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Academic Qualifications: M.A./M.Sc./M.Phil./Ph.D.

Teaching Experience: 28 Years

Research Experience: 28 Years

Additional Responsibilities

1. SWAYAM Coordinator
2. Head, Department of Library and Information Science
3. Chair, School of Library Information Science
4. Coordinator Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat
5. Coordinator- BLIS/MLIS Programme of Distance Education

Areas of Research

User Studies; Digital Library and Web Technology; Information Systems; Quality Assurance in LIS.

Research Supervision / Guidance

	Program of Study	Completed	Ongoing
Research	Ph.D.	32	8
	M.Phil.	58	4
Project	PG	26	2
	UG / Others	-	-

Publications

International		National		Others
Journals	Conferences (6)	Journals (17)	Conferences (13)	Books / Chapters / Monographs / Manuals
6	6	17	13	Books Edited 5 Books Chapters 4

Cumulative Impact Factor (as per JCR) :	0.27
h-index	5
i10 index	4
Total Citations	111

Funded Research Projects

Completed Projects

S. No	Agency	Period		Project Title	Budget (Rs. In lakhs)
		From	To		
1	Higher Education Department (Govt. of Tamilnadu)	2012	2013	Implementation of Smart Class Room with Video conference; three Smart Class Rooms	20,00

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		From	To		
1	Higher Education Department (Govt. of Tamilnadu)	2014	2015	ICT Enabled Self Employment Training Programme for Rural Women	19.05
2	UGC-INFLIBNET	2013	2014	Implementation of Digitization of Old Thesis to contribute the Soft Access through INFLIBNET-Shodhganga Portal	21.50

Distinctive Achievements / Awards

1. Received **National Best Librarian Award 2017** for significant contribution to LIS Profession, from Madras Library Association (MALA) on the occasion of 125th Birth Anniversary Celebration of Padmashree Dr. S.R Ranganathan, held at IIT –Madras, Chennai on 12th August 2017.

Events organized in leading roles

Number of Seminars / Conferences / Workshops / Events organized: 30

1. Workshops: 19
2. Conferences: 2 (International)
3. Seminars: 5
4. Refresher Courses: 4

Events Participated (optional)

Conferences / Seminars / Workshops: 3

1. Workshop: 1 (International); 1 (National)
2. Conference: 1 (International)

Other Training Programs

1. Attended NAAC Accessor Programme on 9th February 2018 at NAAC Bangalore.

Overseas Exposure / Visits

- Singapore (2014, 2016 & 2017)
- Malaysia (2014)
- Muscat (2012)
- South Korea (2011)
- Srilanka (2010)
- Thailand (2011).

Membership in

Professional Bodies

Life Member in the following Professional Bodies

- Academic Library Association (ALA)
- LIS Academy Trustee
- Indian Society for Technical Education (ISTE) since 2003
- Society for Advancement in LIS (SALIS) since 2003
- Indian Association of Special Libraries and Information Centers (IASLIC) since 2001
- Indian Academy of Social Sciences(ISSA) since 1999

Editorial Board

1. **Reviewer** for Indian Academic Library Association (IALA)

Advisory Board

1. Bishop Heber College (Academic Council Member)
2. Rajah Serfoji Government (Autonomous) (Academic Council Member)

Academic Bodies (such as Board of Studies etc.,)

1. Bharathidasan University
2. Alagappa University
3. Karunya University
4. Periyar University
5. Madurai Kamaraj University
6. Tamil University
7. Holy Cross College

Resource persons in various capacities

Number of Invited / Special Lectures delivered: 170

Others

1. No. of PhD Thesis evaluated : 54
2. No. of PhD Public Viva Voce Examination conducted : 57

3. SRecent Publications

1. Muthukumar, S and Srinivasaragavan, S, "Information Literacy Programmes in School Libraries: A Case Study in South India" ed. by S. Srinivasaragavan, (et.al) PoGo Publications, 2018 (978-93-83069-30-9) pp 66-70
2. Srinivasaragavan, S, and Prasanna kumari, N, "Quality Assurance and Best Practices in Libraries" ed. by S. Srinivasaragavan,(et.al), PoGo Publications, 2018 (978-93-83069-30-9) pp84-86
3. Bagavathi, A and Srinivasaragavan, S, "Research on Himalayas: A Scientometric Analysis" " ed. by S. Srinivasaragavan,(et.al), PoGo Publications, 2018 (978-93-83069-30-9) pp188-193.
4. Srinivasaragavan, S, "An Assessment of Indian Citation Publication Output: A Study on Indian Citation Index" ed. by S. Srinivasaragavan,(et.al), PoGo Publications, 2018 (978-93-83069-30-9) pp 274-278
5. Govinda Reddy, K.V, Srinivasaragavan, S, (2017) "Exploring the need and strategies of Information Seeking Behaviour of Law Practitioners at High Court of Karnataka, Dharwad Bench Library: A Case Study": International Journal of Research in Library Science. 3(2), 15-27 (ISSN: 2455-104X)

6. Muthukumar, S, Srinivasaragavan, S, (2017) "A Survey on Secondary School Students Practices of Library in Madurai City, South India": International Journal for Innovative Research in Multidisciplinary Field. 2(special issue) 14-18 (ISSN: 2455-0620)
7. Shashikala, H M and Srinivasaragavan, S, (2017) Open Access to scholarly Communication in Life, Biological and Medical Sciences: An Overview: IALA. 5(2),7-10 (ISSN: 2319-1392)
8. Srinivasaragavan, S, and Prasanna Kumari, N (2017) Research on Western Ghats: A Scientometric Analysis: ALA. 5(1), 1-11 (ISSN: 2319-1392)