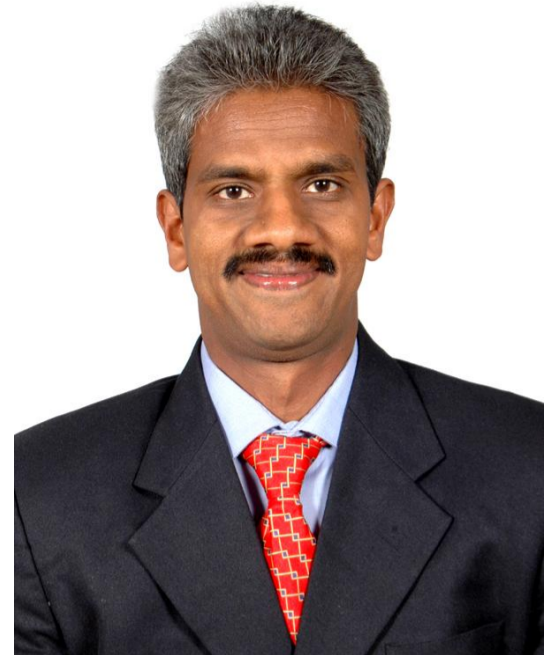


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PERSONAL PROFILE:

PROF. VARGHESE PULICKAL

Dr. Varghese was born in Kerala.

He obtained his Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Master of Arts in English language and literature from Mahatma Gandhi University in Kerala, India.

After receiving two international scholarships – one from Germany and another from International Rice Research Institute, Manila Philippines – he went to Philippines and obtained another Masters and Ph.D in Journalism and Communication from the University of Philippines. The thirst for knowledge still persuaded him to complete another Masters in Journalism and still another in Higher Education.

He has served as the Head of the Department of Communication in various educational institutions affiliated to Bangalore University in Bangalore from 2001. Now he is a Professor at the Department of Journalism at Kuvempu University Shimoga.

He has travelled to various countries in Asia...like Philippines, Singapore, Nepal and Malaysia for various academic activities. He has published many research papers and presented many papers in national and international seminars.

He is not only a person who teaches communication, but also one who communicates. He is trained in theatre, Karnatic Music, Puppetry, Yoga, Indian Philosophy and Spirituality, Theology, Debate, Counseling, Graphic Designing and rhetoric. He has organized a Theatre group in Shimoga and has written / directed / staged many dramas. His interests range from literary writing to wood sculpturing.

He is a motivation speaker and is a well-known voice trainer and trains people to produce professional voice for RJ-ing, Theatral performance, and speech.

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OBJECTIVE

*Contributing to the Discipline through Research &
Training students and others in the art and science of Communication
At the same time instilling in them values and commitment
That they function as change agents in the society
For its integral development*

Educational Qualifications

- NET – University Grants Commission
- PhD & MS (Course Integrated) – University of Philippines
- MA Journalism – Madurai Kamraj University
- PG Diploma in Higher Education – Karnataka Open University
- MA English – MG University, Kerala
- BA Economics – MG University, Kerala

Experience

Teaching

- From February 2009 faculty in Kuvempu University, Shivamogga, Karnataka.
- June 2002 to Feb 2009 in affiliated colleges in Bangalore.

Industry Experience

- Media Related: Editor – News Agency, PRO, Publisher, (1996-97, 2001-2002)
- Other : Secretary - People's Dairy Development Project. (1989) & Zonal Organiser – Moral Education

Research

- Affiliate research scholar at International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) Los Banos, Philippines
- Guided more than 70 Postgraduate theses.
- Awarded seven Ph.Ds.

Administrative

- Managing Editor of News Agency
- BOE / BOS / Doctoral Committee / Advisory Board Member of various universities
- Department Chairman
- In-charge, Laity Formation, National Centre, Bangalore

Training

- Motivation, Leadership & Personality Development
- Voice Culture
- Graphic Design
- Puppetry and Theatre, Classroom Communication

Creative

- Audio / video digital editing and graphic design
- Writer, Director of Stage Dramas
- Wood art

Special Achievements

- Scholarship from Germany – MS & Doctoral Studies (1997)
- Research Scholarship from International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) (1998)
- Best NSS volunteer award from Sree Sankara College, MG University (1994)
- Best student Award from Government High School Manjapra, Kerala (1983)
- Won prizes for acting, singing, writing, etc.

Publications:

- Books / Chapters: 1
- International / National Journals: 32
- Conference Publications: 4: