specially abled”
07.01.2018**

An International Conference on “Achievement of and / or Innovations for



the Specially Abled” is being organized with Tamil Nadu Udvikkaram Association for the Welfare of Differently Abled on 07-01-2018 at Bharathidasan University, Khajamalai Campus, Tiruchirappalli. Around 210 papers on various themes were received and the selected. 68 selected articles were published in UGC approved journal in English and 36 Tamil articles were published in Tamil journal. A edited book with isbn was also been published as the outcome of

the conference. 200 differently abled persons from various parts of the country attended the programme and presented their papers.

Dr. Gopinath Ganapathy, Registrar, Bharathidasan University gave the presidential address and released the book and journal in English and Tamil.



Thiru.T.A.P. Varadha Kutti, Head, State President, Udavikkaram gave the Keynote address and Prof. Dr. G. Anitha, M.D., Dean, KAPV Medical College, Trichy delivered the Inaugural Address. The Special address was given by Thiru.N.Alex, Special Educator, Centre for Special Education, ISM, Oman and Thiru.M.Chidambaram, Trainer for Specially Abled, Yalpanam, Srilanka.

The conference served as a platform to exhibit the achievements of persons with disabilities and the innovations that helps them in leading a barrier free

life. 210 participants took part in the conference and shared their experience. Participants were from Srilanka, Muscot and from all parts of India.

During the valediction Dr.M.Prabavathy, Head i/c, Centre for Differently Abled Persons and convener of the conference presented the Report of the conference. Capt. Dr. J.A.Arul Chellakumar, Director i/c, Council for College & Curriculum Development Bharathidasan University delivered the Presidential address. Thiru Swaminathan, District Differently Abled Officer, Trichy serves as guest of honour and Thiru. Narasimham Raydurga, Expert Committee Member Rehabilitation Council of India gave the Valedictory Address

