

Curriculum Vitae of Dr. K. Velumani



- 1. Present Position** : Professor of Futurology
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- Director
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2. Educational Qualification : **M.A., M.Phil, Ph.D.**

S.No	Examination Passed	Institution / University	Subject
01	Ph.D.,	Bharathiar University	Sociology
02	M.Phil.,	Bharathiar University	Sociology
03	M.A.,	Bharathiar University	Sociology
04	B.Sc.,	P.S.G. College of Arts & Sci.	Statistics
05	Certificate Course in Computer Programme	Gandhigram Rural University	Basic
06	PGDIM	IGNOU	
07	PGDHRM	IGNOU	
08	M.B.A	IGNOU	H.R.M

3. Special Training Undergone

Theme	Organizers	Period		No. Of Days
		From	To	
Capacity Building programme for Women Managers in Higher Education SAM Workshop	Mother Teresa Women's University	14.03.11	18.03.11	05
Understanding Women's Studies as a Discipline	Centre for Women's Studies, Cauvery College and Bharathidasan University, Trichy	28.02.11	01.03.11	02
Training programme on E – Content Development	Gandhigram Rural Institute	07.02.11	22.02.11	15
Sensitization programme in Implementation of Protection of women from	National Institute of Public Cooperation and child Development, Bangalore	18.11.10	19.11.10	02
Research Methodology for Rural Development Professionals (RMRDP)	National Institute of Rural Development Hyderabad	08.06.09	16.06.09	10
Capacity Building programme for Women Managers in Higher Education	Sri Avinashilangam Trust & Institute, Coimbatore	16.12.04	21.12.04	06
NSS Orientation Course	Sri Avinashilangam Trust & Institute, Coimbatore	22.11.2000	1.12.2000	10
Refresher Courses for University/ College teachers	GRU, Gandhigram	23.12.98	12.01.99	21
Refresher Courses for University/ College teachers	GRU, Gandhigram	11.05.98	31.05.98	21
Refresher Courses for University/ College teachers	Madras University, Madras	09.10.96	31.10.96	23
Orientation Course for University/ College teachers	Bharathiar University, Coimbatore	04.12.95	31.12.95	28

4. Teaching and Research Experience

(i) **Teaching Experience**

- ✓ M. Phil Teaching - 21 years
- ✓ P.G. Teaching - 21years
- ✓ U.G. Teaching - 21 years

(ii) **Research Experience**

- ✓ Research Experience - 21 years

5. New Courses / Programmes Evolved / Organized

1. Evolved Curriculum for M. Phil Futures Studies through Distance Education (2004)
2. Evolved Curriculum for P.G Diploma in Applied Statistics through Distance Education (2004)
3. Evolved Curriculum for M. Phil Women's Studies in Regular (2010)
4. Evolved Curriculum for Elective Paper-Women's Studies (2010)

5. Research Guidance

S.No	Research Guidance	Awarded	Under Guidance
1	Ph.D.	02	06
2	M.Phil.	20	11
3	P.G.	05	
4	U.G.	27	

Ph.D.

- **Awarded**
- Hubby Mathew (2007), *Watershed Management and Women Empowerment in Idukki District.*
- Venkatesan.K.M (2003), *A prognostic study on the Problem and Future of Orphan Children (Madurai and Dindigul Districts).*

a. Under Guidance

- Kathiresan.S (2004), *A Model for Comprehensive participatory watershed development - An Action Study in Tamilnadu.*
- Pagutharivu.R (2003), *Problems faced by the families of police personals – a futuristic study.*
- Mithya R (2010), *A Study on Job Satisfaction and Job Stress among Women teachers of Universities in Tamil Nadu*
- Vallalar M (2011), *A Study on the Psycho Social Profile of the Children with Developmental Disorders*
- Jeridah M Ms.Nyangwencha (2011), *Comparative Study on Reproductive Health issues of women in Rural Kenya and Tamil Nadu, India (selected villages)*
- Anji A (2011), *Current issue related to Widowhood among Rural and Urban Areas – Comparative Study in Dindigul District*

M.Phil.

a. Awarded

- Murugan . M, (2010) *A Study on job Analysis in Urban Cooperative Banks of Thoothukudi District.*
- Gethsi Esther Mary, (2009). *Role of Vocational Education in the Development of Youth.*
- Ganitha Bai,G. (2008). *Socio Psychological Problems of the Aged.*
- Shanmugasundram.M,(2008). *A Study on the Family Welfare Programme With Reference to vasectomy in Perumalkoilpatti of Dindigul District”.*
- Mehala.P, (2008) *A studies on Reproductive Morbidity among Adolescent Women in Selected Blocks in Dindigul Distric.*
- Mangalakannan.R,(2008). *Factors influencing the occupational preference of SHG women members- A Study with particular reference to Thirunelveli.*
- Vinodha.M (2007), *Impact of pollution by Alanganallur National Sugar factory in Mettupatti.*
- Santhi.S (2006), *A Study on reproductive health status of women in Dindigul District.*

- Subinluka (2006), *Attitude of family members towards persons with psychiatric disability.*
- Arunkumar.T (2006), *Forecasting managerial problems in implementing software projects in software companies in Chennai.*
- Bindhu.P (2006), *A Study on Gynecological morbidity and treatments seeking behavior among women.*
- Savithri.P (2005), *Status and decision making pattern of women teachers - A futuristic study.*
- Kamachi.K (2005), *Problem analysis of the project implementation on HIV/AIDS in Mother Saradhadevi Social Service Society in Madurai district - A case Study.*
- Hema.K (1998) , *Energy demand (Power station) of Reddiar Chatram Block by 2010 AD.*
- Uma Rani.S (1996), *Air and Noise pollution in Coimbatore city- a futuristic view.*
- Sethurajan.R (1995), *A plan for alternative employment plan for Silkuvarpatti village of Athoor block.*
- Illavarasan.R (1995), *An Analysis on the status of sports activities in Dindigul Anna District with Futuristic view.*
- Kathiresan.S (1994), *A prognostic views on Juvenile delinquency among the street children in special homes of Tamilnadu.*
- Arockia Victor Cabria.L (1993), *A study on primary agriculture credit cooperatives in Athoor Block with futuristic view.*
- Moorthy.R (1993), *Energy demand of Kamuthi block of Ramanad District by 2002 AD – A Prognostic study.*

7. Research Project Undertaken

- UGC Sponsored Major Research Project entitled “A sociological study on the cultural practices of farming communities in different ecological conditions” Rs.4,53,700/- (2009 – 2011).

8. List of Publications

Books

1. Velumani K (2011), “Thiyaga Sudar Dr.Soundram Amma” by Tamil, Centre for Women’s Studies, GRI Publication
2. Velumani K (ed.) (2007), “*Tribals, Forests and Futures*”, GRI Publications.
3. Velumani K (2007),”*Research Methodology*”, Pavai Publications.
4. Velumani K & Selvin Jebaraj Norman T (ed.) (2006), “*Application of Prognostic Techniques in Solving social Problems*”, GRI Publications.

Journals

1. Mithiya R & Dr.K.Velumani (2011),“Job Stress among Transport Workers”, Macmillon publication.
2. Velumani K and M. Eswari (2010), Dimensions of Gender Inequality: A Global Perspective, Research Journal of Philosophy & Social Sciences, Vol.xxxvi. Special Issue No: 1.
3. Velumani K and R.Pagutharivu (2008), *Functions and Problems of women police personnel: “A Future perspectives”*, Journal of Extension and Research, Vol x, Nos.1&2.
4. Velumani K K.Suresh,T.Selvin Sebaraj Norman, R.Vijayan and S.Rathinavel (2008), “*Ethnobotany and Livelihood Status of Malayali Tribes of Kollihills in Tamil Nadu*” – Plant Archives Vol.8 NO.1, 2008 pp.479-481 ISSN 0972-5210.
5. Velumani K., K.Suresh,T.Selvin Sebaraj Norman, R.Vijayan and S.Rathinavel (2008), “*Ethnomedical Practices of Malayali Tribes of Yarcaud Hills in Tamil Nadu*” Plant Archives Vol.8 NO.1, 2008 pp.457- 459 ISSN 0972-5210.
6. Velumani K & Hubby Mathew (2006), “Promoting and Sustaining Self Help Groups: An NGO Experience” *Loyola Journal of Social Sciences* ,Vol XX , No.2.
7. Velumani K (2002), “Population and Environment – An Analysis”, *Journal of Extension and Research*, Vol V, No.1.
8. Velumani K (1996), “How to be a successful Leader, Match your personality”, 12.
9. Velumani K (1995), “Poverty and Health: A Sociological Analysis”, *Economic and Political weekly* vol, 19 No.30.
10. Velumani K (1992), “Women Officers on their dual roles”, *Social Welfare* Vol. XXXII No.12.

11. Velumani K (1990), "Role Conflict among White Colour Women", *Sociological Bulletin*, Vol XII, No.2.

9. Short Term Courses / Symposium / Conferences attended

- Paper presented : 34
- Participated : 23

International

1. Eswari M & Velumani K "A study on Small Scale Enterprises in Economic Governance in Dindigul District" in the Conference on Women in Governance at Alagappa University, 5th April 2011
2. Anji A & Velumani K "Role of Rural Women in Environmental Governance" in the Conference on Women in Governance at Alagappa University, 5th April 2011
3. Mithiya R & Velumani K, "Women Participation in E – Governance – An Analysis" Alagappa University, 5th April 2011
4. Mithiya R & Velumani K, "An Impact of globalization in HRD" Annai Mathammal engineering college, Namakkal, 26th Feb 2011
5. Mithiya R & Velumani K "Psychological stress among the women Investors in SHG" Bharathidasan University, Trichy. 8th & 9th Jan 2011
6. Velumani K & R.Mithiya, "Skills Based Hygiene education for children" RGNIYD, Sriperumbudur, 8th to 10th Dec 2010
7. Mithiya R & Velumani K, "Importance of Life skill education for college students" in the International Conference on the Life Skill Education at Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Youth Development on 8th to 10th Dec 2010
8. Velumani K, "Life Skills for Human Resource Development and Management role in India" in the International Conference on the Life Skill Education at Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Youth Development on 06.04.09 to 08.04.09
9. Velumani K & Hubby Mathew, "Role of NGOs in Water Management – an NGO experience" International conference on "The Challenges and Strategies for the Sustainability of Safe drinking water" on 25.10.06 to 27.10.06.
10. Velumani K & Pagutharivu, "Empowerment of Women through Physical Strategy – A proven techniques" International conference on "Reinventing Strategies for Women Empowerment" on 08.03.06 to 09.03.06.

11. Velumani K, “*Marching towards Sustainable Development–Women’s Role*” International conference on “Sustainable Development and Management of Natural Resources” on 15.03.03 to 17.03.03.

National

1. Velumani K, “*Empowerment of Women in Economic and Employment through Science development*” in the XI National Science Congress on “Science and Technology at Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, 26th and 27th June 2011
2. Kavitha T & Velumani K, “*SHG Women in Economic Empowerment - a Technological perspective*” in the XI National Science Congress on Science and Technology at Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, 26th and 27th June 2011
3. Eswari M & Velumani K, “*Role of Women in ICT – An analysis*” in the XI National Science Congress on Science and Technology at Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, 26th and 27th June 2011
4. Mithya R & Velumani K, “*Women and stress – A technological perspective*” in the XI National Science Congress on “Science and Technology at Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, 26th and 27th June 2011
5. Anji A & Velumani K, “*Women in Social Development through Science and Technology –An analysis*” in the XI National Science Congress on Science and Technology at Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, 26th and 27th June 2011
6. Mithiya R & Velumani K, “*A study on job stress among transport workers*” Vels University, Chennai, 18th & 19th April 2011
7. Eswari M & Velumani K, “*Role of Women Entrepreneur in Small Scale Industries*” in the National Seminar on Women in Leader: a Management Perspective at Holly Gross College, 1st Mar 2011
8. Anji A & Velumani K, “*Women Participation in Politics and their Political Empowerment*” in the National Seminar on Women in Leader: a Management Perspective at Holly Gross College, 1st Mar 2011
9. Eswari M & Velumani K, “*Gender Equity and Women Empowerment in Rural Areas-an analysis*” National Conference on Innovative Strategies for Research and Development in a Knowledge society at Gandhigram Rural Institute, 3rd & 4th Mar 2011
10. Mithiya R & Velumani K, “*Role of Diet in reducing Obesity among women*” National Conference on Innovative Strategies for Research and Development in a Knowledge society at Gandhigram Rural Institute, 3rd & 4th Mar 2011

11. Mithiya R & Velumani K, "*Women Teachers as social leaders*, in the National Seminar on Women in Leader: a Management Perspective at Holly Gross College , Trichy, 1st Mar 2011
12. Mithiya R & Velumani K, *Public Interaction and intervention to promote Food security*, in the National Seminar on Globalization and India Agriculture: Challenges and opportunities at Dept of economics, GRI, 17th & 18th Feb 2011
13. Velumani K & Vijeesh P, "*Women Labours in Fish Vending, in Kerala: A Human Rights Perspective*", National Seminar on Human Rights Violations and Unorganized Labourers: Challenges and Strategies 11th and 12th March 2010.
14. Velumani K , Participated in National Level Seminar on "Globalization, Decentralization", Rajiv Gandhi Chair for Panchayat Raj Studies and Dept. of Political Science, GRI, 18th & 19th Oct 2010
15. Velumani K & Chandrasekar R, "*Bioremediation and Biodegradation of Wastages with Biological Organisms*" National level seminar on "Environmental status and health of workers involved in textile production" Chikkanna Government Arts college at Tirupur, 3rd & 4 August 2009.
16. Velumani K, National level seminar on Peace Education and Social harmony at Gandhigram on 26.02.07 to 28.02.07
17. Velumani. K, National level seminar on "ICT Related Research on Serving Farmers and Saving Farming" at GRI, Gandhigram on 20.12.06 to 21.12.06
18. Velumani K & Pagutharivu, "*Advertisements and Advertising results on Environmental Pollution*" National seminar on "Environmental Pollution Management and Sustainable Development" on 14.12.06 to 15.12.06.
19. Velumani K, & Pagutharivu, "*Ethical Strategies for protecting environment*" National seminar on "Environment and Society" on 30.3.06 to 31.3.06.
20. Velumani K & Pagutharivu, *Bio medical waste management – a case study*" National conference on "Advances in solid waste management", Department of Biology of Meenakshi Mission Hospital and Research Centre at Madurai.on 22.2.05 to 23.2.05
21. Velumani K, "*Achievement of Milk producers cooperative society – pal lapatty in Nilakottai taluk - a case analysis*" National seminar on "Indian cooperative movement status, trend and vision for 2020" on 21.2.05 to 22.2.05.
22. Velumani K, "*Problems of Street Children*" National seminar on "Rights of the Children" at Bharathidasan University, Trichy on 5th March 2004.

23. Velumani K, National level seminar on cum workshop "*Drought Management*" at Arul Anadar College, Madurai on 15.03.04 to 16.03.04
24. Velumani K, "*Emancipation of Indian women to what extent real- A socio legal study*" National seminar on "Post Conference on Dowry, Bride- Burning and Son-Preference" at Bharathidasan University, Trichy on 21st January 2003.
25. Velumani K , "*The Need for new research Methods*" National level seminar on "Status,Trends and Supervision of Research in Rural Development" at GRU on 12.04.02
26. Velumani K, "*Role of Women in the family-A Changing & scenario*" National level seminar on "Changing Social Institutions and their impact on the quality of life" at Bharathidasan University, Trichy on 18.02.02 to 19.02.02
27. Velumani K, "*Impact of Population on Environment*" in the National level seminar on "Environmental Protection Movements and Counter Movements" at Barathiyar University , Coimbatore on 08.02.02 to 09.02.02
28. Velumani K, "*Sociological perspective of women empowerment*" National Seminar on "Interdisciplinary Approach to Women Empowerment", PSG Arts College, Coimbatore on 10.01.02 to 11.01.02
29. Velumani. K, National seminar on "Environmental Issues" at GRI on 27.04.01to 28.04.01
30. Velumani. K, National seminar on "Globalization and Rural Development" at Arul Anadar College , Madurai on 01.03.01 to 02.03.01
31. Velumani K, "*Education and Empowerment*" National Seminar on "Environment and Empowerment of women" at Bharathidasan University, Trichy, on 28.03.2000 to 29.03.2000
32. Velumani K, "*Status of Women- The Challenges in the Socio-economic front*" National Seminar on "Challenges before women in the 21st Century" at Padmavathi Mahila University, Tirupathi, on 29.03.99 to 31.03.99
33. Velumani K, "*Development Vs Pollution - Role of Rural Industries in sustaining the Environment*", XXII Social Science Conference at GRI on 13.03.99 to 18.03.99
34. Velumani K, "*Health for All in 200 A.D - Challenge ahead*", XXII Social Science Conference at GRI, on 13.03.99 to 18.03.99
35. Velumani K, seminar on "Psycho-social Characteristics, Problems and Strategies for the Welfare of the Aged in Rural Area" on 11.03.98 to 13.03.98

36. Velumani K, National workshop on “Forestry Methodologies and perspective planning” at Bharathidasan University, Trichy on 18.02.91 to 22.02.91
37. Velumani K, Participated in A *National Review* Conference on futures studies held at Stella Mary’s College, Madras on 13.12.90 to 16.12.90

Regional

1. Mithiya R & Dr.K.Velumani “*Innovation in science education at college level*” in the Regional Seminar on ICT in Science Education , Dept of education, GRI, 15th & 16th Dec2010
2. Eswari M & Dr.K.Velumani “ICT application in Science Education at college Level – an analysis ” in the Regional Seminar on ICT in Science Education ,Dept of education, GRI, 15th & 16th Dec2010
3. Jeridah M & Dr.K.Velumani “Importance of Value and science education among college students ” in the Regional Seminar on ICT in Science Education , Dept of education, GRI, 15th & 16th Dec2010
4. Velumani K, “*Mankind at the Turning Point*” in the Regional Seminar on “People, Plants & Future” at GRI on 21.02.03 to 22.02.03
3. Velumani K, “*New Life Camp*” by ‘Nanban’ on 09.05.95 to 16.05.95
4. Attended Review Committee Meeting on “*Futures Studies*” at M.K.University on 30.03.95.
5. Velumani K, “*Futures of Sustainable Agriculture, some emerging Trends*” at Bharathidasan University on 16.04.94 to 17.04.94
6. Attended “*Futures Studies Regional meeting*” at M.K.University on 28.03.94 to 29.03.94.
6. Velumani K, “*Workshop on Systems Science*” at M.K.University on 15.03.93 to 17.03.93.

Local

1. Seminar on “*Science for Quality Life*” FROS, at GRI on 20.04.98
2. National level Workshop on “Globalization and Human Rights” presented a paper “*The Invisible Victim of Women Rights Violations through Computers*” at GRI on 27th March 2008.
3. National level Workshop on “Globalization and Human Rights” presented a paper “*Tribal Life and their Present and Future in Globalisation Era*” at GRI on 27th March 2008.

4. Seminar on “*Consumers awareness program*” at GRI on 26.3.98
5. Workshop on “*Street Children*” at GRI on 12.10.97 to 15.10.97
6. Seminar on “*Financing Small Scale Industries – Problems and Prospects*” at GRI on 10.09.1997.
7. Panel Discussion on “*Technology Development and the Common Man*”. at GRI on 27.8.97.
8. “*Legal awareness*” course for Women Students by National Commission for Women at GRI on 05.4.97 to 15.4.97
9. “*Research Projects in RIM*” at GRI on 27.03.97
10. National Science day Lecture on “*Computer for Science Education*” at GRI, on 29.2.97
11. “*Waste Management and Recycling*” at GRI on 24.02.95
12. “*Bio-Diversity*” at KVK, Gandhigram, on 19.02.94
13. “*New Panchayat Raj System and 73rd Amendment to the Constitution of India*” at GRI on 04.02.94 to 05.02.94.
14. Velumani K, delivered the Guest Lecture on “*Dowry and its effect on Family & Society*” for the participants of Training on Integrated Preparation for better life at GRI, on 23.03.92 to 29.03.92.

12. Short Term Courses/ Seminar/ Conference Organized

- UGC Sponsored National Seminar on “*Family, Youth and Futures*” from 4th Feb to 5th Feb 2010.
- UGC Sponsored Regional Seminar on “*Environmental Studies*” from 3rd Dec 2008 to 5th Dec 2008.
- UGC Sponsored State Level Seminar on “*Tribal’s, Forests and Futures*” on 11th December 2006.

13. Membership in Scientific Bodies / Associations

Membership in Professional Societies

- a. The Indian Sociological Society (Life Member)
- b. Society of Futurology
- c. Indian Association for Women’s Studies (Life Member)

d. Tamil Nadu Association for Women's Studies

Membership in Academic bodies

- Member, Academic council, Gandhigram Rural University, Gandhigram.
- Member, Board of Studies in Futures Studies, Bharathidasan University, Trichy.
- Member, Board of Studies in Futures Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.
- Member, Board of Studies in Sociology, Lady Doak College, Madurai.
- Member of the Board of Examinations for Lady Doak College
- Served as a Special Invite for the Board of Studies of Mathematics for Framing syllabus of B.Sc. Mathematics GRI
- Served as a Special Invitee for the Board of Studies of RTC for Framing syllabus

14. Adjudicator/ Examiner

1. Adjudicator for *Ph.D.* Thesis in Bharathidasan University
2. Adjudicator for *M.Phil* Dissertation in Bharathidasan University
3. Adjudicator for *M.Phil* Dissertation in Madurai Kamaraj University
4. Adjudicator for *M.Phil* Dissertation in Manonmaniam Sundaranar University
5. Chief Examiner for *Center Valuation* for G.R.U, April 2005.
6. Served as Examiner for Madurai Kamaraj University since 1990
7. Served as Examiner for Bharathidasan University since 1990
8. Served in food committee National Social Science Congress held at Gandhigram, 13.03.99 to 18.03.99.
9. Involved in the activities of Mathematics Association of Gandhigram Rural University.
10. Served as Rapporteur of South zone Vice Chancellor Conference 2002-2003.
11. Council to number of students on various issues. About 15 students have been helped to get employment in different organizations private and NGOs.

15. Corporate Activities

Positions Held

1. NSS Programme Coordinator – 2003 to 2005
2. NSS Programme Officer – 2000 to 2003
3. Deputy Warden (Ladies Hostel) – 1990 to 1991

4. Served in different committees during different convocations

16. Reviewer for Journals:

Journal of Extension, Gandhigram Rural University

17. Administrative Experience:

Director, Centre for Women's Studies