



Dr. P. SAMRAJ
PRINCIPAL

Dr. P. SAMRAJ did his schooling at Government High School, Thuckalay, Kanyakumari District. He completed B.A from Madurai Kamaraj University; B.P.Ed and M.P.Ed from University of Madras through Y.M.C.A College of Physical Education, Chennai. He also did M.Sc yoga, M.A and M.Phil in Sociology and Ph.D in Physical Education from Annamalai University.

He initially joined as a Lecturer, Department of Physical Education, Annamalai University in 1983 and served as a Reader and Professor for 24 years. Subsequently he joined as a Professor and Head, Department of Physical Education, Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University (TNPESU), Chennai in 2007 and served in different academic and administrative capacities and retired from service in 2016. Further in 2017 he joined as the Principal at Sri Renugambal College of Physical Education, Thiruvannamalai District, an affiliated college of TNPESU. He has 3 years experience as a Principal and 33 years of University experience in teaching, research and administration. He assumed charge as the Principal of Dr. Sivanthi Aditanar College of Physical Education, Tiruchendur on 5thOctober, 2020.

Key Positions Held and Contributions Made at Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University, Chennai

- Professor and Head, Department of Physical Education
- Professor of Eminence
- Registrar i/c
- Controller of Examinations (Regular Post)
- Syndicate Member
- Finance Committee and Purchase Committee Member
- Building Committee Member
- Selection Committee Member
- Expert Committee Member for Granting Affiliation to Physical Education Colleges
- Member, Academic Council
- Convener, Placement Cell
- Editor -in-Chief, Journal of Physical Education Sports and Allied Disciplines, an Official Journal of TNPESU
- Member of the Committee to Frame Examination Regulations for Various Programme
- Committee Member to Frame Thesis Format for Ph.D
- Invited by Search Committee for Interaction for the selection of Vice-Chancellor, TNPESU - Date of Presentation: 10.08.2018.

Key Responsibilities Held and Administrative Recognitions

- Member - NAAC Peer Team for Assessment and Accreditation of Physical Education Institutions.
- NCTE Expert Committee Member for Granting Affiliation for Physical Education Courses.
- Academic Audit Expert Member for NAAC Accreditation Process, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.

- Teachers Recruitment Board, Tamil Nadu.
 - a. Question Paper Setter to the Examinations for the Appointment of Physical Director.
 - b. Framed Syllabus for the Written Recruitment Examinations for Lecturer and Senior Lectures in DTERT and DIET.
- Member, Committee Constituted by Directorate of Teacher Education Research and Training (DTERT) to finalise the fee structure for Private Institutions which offer D.T.Ed., Course.
- Member, Committee Constituted by Directorate of Teacher Education Research and Training (DTERT) to certify the Equivalence of D.T.Ed., Syllabus of DTERT and Faculty of General & Adopted Physical Education and Yoga, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University, Coimbatore.
- Member, State Level Committee to Frame Syllabus for Compulsory Physical Education Programme at Schools and Colleges of Tamil Nadu State.
- Member, Anna University Sports Board Committee of Eminent Sports Persons Quota for Admission to Medicine and Engineering.
- Member, SDAT Monitoring and Facilitating Committee of Elite Sports Person Scheme.
- Examination Auditing Committee Member, Y.M.C.A. College of Physical Education.
- Selection Committee Member for the Recruitment of Teaching Staff at Various Universities
- Expert Committee Member for Granting Affiliation of Physical Education Courses at Colleges

Academic Profile

Research Guidance

- Ph.D., Degrees Awarded

➤ Ph.D., Thesis Evaluated and Viva – Voce Examination Conducted	14
➤ M.Phil., Degrees Awarded	78
➤ Research projects carried out	1

Publications

➤ Physical Education and Sports Books Written	7
➤ Study Materials and Lesson Prepared for Distance Education Courses	3
➤ Research Papers Published in the Proceedings of International Conference	3
➤ Research Papers Published in the Proceedings of National Conference	8
➤ Research Papers Published in the International Referred Journal	8
➤ Research Papers Published in the National Referred Journal	22
➤ International Conferences Attended and Papers Presented	12
➤ National Conferences Attended and Papers Presented	33

Academic Activities

➤ Member, Academic Council	4 Institutions
➤ Board of Studies Member in Physical Education	9 Universities
➤ Chairperson and Resource Person in Conferences/ Workshops	8
➤ Invited Talks Given in Refresher Courses	20
➤ Refresher Courses and Workshops Attended	5
➤ Organising Committee Member for the Conduct of National Conference/ Workshop/ Refresher Courses	7
➤ Editorialship of Journals	3
➤ Radio Talk Given at All India Radio on Physical Education and Sports	4
➤ Membership in Scientific Forum and Academic Bodies	6

Examinership

➤ Examinership for Ph.D., M.Phil., and M.P.Ed., Courses of Study	10 Universities
➤ Member, Question Paper Scrutiny and Question Paper Setting Board	14 Universities

Sports Achievements and Contributions

Personal Achievements in Sports

- a) Received Silver Medal in Swimming at State Level Open Competition.
- b) Represented the College in football.

Coaching Experience

- 73 football players represented the University in football and received form 3 under my coaching.

Committee Member to Organise Sports Tournaments

- AIU sponsored All India and South Zone Inter University Tournaments at Annamalai University and Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University.
- AIU Sponsored All India and South Zone Inter University Youth Festivals at Annamalai University
- Technical Committee Member for Football Tournaments of All India and South Zone Inter University at Annamalai University.
- Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry State Inter Physical Education Tournaments at Annamalai University

The Founder Padmashri Dr. B. Sivanthi Adityan, a lover of Sports, established this college in the year 1993 with a foresight vision to hold a unique position in Physical Education and Sports in the country. Dr. Sivanthi Aditanar College of Physical Education is one of the leading physical education colleges with good sports activities and infrastructure facilities. The faculty members are qualified, well experienced and experts in their chosen area of specialization. Quality education is provided for students to get better placement opportunities and to serve the best to the nation. I appeal the candidates to join in large number for the programmes offered by this college.