AMRITA UNIVERSITY
TOP 100 IN WORLD
FIRST IN INDIA

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS' RANKING:

World Rank 5
REALITY EDUCATION

World Rank 8
GENDER EQUALITY

World Rank 37
GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

World Rank 52
CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

World’s Top 200
INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

World’s Top 200
PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

nirf
4th Best University
National Institutional Ranking Framework 2020

7th Best Medical

QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2020
No.1 in India
International Faculty

Institution Of Eminence
Govt. of India
There are two types of education, Education for Living and Education for Life.

Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham was founded by the world-renowned humanitarian leader, Sri Mata Amritanandamayi Devi, Amma. As Chancellor of the Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Amma continues to guide the institution’s mission and growth.
Chancellor Amma Awarded Honorary Doctorate

The State University of New York (SUNY) presented Amma with an honorary doctorate in humane letters at a special ceremony held on May 25, 2010 at Buffalo North Campus.

Amma signs Faith Leaders’ Universal Declaration against Slavery at Vatican

Amma joined Pope Francis in the Vatican and 11 other world religious leaders in a ceremonial signing of a declaration against human trafficking and slavery.

Amma receives Hon. Doctorate from University of Mysore

Awarded the Honorary Doctorate of Letters (D.Litt. Honoris Causa) by the University of Mysore (UoM) for rich contributions to the field of spiritual education and social work.

Amma Says......

When we study in college, striving to become a professional - this is education for a living. On the other hand, education for life requires understanding the essential principles of spirituality. This means gaining a deeper understanding of the world, our minds, our emotions, and ourselves. We all know that the real goal of education is not to create people who can understand only the language of machines. The main purpose of education should be to impart a culture of the heart - a culture based on spiritual values.

Communication through machines has even made people in far off places seem very close. Yet, in the absence of communication between hearts, even those who are physically close to us seem to be far away.

Today’s world needs people who express goodness in their words and deeds. If such noble role models set the example for their fellow beings, the darkness prevailing in today’s society will be dispelled, and the light of peace and non-violence will once again illumine this earth. Let us work together towards this goal.

Education for Life

The main purpose of education should be to impart a culture of the heart - a culture based on spiritual values.

My conviction is that science, technology and spirituality must unite in order to ensure a sustainable and balanced existence of our world.

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Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham is a multi-campus, multi-disciplinary research academia that is ranked as one of the best research institutions in India. Amrita is spread across six campuses in three states of India - Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka, with the headquarters at Ettimadai, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham continuously collaborates with top US universities including Ivy league universities and top European universities for regular student exchange programs, and has emerged as one of the fastest growing institutions of higher learning in India.
Our Mission

“To provide value based education and mould the character of the younger generation through a synthesis of science and spirituality so that their earnest endeavor to achieve progress and prosperity in life is matched by an ardent desire to extend selfless service to the society, one complementing the other.”

Swami Amritaswarupananda Puri
President, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham
Vice-Chairman, Mata Amritanandamayi Math

Swami Purnamritananda Puri
General Secretary
Mata Amritanandamayi Math

Swami Ramakrishnananda Puri
Member, Board of Management
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham

Swami Abhayamritananda Puri
Pro-Chancellor
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham

Dr. P. Venkat Rangan
Vice Chancellor
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham
Our Vision

We envision a world endowed with the wealth of knowledge and the strength of discrimination (Viveka).

We envision a system, which is a healthy breeding ground for the sprouting, culturing and dissemination of the whole gamut of knowledge in a wholesome and holistic manner for the well-being of humankind.

We envision a human being empowered with wholesome knowledge, which makes one an enabler and facilitator in the deep search and striving of every human being for that knowledge.

We envision a system wherein there is a great interplay and exchange of ideas, thoughts, feelings and actions, which develop people empowered with noble character and wholesome values. They go out into the fields of action to build a world of love, harmony, peace and knowledge. They follow the path of ‘Dharma’ and give a clear direction in every thought and human endeavor.
Academic Administration

Dr. U. Krishnakumar
Director
Dean
Faculty of Arts, Media and Commerce

Dr. K. Sankaran
Registrar and Dean
(Administration)

Prof. C. Parameswaran
Director, Corporate & Industry Relations (CIR)

Dr. Shantikumar Nair
Dean
Research

Dr. Krishnasree Achuthan
Dean, PG Programmes

Dr. Sasangan Ramanathan
Dean, Engineering

Dr. Prem Kumar Nair
Dean, Faculty of Medicine

Dr. Bipin Nair
Dean, Faculty of Science

Dr. V. S. Somanath
Dean, School of Business

Dr. Maneesha V. Ramesh
Dean, International Programs

Dr. Balakrishnan Shankar
Dean, Faculty of Humanities

Sri. P. Venugopal
Director
HR

Dr. Raghu Raman
Director, Global Rankings & Accreditation

SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES, KOCHI CAMPUS
NIRF is a methodology adopted by the Government of India, to rank institutions of higher education in India. Amrita has been ranked among the Top ten universities in the country, three times in a row.

Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham has emerged as the fourth best university in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) Ranking 2020 for Indian Universities.

Govt. of India has awarded Institution of Eminence (IoE) tag to Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham to emerge as World Class Teaching and Research Institution. Our goal is to be in top 500 of world ranking in the next 10 years and in top 100 eventually.
World Recognized
RESEARCH & INNOVATIONS

A world class, Research Intensive University with National and International Reputation

Interdisciplinary Research across different Research Themes;
Nanosciences, Biotechnology, Engineering, Cyber Security, Management Wireless Network and Applications and many more....

20+ Centres of Excellence
250+ International Projects
$72m Research Funding
100+ Patents (Granted & Pending)
12000+ International Publications

THE WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2020
Top 300 Medicine
Top 400 Engineering
QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2020
No.1 in India Private University
No.1 in India International Faculty

THE IMPACT RANKINGS 2021
Amrita University Ranked First in India
Top 100 in the World

Sustainable Development Goals
Rank 5th in World - Quality Education
Rank 8th in World - Gender Equality
Amrita School of Arts and Sciences located in the sprawling and serene Brahmasthanam Temple Complex, with rich biodiversity, on the main NH-17, is leaping towards boundless glory and fame. The campus with most modern infrastructure, faculty and administrative set up has excellent landscape abundant with trees and gardens.

Amrita School of Arts and Sciences, Kochi functions as a regular college in the Kochi Campus of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham and is approved by UGC and Ministry of HRD, Govt. of India, as per Order no. F.20-47/2005/U.3 dated 19th November 2008. As per statutory norms MCA course is approved by the AICTE also. Prior to the formal induction into the ambit of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham in 2005, the institute was affiliated to the Cochin University of Science and Technology (CUSAT).
Amrita School of Arts and Sciences offers Ph.D., TEN Post Graduate (P.G.), FOUR Integrated U.G. - P.G. and FIVE Under Graduate (U.G.) programme under various departments.

School provides Ashram hostel for girls and college bus facility for day scholars coming from Kochi city and suburbs.
Placement

Excellent coverage and individual attention are privileges earned at the Amrita School of Arts and Sciences, Kochi which moulds a professional from a novice. Therefore, the industry always prefers a graduate from Amrita, over others. For the right candidate there is always the right job waiting through our Placement office and Corporate and Industry Relations (CIR).
Amrita Kochi has established an excellent Placement Record in different disciplines

More than 80 recruiters have been consistently involving in our campus recruitment process for inducting the young talents to their corporate world. The School Placement Services are also coordinated centrally through the Corporate and Industry Relations (CIR) at the university headquarters at Ettimadai.

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Courses offered in the CAMPUS

UG Programme (3 Years - 6 Semesters)
Eligibility: 10 +2 any stream with 50% marks

» B.Com.
» B.Com. (Taxation & Finance)
» B.B.A.
» B.Sc. (Visual Media)
» B.A. (Communicative English)

Integrated UG-PG Programme (5 Years - 10 Semesters)
Eligibility: 10+2 any stream with 50% marks
Exit option with UG Degree after 6th Semester

» Integrated B.C.A. - M.C.A.
» Integrated B.A.-M.A. (English Language & Literature)
» Integrated B.Sc.-M.Sc. (Mathematics)
» Integrated B.Sc.-M.Sc. (Physics)
Post Graduate Programme (2 Years - 4 Semesters)

» **M.C.A.**
   Eligibility: B.C.A., B.Sc. (C.Sc.) or B.Sc. (I.T) with Mathematics or Statistics as one of the subjects, with an aggregate of minimum 60% marks.

» **M.Com. (Finance & Systems)**
   Eligibility: B.Com., B.B.M., B.B.A., B.Sc. (Banking) with 50% marks.

» **M.Sc. (Mathematics)**
   Eligibility: B.Sc. (Maths/Statistics/OR) with 50% marks.

» **M.Sc. (Applied Statistics & Data Analytics)**
   Eligibility: B.Sc. in Statistics/Mathematics/Computer Science or equivalent with 60% marks.

» **M.A. (English Language & Literature)**
   Eligibility: B.A. (English) with 60% marks and Interview process.

» **M.A. (Journalism & Mass Communication)**
   Eligibility: Graduation in any discipline with 50% marks.

» **M.A. (Visual Media & Communication)**
   Eligibility: Graduation in any discipline with 50% marks.

» **M.F.A. (Visual Media) Applied Art & Advertising**
   Eligibility: Graduation in any discipline with 50% marks.

» **M.F.A. (Visual Media) Digital Film Making**
   Eligibility: Graduation in any discipline with 50% marks.

» **M.F.A. (Visual Media) Animation & VFX**
   Eligibility: Graduation in any discipline with 50% marks.

Research Programme (Full Time - Regular)
Eligibility: Masters Degree in concerned discipline with 60% marks.
Admissions through Departmental Aptitude Test (DAT) and Interview process

» **Ph.D.**
   Computer Science & IT | Commerce & Management | Visual Media & Communication
   Mathematics | English Language & Literature | Cultural Education & India Studies
Resources & Facilities

- Computer labs at the School are equipped with advanced and sophisticated cloud computing environment with state-of-the-art technology.
- Over 400 desktop systems are networked over fast Ethernet and campus wide WiFi.
- Multiple Dedicated Leased line access with internet-bandwidth of 400 Mbps and 20 VPN dedicated lines.
- Cloud Computing platform with Blade Servers, Storage Servers, Firewall and Manageable Switches.
- Desktops with advanced programming tools and multimedia features.
- Visual Media Production, Post Production and Studio facilities.
- Networked classrooms fitted with latest audio / video equipments.
- Opportunity to get hands-on exposure to diverse operating system platforms and software tools.

- Online access to international research journals of IEEE, ProQuest, NList, etc.
- IT hubs backed up by 24 hour fail safe power supply.
- e-Learning facilities and Digital Library.
- Seminar Rooms and a big and lively auditorium with high power PA and projection Systems and stage lightings facilitating events and stage shows.
One of the most important driving forces behind the earnest attempt to reach heights of academic brilliance at the institute has been the ongoing research activity.

**Research**

- The force behind the ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Ph.D. Programme

Kochi Campus offers Full-Time Ph.D. Programmes in various disciplines. Some of the faculty members are presently working part-time towards gaining their Ph.D. degree. Scholars have contributed papers for the National and International Journals. They used to regularly attend conferences to gain more deeper understanding of their research areas. School strongly believes in the dictum that knowledge grows when shared and encourages faculty members to do so.
Department of Computer Science & IT

The Computer Science and I.T. Department of Amrita School of Arts and Sciences, Kochi was established with the objective of imparting quality education in the field of Computer Science and I.T. Applications. We aim at carving out graduates with professional knowledge. Many of our Alumni are holding important positions in I.T. industry in India and abroad.

Programmes Offered

» Ph.D. (Computer Science & IT)
» M.C.A.
» 5 Year Integrated B.C.A. - M.C.A.
Department of Commerce & Management

Department of Commerce and Management has been offering under graduate and post graduate programme relevant to the industry requirements in an exemplary manner since its inception. The department is endowed with learned and experienced faculty members and extremely good facilities.

Academic Courses impart the necessary skills with a solid footage of theory and practice required for the industry, commerce and academia.

The Department has initiated the value added Academics by additional coaching for CPT and IPCC to train students to pursue Chartered Accountancy, NCFM, NISM and train them in Tally Enterprise Accounting software during the regular class time slots.

Programmes Offered

» Ph.D. (Commerce & Management)
» M.Com. (Finance & Systems)
» B.Com.
» B.Com. (Taxation & Finance)
» B.B.A.
The Department of Visual Media and Communication has pioneered a uniquely incorporated combination of innovative media theories and practical works, designed to foster the critical understanding and creative use of the audio-visual media.

Students are endowed with a comprehensive grounding in the practical and theoretical areas of Journalism, Mass Communication and Broadcast Media including TV, Radio and Web, Print Media, Graphics, Multimedia, Animation, Visual Arts, PR and Advertising and Film Studies.

Media Department provides an equal blend of practice and theory on our Under-graduate and Post-graduate programme. Over the last fifteen years we have been able to prepare students for a life time work in a hastily changing field rather than training for the industry of the day.
The ultimate objective and mission of the academic programme both at the PG and UG level is to carve out young professionals capable of looking at this world with the newer perspectives. Aimed at the integrated application of creative thoughts into the use of advancements in media technology, the courses offered are innovative and unique.

Programmes Offered

- Ph.D. (Visual Media & Communication)
- M.F.A. (Visual Media) Digital Film Making
- M.F.A. (Visual Media) Animation & VFX
- M.A. (Journalism & Mass Communication)
- M.A. (Visual Media & Communication)
- B.Sc. (Visual Media)

Resources and Facilities

- Visual Media Facilities include Digital and Advanced Video cameras and accessories.
- Visual Media Production and Post Production facilities.
- Professional Video and Still cameras.
- Theatre system.
- Two fully equipped Audio and Video Studios for Post Production, News Reading and Anchoring.
- Facilities for Film screening and Appreciation sessions.
- Latest Studio Lighting and Trolley system.
- An excellent video library with more than 500 world film classics and learning videos.
- Powerful and state-of-the-art Multimedia workstations including audio and video edit suits.
- Seminar and Film screening Rooms
Department of English Language & Literature

The English language unlocks the doors to a world of opportunities in Literature and Communication. The department of English and Languages started with the objective of enhancing the communication skills and regenerating the lost literary values.

The department envisages new approaches and methodologies in the process of teaching, training and guiding research. The department also has a well equipped library with books, journals and interactive e-learning content. The main aim of the department is to equip its aspirants to attain their higher education without compromising quality and professionalism.

Programmes Offered

- Ph.D. (English Language & Literature)
- M.A. (English Language & Literature)
- B.A. (Communicative English)
- 5 Year Integrated B.A.-M.A. (English Language & Literature)
Department of Mathematics

Our mission is to provide the intellectual maturity to understand the laws of nature and translate them into mathematical language. The faculty members provide a strong foundation to sharpen the skills for solving various problems of mankind.

The department also serves as a pivotal supporting department to all other departments in the campus, since mathematical acumen being the most fundamental to research and technical expertise.

The Department in association with MATHLAB offers CSIR UGC NET coaching for post-graduate students. Department also gives coaching in Mathematical Tools R and SPSS.

Programmes Offered

» Ph.D. (Mathematics)
» M.Sc. (Mathematics)
» M.Sc. (Applied Statistics & Data Analytics)
» 5 Year Integrated B.Sc. - M.Sc. (Mathematics)
Department of Sciences

The Department of Sciences aims to be at the forefront of the scientific research and teaching. We offer Five-year Integrated Masters in Physics. The aim of the programme is to encourage state-of-the-art learning and turn out well trained graduates motivated to do incessant and vigorous research.

In future we are planning to include broad based research in all domains of Physics.

Programmes Offered

» 5 Year Integrated B.Sc. - M.Sc. (Physics)
Our library has a large collection of books, journals and magazines. The exhaustive collection of books also include many international editions. Reading area is also provided for facilitating quiet reading and self learning for the students. Visual Media department has a separate collection of Books, Journals and more than 500 World Film classics. This adds fervour and quality to the guided sessions on film appreciation.

Library is also equipped with a Digital Library System with an excellent archive of more than 2000 GB information in all subject areas in different formats. Online access to IEEE journals and innumerable international databases.

**Digital Library**

Access to the Amrita Digital E-Learning Library, an extensive and incomparable pool having rich pool of information on literature, class notes, slides, speeches, interviews, text books and research materials from all renowned universities and organizations.
Main activity of the department is campus placement, skill development and internship training. Training in soft skills is compulsory part of all the courses in various disciplines. Expert faculty members with rich industry exposure form the core team of CIR department in our campus.

CIR, one of the important centres of Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, provides the students of the university with the best career opportunities by closely interacting with many of the corporate giants in India.

Life Skills Development and Placement

CIR has been instrumental in facilitating these recruiters in conducting Pre-Placement Talks, Aptitude & Technical tests, Group Discussion and Interviews. CIR maintains a close rapport with various industrial firms for organising and coordinating industrial visits, in-plant training, internships and projects for the students.

More than 80 Recruiters

have been consistently involving in our campus recruitment process for inducting the young talents to their corporate world.
Training and Life Skills Development for Recruitment, Entrance Tests and Higher Learning Initiatives

A broad based extensive training programme has been formulated by CIR to enable the students to acquire various skills that not only suit the corporate requirements but also result in the overall personality development of students. Students are geared up in the field of Aptitude training which includes speed maths, logical reasoning, verbal reasoning & analytical skills to the level of GRE, by the full time in house faculty.

In-campus training for CAT/MAT Examination, Bank Officer/Clerical jobs and Corporate Recruitment during the regular working periods are provided through professional trainers of CIR and guest faculty.

Training for CA Entrance (CPT), IPCC, TALLY Certification and selected foreign languages are also provided.

Excellent coverage and individual attention are unique privileges earned which moulds a professional from a novice

CIR is in constant touch with the corporate world to gather the latest requirements and suitably modify and fine tune the training programmes to match such requirement.

CIR also organises training programmes for the development of each and every student of our campus in areas beyond academics, with a view to equipping them with the required skills that are indispensable in the corporate scenario. To achieve this end, CIR has developed in-house training programmes in the field of Aptitude training (which includes speed maths, logical reasoning, verbal & analytical skills) and Soft Skill development programmes to inculcate interpersonal skills, espirit-de-corps, group discussion skills, communication skills and personal interview techniques. The entire training programme is being carried out during the academic session itself.
Alumni Speaks

We believe that the alumni of an institution are its ambassadors. Their character, personality, intellect, achievement, success and recognition add great value to the positioning of the alma mater as a prestigious educational institution producing high quality professionals.

Swedha Suresh
Tata Consultancy Services (TCS)

My College made my dream possible by the inevitable and consistent efforts. I thank our Placement Department for encouraging me to think globally and spread my wings to take off for the land of my dreams. Now being a TCS person, I am extremely grateful for the guidance and support I received from Amrita for shaping my career.

Ambika B
Cognizant Technology Solutions

I feel proud to be an Amritian. Amrita, Kochi provided us with quality education along with ‘Education for life’ was also being taught. The College gave us all facilities to develop our knowledge with dedicated faculty. Corporate and Industry Relations (CIR) has also played an important role to achieve my goals in career. I joined Cognizant Technology Solutions through our Campus Recruitment.

Lakshmi Chandran
The Federal Bank Ltd.

There is more to education at Amrita, Kochi than merely earning your degree; it offers a myriad of opportunities to develop yourself not only in terms of knowledge and intellect but also character and personality. My life at Amrita has helped me discover myself more and has taught me to have faith and confidence in myself. I am indebted to Amrita for finding placement for me in Federal Bank Ltd.

Amal Prakash N
Infosys

Amrita, is one of the best colleges in Kerala that provides quality education, good infrastructure and has good placement records. CIR plays an important role, in helping students in achieving their goals, and getting them placed in some of India’s top companies.

Athira Pattazhiyil Ambily
RR Donnelley

Our College and Ashram was the turning point of my life. Being a B.Com. student and a hostel inmate, my College not just gave me academic lessons but life lessons that helps me face life with strength and ability. Today I feel blessed to work at RR Donnelley, a fortune 500 company. Classes conducted by CIR and the various Vidyamritam sessions helped our overall mind and skill development.

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Vysaakan M
Wipro Technologies

Creative way of educators encourages us to think out of the box. When I started my MCA, I had to struggle to accomplish academically. Thanks to Amrita, I have now found that I am successful when undertaking assignments and organizing for both myself and others.

Geethu Prasad
Amazon India

Being an Amritian is my luck. We learned through advanced syllabus, full time advanced library and lab facilities. Excellent coaching by expert and dedicated faculties has helped me to attain such a position in my life. I was selected Amazon, through Campus Placement.

Priyanka P Patil
Royal Bank of Scotland

I consider it as a greatest fortune to have completed my UG as well as PG at Amrita Kochi. The values and culture I have imbibed from my 5 years of learning has helped to cultivate positive outlook towards future. Adding to it, everything was such a unique wisdom.

K S Anjali
UST Global

Excellent learning environment, good faculty members, high class facilities, advanced syllabus, library, full-time lab facility, supportive staff and a healthy milieu fostering individual growth make Amrita an ideal place to be at and learn.

Vishnu N Bhat
BNP Paribas

It was indeed my best decision to join one of the most sought after and finest colleges in the state. Amrita provides a perfect balance between academics and culture. Various activities like Internships, Industrial visits, Workshops, Lectures by experts from Industry help to bridge the gap between Academics and Industry.

Jeethu Reju
Infosys

Being an Amritian is always a pride. Amrita Kochi is one of the best colleges in Kerala that provides top quality education. Seminars, Workshops and Conferences at Amrita was very helpful. The knowledge delivered in Amrita is practical oriented which keeps Amritians ahead from other students. I got placed in Infosys Limited through the Campus Recruitment in Amrita.

Haina George
Geojit Financial Services Ltd.

As an Amritian, I am very proud to say that our Amrita, Kochi is one of the best colleges in Kerala that provides values and quality education. with advanced syllabus, dedicated faculties, library, full-time lab facility etc. The verbal, aptitude classes and soft skills handled by Corporate and Industry Relations (CIR) played an important role to achieve my goals in the career. I joined Geojit Financial Services Ltd. through our Campus Recruitment.

Megha Prabhakar
Ernst & Young

Success is where preparation and opportunity meet. And this is true to every word when it concerns Amrita Kochi. With all the right facilities it provided, enhanced with dedicated and helpful faculties and a serene and spiritual environment. I was nurtured well to grab the best opportunities it offered, boost my self-confidence and above all, develop myself as a person. Forever thankful to my alma mater, for what I am today.

Remya Paul
McKinsey & Company

With journalism, designing and photography in mind I decided to join B.Sc. Visual Media here. I am proud and privileged to be a part of this institution which very well nurtured me to who I am. The institution provided me good exposure and greater opportunities in the field of media and helped me develop my skills in my interested areas. Getting placed in a renowned organization like “McKinsey and Company” was something I had wished and urged for.
Samskriti - a Cultural Group

A group named Samskriti started at the campus on 9th September 2009. About 200 students from both UG and PG batches constitute the core group of Samskriti volunteers. The group aims at practising ethical values and serving the fellow beings inspired by teachings from all Mahatmas like Amma. Selected students from the group are trained to do self-help activities like recycling waste, doll making, fancy item making, stitching and embroidery etc. Resources generated are used for helping the children at Amma’s Tribal Orphanage at Parippally, Matruchaya Orphanage, Tribal Villages in Wayanad, Thattekkad, etc. Visits are made to Goshala, Cancer centres, Pain and Palliative Care Centres etc. Students do this during their spare time.

Extra-curricular Activities

Kayikamritam - Annual Sports

School conducts sports event ‘Kayikamritam’ every year. Students participate in various indoor and outdoor games like Chess, Carroms, Badminton, Throw Ball, Basket Ball, Cricket. etc.

Kalamritam - the cultural fiesta

Annual cultural fiesta ‘Kalamritam’ spanning three days focused mainly in Indian culture, arts and music. Our students have participated in the South Zone Inter University Youth Festival and won prizes.

SPIC MACAY

Activities of Society for Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Amongst Youth (SPIC MACAY), aimed at promoting the rich Indian Heritage and Culture is active in the campus. Workshops on Kathakali, Saraswati Veena and Manipuri Dance, Hindusthani Music, Cheriyal Painting, Tholppavakkoottu, Bharatanatyam, Mohiniyattam, Kathak, Oddissi, etc were conducted. ‘SAMEEKSHA’ a 6 day Youth Intensive workshop on 14 art forms was attended by 700 students.
CSI Student Branch activities are aimed at promoting comprehensive bouquet of online services for its members. Our branch initiates lot of events like Conferences, Technical Quizzes, Debugging contest, Technical Writing, Dumb Tech Charades, Technical Talk, Query Builder and much more every semester. A few of our outstanding programs were “Golden Tech Bridge”, State Student Convention, ‘IT 2020 CSI Regional Meet on Interdisciplinary Research, ‘Prabhathi’ (a Corporate Social Responsibility event) were conducted. At the national level, our CSI Student chapter won the Best CSI Student Branch, Best CSI Student Activist and Longest Continuous CSI SBC Award consecutively for three years in 2015, 2016 and 2017.

Entrepreneurship Development (ED) Club

Club aims at mentoring a student to become an entrepreneur and to create startup culture. The ED club coordinates various activities devoted through Enterprise Creation and Entrepreneurship Development. It aims at enabling our student to generate income through various activities, empower them by Skill development training and Awareness Building Programme.

Walking with KMA, aspiring youth have been able to become aware of the learning situations in management and maximise their potential leading to the corporate limelight. To fructify the above objectives, Institution has become the Associate Corporate Member of KMA. This has given the leverage to students and faculty in the knowledge sharing sessions by many professionals.

The young communicators club (YCC)

The young communicators club (YCC) is the student wing of Public Relations Council of India (PRCI), which is a pan India communication exchange forum. It provides a platform for the students to interact with eminent personalities, entrepreneurs and academicians through webinars, workshops, contests, and many other creative events. It also enables the youth to be moulded with the required skills for a professional environment.

The Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Center (IEDC)

The Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Center of Amrita School of Arts and Sciences-Kochi, is established with the aim of promoting innovation and entrepreneurial culture among the students of the institution/nearby regions. Supported by Kerala Startup Mission, the objective of the IEDC is to create awareness, exposure and skills among the students and to enable and promote entrepreneurial ventures by developing innovative products of social relevance. Various activities are organized by the ASAS-IEDC to nurture the young minds to fulfil their entrepreneurial dreams.
Amrita Faculty, Philosophy and Facilities

We give prime importance to quality teaching, research and ethical orientation. Dedicated efforts of the teaching community make this a reality.

Our dedicated group of teachers, visiting experts and consultants inspired by AMMA's call for selfless service, form the core of the school faculty. “To give the best of training to the students as offering to the Divine”, is AMMA’s foreword to Her children at Amrita.

Apart from this we have adjunct visiting and guest faculty also consists of experts drawn from various other Universities, Industries and Research Organizations.

- Students are not permitted to use mobile phones during the regular class hours.
- Consumption of non-vegetarian food, liquor and intoxicating drugs and items are not allowed in the campus and hostels.
- Training in Soft Skills and Aptitude Improvement has been included as compulsory subjects in the curriculum of all UG and PG courses.
- Political activities are not permitted in the campus.
- Value based personality development, discipline and decorum have become a way of life in the school. Many value education sessions are conducted as group discussions among students. This improves the confidence of students.

Transport Facilities for day scholars

College bus facilities are available for students coming from Kochi and neighbouring places like Cheranelloor, Elamakkara, Paravur, Ayyappankavu, Kodungalloor, Vypin, Nayarambalam, Tripunithura, Fort Kochi, Aluva, Kakkanad, Thrikkakara, Angamaly, Perumbavoor, etc.

Other Facilities

Power Supply
Institute is equipped with high capacity uninterruptible power supply (UPS) systems.

Wi-Fi
Campus is totally Wi-Fi enabled for academic and other purposes for staff and students.

Water Filter Plant, Effluent Treatment (ETP) Plant and Waste Management System
Campus has a high capacity modern water treatment plant to facilitate supply of pure drinking water. There is also a high capacity ETP facility and waste management system.
Ashram Hostel

Accommodation is provided in the Ashram Hostel for girls only after screening selection. Hostel is directly managed by the ashram under the supervision of staff. Food is strictly vegetarian. Since the School is located close to our Healthcare Campus, our super specialty hospital AIMS is accessible to the campus community for tertiary healthcare needs.

Ashram Hostel residents will have to strictly and compulsorily adhere to the separate norms, discipline, routine and strictures of the hostel, befitting the ashram spiritual environment.

For the ethical orientation and for improving the will power, concentration and positive energy absolutely essential for the strenuous academic pursuit, the hostel daily routine provides opportunity for Sadhana in the morning and evening, which includes Japa, Meditation, Yoga, chanting of Sri Lalitha Sahasranama, vedas, etc.

Special exclusive mentoring sessions are conducted for hostel residents in yoga, discourses on values, life skills for confidence building.

Coaching facilities are available for those students interested in learning dance, instruments like Violin, Harmonium, Guitar, Tabla and Keyboard and vocal music.

Students are encouraged to do selfless service for organic farming, environmental activities and community outreach programme.
FACULTY PROFILE

Dr. E.R. Vimina
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr) (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
Ph.D. (Computer Science), M.E (Computer Science and Engineering), BTech (Electrical and Electronics)
Areas of Interest: Image Processing, Information Retrieval Systems, Data Structures and Algorithms, Data mining
Experience: 19 years of teaching and research experience

Dr. U. Krishnakumar
Research Supervisor
Areas of Interest: Distributed Computing, Science Communication, Culture and Media Studies
Experience: 45 years academic experience and 23 years research experience in India and abroad.

Dr. Maya L. Pai
Assistant Professor (SG), Research Guide (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
Ph.D., M. Sc. (Mathematics), B. Ed., M.Phil., SET
Areas of Interest: Discrete Mathematics, Numerical Methods, Operations Research
Experience: 37 years academic experience, 12 years in research. Published papers in national and international journals.

A.S. Mahesh
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
M. Sc. (CS), MBA (Systems and Marketing), M.Phil. (CS), PGDCA, ‘O’ Level
Areas of Interest: Cloud Computing, Networking, Programming
Experience: 22 years academic experience, including 6 years in research.

Nima S. Nair
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
M.C.A., M.Phil. (CS), PGDCA, ‘O’ Level
Areas of Interest: Networking, Cloud Computing, Systems & Network Security, Operating System
Experience: 21 years experience in teaching.

L. Nitha
Assistant Professor
M.C.A., M.Phil. (CS), PGDCA, ‘O’ Level
Areas of Interest: Data Mining, Social Media Analytics, Social Mining
Experience: 21 years experience in teaching. Published papers in referred journals.

M. Soumya Krishnan
Assistant Professor
M.C.A., M. Sc. (CS), M.Phil. (CS)
Areas of Interest: Software Engineering, Data Mining, ITES
Experience: 20 years experience in teaching.

V.R. Rajalakshmi
Assistant Professor
M. Sc. (IT), M. Tech. (IT), PGDCA, ‘O’ Level
Areas of Interest: Database Systems, Data Structures, Data Mining
Experience: 22 years experience in teaching.

K. Sreekumar
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
M.Tech. (CSE), M.Sc. (IT)
Areas of Interest: Web Technology, Database Technology, Distributed Computing, Object Oriented System Design
Experience: 20 years academic and 4 years industry experience
C.V. Prasanna Kumar
Assistant Professor
M.C.A., PGDCA
Areas of Interest: Cryptography, Networking, Databases, International Student Counselling
Experience: 23 years academic experience, including 10 years in South Korea, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam

A.G. Hari Narayanan
Assistant Professor
M.C.A.
Areas of Interest: Data Mining, Web Programming
Experience: 14 years academic experience, including 6 year in research and two years in industry.

R. Nandakumar
Assistant Professor
M.Tech. (CS), M.Sc. (Physics), UGC-NET (Physics)
Areas of Interest: Algorithms, Geometry
Experience: 24 years of experience in industry, research and teaching. Published papers in refereed International journals.

V. Leena
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Computer Science & IT)
M.C.A.
Areas of Interest: Networks, Network Security
Experience: 18 years experience including industry and teaching.

G. Deepa
Assistant Professor
M.C.A.
Areas of Interest: Software Engineering, Data Mining
Experience: 18 years experience in teaching.

T. Remya Nair
Assistant Professor
M.C.A.
Areas of Interest: Networks
Experience: 14 years experience in teaching.

G.S. Anisha
Faculty Associate
M.C.A., M.Phil. (CS)
Areas of Interest: Networks, Data Mining
Experience: 7 years experience in teaching.

K. P. Ambily
Faculty Associate
M.Sc. (CS), M. Phil.
Areas of Interest: Networks, Systems and Network Security
Experience: 14 years experience in teaching.

N.S. Ranganadhan
Visiting Faculty
M.Tech.
Areas of Interest: Software Engineering, Bio-Medical Image Processing, Programming & Skill Development
Experience: 26 years industry experience and teaching in India and abroad.

Visiting Faculty

K. Jayakrishnan
M.CA, M.Tech.
Director; Xtend Technologies

Maya Menon
M. Sc. (Quantum Electronics), PMP
IT Professional
Switzerland

Ullas Ponnadi
B. Tech. (ECD), NIT
Chief Technology Officer, CreatNlm

Dr. M. Ravishankar
M.Tech., Ph.D.
Associate Professor; CUSAT

Ramesh Govind
M.B.A.
Project Manager, Infosys Ltd.
Dr. Sony Vijayan
Associate Professor, Research Guide, PGP Chair (Member, Board of Studies in Commerce and in Business Management)
Ph.D., LL.B., M. L., UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Commercial Law, Constitution of Law, Maritime Law, Corporate Laws
Experience: 24 years in teaching and research experience and practice as a Lawyer. Presented papers in International Conferences and Journals

Dr. P. Balasubramanian
Assistant Professor (SG), Research Guide (Chairman, Board of Studies in Commerce)
Ph.D., M.B.A. (Finance), M.Phil. (Management), M.Com. (Finance)
Areas of Interest: Finance, Economics and Management
Experience: 15 years of teaching experience and 4 years in research. Published papers in referred journals.

Dr. A.S. Ambily
Assistant Professor (SG) and Research Coordinator (Member, Board of Studies in Commerce and in Business Management)
Ph. D., M.Com. (Finance), M.B.A. (Finance), B.Ed.
Areas of Interest: Finance, International Business, HRM, Marketing
Experience: 24 years in teaching and research experience and practice as a Lawyer. Presented papers in International Conferences and Journals

Dr. S. Venugopal
Professor, Research Supervisor
Ph. D., M. Com.
Areas of Interest: Finance, Marketing, Management
Experience: 41 years of experiences in teaching, including 19 years of research.

Dr. N. Ajithkumar
Professor, Research Supervisor
Ph. D., M.A. (Economics)
Areas of Interest: Economics and Finance
Experience: 40 years of experiences in teaching, including 30 years of research. Published books in Economics and Co-operation. Published and presented papers in referred journals.

K.R. Shabu
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr.)
M. Com. (Finance), M. Phil. (Commerce), M.B.A. (Finance), UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Accounting, Finance
Experience: 31 years teaching experience, including 11 years in research. Published books in Financial Accounting, Management Accounting and Cost Accounting. Published and presented papers in referred journals.

Dr. N.V. Sreedharan
Professor, Research Guide (Chairman, Board of Studies in Business Management)
Ph.D. in Marketing (Advertising), M.B.A. (Finance), M.A. (English Language and Literature)
Areas of Interest: Organisational Behavior, Small Business Management, Strategic Management
Experience: 21 years academic experience, including 12 years in research.

Dr. P. Ravindranath
Professor, Research Guide
Ph.D. (Management), MBA, PGDMM, M.Sc., CMC
Areas of Interest: Strategic Planning, Corporate Governance, Strategic Marketing, Branding & Brand Communication, Corporate Soft Skills, Management Consulting
Experience: 36 years industry experience; 31 years teaching experience including 8 years in research.
(Also serving in Department of Visual Media and Communication)
Association with Professional/Industry Bodies - Former President, KMA; Former Chairman, IACC Kerala; Regional President, IACC South; President, ORSI Kochi Chapter

Dr. Indu Maneesh Kumar
Asst. Professor (Doing Post Doctoral Fellowship in ICSSR)
M.B.A., M. Phil., Ph.D.
Areas of Interest: Marketing, Human Resource Management Advertising
Experience: 5 years experience in teaching, 8 years in research and 4 years in industry.
Dr. T.G. Manoharan
Assistant Professor (Sr.Gr.) and Research Guide
Ph.D., M.Phil., M.A. Economics, MBA (Banking and Finance), M.Com.
Areas of Interest: Rural Public Finance, Rural and Urban Economics, Banking, Finance and Taxation
Experience: 19 years experience in teaching, 6 years in research and 3 years in industry.

Dr. Vidhya Vinayachandran
Assistant Professor and Research Guide
Ph.D., M.Com., B.Ed. UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Entrepreneurship, Accounting, Management
Experience: 3 years experience in teaching, 4 years in research.

Dr. Suresh K.
Assistant Professor (Sr.Gr.) and Research Guide
M.Sc. (Marine Biology), Ph.D.
Areas of Interest: Environmental Science, Research Methodology
Experience: 25 years experience in teaching, 27 years in research and 9 years in industry.

S. Girish
Assistant Professor
M.Com., UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Finance, Marketing, HRM
Experience: 12 years of experience in teaching and 1 year in industry. Presented papers in International Conferences and Journals.

C.A. S. H. Pramod Prabhu
Expert Faculty (Member, Board of Studies in Commerce)
ACA, PGDBA, CISA (USA)
Areas of Interest: Finance, Taxation, Management
Experience: 15 years experience in industry as Chartered Accountant and 15 years in teaching.

K.G. Rajani
Assistant Professor
M.Com. (Finance), M.Phil. (Commerce), SET, PGDCA
Areas of Interest: Cost Accounting, Management
Experience: 20 years academic experience, including 7 years in research.

R. Preetha
Assistant Professor
M.Com., MBA (Finance), M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Finance, Accounting, Marketing
Experience: 18 years of experience in teaching and research.

Krishna M.B.
Assistant Professor
M.Com., UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Finance, Marketing, Management
Experience: 6 years experience in teaching.

Rashmi J. Menon
Assistant Professor
M.B.A. (HR & Marketing)
Areas of Interest: HR, Marketing, PR
Experience: 5 years in teaching, 5 years industry experience.

Visiting Faculty

C.A. Satheeshkumar G, FCA
Chartered Accountant

C.A. Vivek Krishna Govind, FCA
Partner, Varma and Varma Chartered Accountants, Kochi

Dr. K. P. S. Nair
Director, FACT

C.A. P. J. Johnney, FCA
B.Sc. PGDBA, ACA, CISA (USA)

Dr. Vivek Menon
Associate Professor
Amrita School of Business

Prof. Prashanth Nair
Dept. of Computer Science
Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham
Dr. C.S. Jayaraman
Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts)
M.A. in English Language and Literature, Ph.D. (Hon.)
Areas of Interest: Visual Arts, English Literature, Dramatics, Music and Film Studies
Experience: Retired Professor. 46 years of academic experience, including teaching History of Visual Arts - Indian and Western, Screenplay Writing and Paintings. Presented papers in international conferences. Published books.

Dr. Dinesh Babu S.
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr.), Research Guide (Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts)
M.Sc. (E-Media & Communication), M.Phil. (Communication Studies), Ph.D. (Journalism and Mass Communication)
Areas of Interest: New Media, Environmental Communication, Animation Studies, Research Methodology
Experience: 5 years experience in teaching, 8 years in research.

Dr. K. Sreena
Asst. Professor (Sr. Gr.), Research Guide
Ph.D., M.A. (English), M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Literary theory, Film Studies, Technical Communication
Experience: 14 years academic experience, including 9 years in research. Presented papers in national and international conferences and published papers in referred national journals.

Dr. P. Ravindranath
Professor, Research Guide (Member of Board of Studies of Visual Media & Communication)
Ph.D. (Management), MBA, PGDMM, M.Sc., CMC
Experience: 36 years industry experience; 31 years teaching experience including 8 years in research.
(Also serving in Department of Commerce & Management)
Association with Professional/Industry Bodies - Former President, KMA; Former Chairman, IACC Kerala; Regional President, IACC-South; President, ORSI Kochi Chapter

Dr. P.P. Vijayalakshmi
Professor and Research Supervisor
Ph.D., M.A., PGCTE (CIFL, Hyderabad)
Areas of Interest: Communicative English, Fine Arts and Media, Visual Semiotics
Experience: 45 years of teaching in Collegiate Education Service, including 15 years in research.

Dr. N.V. Sreedharan
Professor, Research Guide
Ph.D. in Marketing (Advertising), M.B.A. (Finance), M.A. (English Language and Literature)
Areas of Interest: Media Organisation, Brand Management, Advertising, Copyrighting, Media Studies
Experience: 21 years academic experience, including 12 years in research.

D. Harikrishnan
Assistant Professor,
M.F.A. (Visual Media), UGC-NET (Visual Arts), Advanced Diploma in 2D and 3D Animation
Areas of Interest: Motion Graphics, Visual Effects, Animation, Design Management, Photography
Experience: 11 years experience in teaching, 10 years industrial experience as Animator/ Graphic Artist.

Vinod L.
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts)
UGC-NET (Visual Arts), MFA (Applied Art), Diploma in Advanced Computer Arts (C-DAC)
Areas of Interest: Visual Semiotics, Visual Arts, Applied Art, Art History, Painting
Experience: 17 Years Teaching and Research experience, 6 Years Industry experience.
R. Sanju  
Assistant Professor  
M. F. A. (Visual Media), Advanced Diploma in Multimedia  
Areas of Interest: Videography, Audiography, Video Editing  
Experience: 17 years academic experience, including 3 years in research and one year in industry.

M.A. Krishnakumar  
Assistant Professor  
M. F. A. (Visual Media), M.B.A.  
Areas of Interest: Video Production, Photography, Direction  
Experience: 14 years in teaching and video production.

T. Varun Prabha  
Assistant Professor  
M. F. A. (Visual Media), UGC-NET  
Areas of Interest: Video Production, Photography, Direction  
Experience: 13 years in teaching and video production.

Aparna Namboodiri  
Faculty Associate  
M.A. (Journalism and Mass Communication), B. A. (History), PG Diploma in Journalism  
Areas of Interest: Programme and News Production, Documentary, Script Writing  
Experience: 12 years industrial experience as Reporter and Sub Editor, 9 years experience in teaching.

Rekha K.P.  
Assistant Professor  
MCJ, UGC-NET (Mass Communication and Journalism)  
Areas of Interest: Print and Broadcast Journalism, Communication Theories, News Reporting  
Experience: 6 years experience in teaching and research, 5 years in industry.

Karthika C.  
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts and in Communication)  
MCJ  
Areas of Interest: Print and Broadcast Journalism, Communication Theories, News Reporting  
Experience: 5 years experience in teaching and research, 5 years in industry.

K.R. Muralikrishnan  
Faculty Associate  
MBA (Information Systems), Diploma in Digital Multimedia  
Areas of Interest: Graphic Designing, Video Editing  
Experience: 24 years industry experience.

P. R. Aravind  
Faculty Associate  
MFA (Visual Media)  
Areas of Interest: 2D Animation, Photography, Videography  
Experience: 4 years experience in teaching, 5 years industry experience in 2D animation and E-Learning.

N.K. Vinod  
Faculty Associate  
M.Sc. (Visual Communication), B. A. (Malayalam), Professional Diploma in Advanced Multimedia Technology  
Areas of Interest: Drawing, Mural Painting, Illustration, Graphic Designing, Photography, Animation  
Experience: 9 years experience in teaching, 14 years industrial experience in Graphic Designing.
Dr. Shemin Balachandran Nair
Film Maker, Cinematographer
Ph.D. (University of Lancashire, UK)
Areas of Interest: Film Making, Film Narratives, Ethnico Media Studies

A. K. Haridas
Editor, Art Director and Design Software Consultant
National Diploma in Fine Arts
Areas of Interest: Painting, Illustration, Typography

Arun Rama Varma
Sound Designer, Sound Editor
B. Sc. Electronics, Diploma in Audiography (FTII, Pune)
Experience: Over 18 years of work experience as Sound Engineer in Hindi, Malayalam, Tamil film projects and Ad Films.

Raghunath Paleri
Director and Script Writer
M.A (English)
(Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts)

Poojappura Suku
Former Head, Dept. of Fine Arts, RLV College of Music & Fine Arts
Diploma in Drawing & Painting
National Diploma in Fine Arts (Painting), BFA (Painting)
Awards from Kendra Lalit Kala Akademi and Kerala Lalithakala Akademi

T. Kaladharan
Painter, Sculptor; Film Art Director
Secretary, Kerala Kalapeetom
Awards from Kerala Lalithakala Akademi

K. Pradeep
Writer, Sr. Journalist (Retd. from The Hindu)
M.A. (English)

Manoj Brahmmangalam
Artist, Sculptor
National Diploma in Fine Arts (Painting)

Shaji Appukuttan
Artist, Art Director
BFA (Painting)
Award from Kerala Lalithakala Akademi
Dr. Archana Nair
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr.), Research Guide
Ph.D. (Mathematics, Utkal University), M.Sc. (IIT Madras)
Areas of Interest: Machine Learning, Mathematical Modelling, Numerical Method
Experience: 8 years experience of teaching and research.

Dr. Maya L. Pai
Assistant Professor (SG), Research Guide (Member, Board of Studies in Mathematics)
Ph.D, M. Sc. (Applied Mathematics), B. Ed., M.Phil., SET
Areas of Interest: Discrete Mathematics, Numerical Methods, Operations Research
Experience: 37 years academic experience, 13 years in research. Published papers in national and international journals.

Dr. T. Senthilkumar
Assistant Professor, Research Guide
Ph.D., M.Phil, M.Sc.
Areas of Interest: Stability Analysis, Impulsive Control Theory, Differential System with Time Delay
Experience: 7 years experience in research and teaching. Paper published in International Journals.

Dr. K. Sreekanth
Assistant Professor, Research Guide
Ph.D. (Mathematics, Central University of Jammu), M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Queueing Theory
Experience: 8 years experience of teaching and research.

Ambili S. Nair
Assistant Professor
M. Sc. (Mathematics), B. Ed., M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Operations Research, Supply Chain Management
Experience: 25 years experience in teaching and research.

R. Parameswaran
Assistant Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Mathematics)
M. Sc. (Mathematics), M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Differential Equations, Fluid Mechanics
Experience: 11 years experience in teaching and research.

Supriya Rajendran
Assistant Professor
M. Sc. (Mathematics), B. Ed., M. Phil.
Areas of Interest: Numerical Methods, OR, Application of Mathematics in Special Education
Experience: 22 years experience in teaching.

P. Manjusha
Assistant Professor
M.Sc., M.Ed (Mathematics)
Areas of Interest: Abstract Algebra, Calculus, graph theory
Experience: 10 years in teaching.

Lakshmi Girish
Faculty Associate
M.Sc. (Mathematics), UGC-NET
Areas of Interest: Graph Theory, Linear Algebra
Experience: 3 years experience in teaching.
Mathematics

**Remya Ranganath**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc. (Mathematics), B.Ed. (Mathematics), SET
*Areas of Interest*: Applied Algebra and Graph Theory
*Experience*: 9 years experience in teaching.

**Lakshmi Priya K.**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc., UGC-NET
*Areas of Interest*: Vedic Mathematics, Number Theory, Cryptography
*Experience*: 3 years experience in teaching and research.

**S. Gowsika**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc., B.Ed.
*Areas of Interest*: Differential Equation, Numerical Analysis
*Experience*: 3 years experience in teaching.

**Remya Ranganath**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc. (Mathematics), B.Ed. (Mathematics), SET
*Areas of Interest*: Applied Algebra and Graph Theory
*Experience*: 9 years experience in teaching.

**Lakshmi Priya K.**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc., UGC-NET
*Areas of Interest*: Vedic Mathematics, Number Theory, Cryptography
*Experience*: 3 years experience in teaching and research.

**S. Gowsika**
Faculty Associate
M.Sc., B.Ed.
*Areas of Interest*: Differential Equation, Numerical Analysis
*Experience*: 3 years experience in teaching.

**Prof. Varadarajan A.**
Professor
M.Sc. (Physics)
*Areas of Interest*: Quantum Mechanics, Mathematical Physics
*Experience*: 41 years in teaching in UG and PG level.

**Dr. Mahadevan S.**
Adjunct Faculty
Ph.D., MTech, M.Sc.
*Areas of Interest*: Theoretical Nuclear Physics
*Experience*: 20 years of Experience Teaching and Research.

**Dr. Sivakumar M.**
Adjunct Faculty
Ph.D., M.Sc., MTech.
*Areas of Interest*: Ultrafast Laser Processing of Materials, Nanoscience and Nanotechnology
*Experience*: 20 years of Experience Teaching and Research.

**R. Nandakumar**
Assistant Professor
MTech. (CS), M.Sc. (Physics), UGC-NET (Physics)
*Areas of Interest*: Theoretical Physics, Mathematical Physics, Algorithms, Geometry
*Experience*: 23 years of experience in industry, research and teaching. Published papers in refereed International journals.

**Prof. M.G. Rajagopalan**
Visiting Professor
M.Sc., M.Phil.
*Areas of Interest*: Organic Chemistry & Environmental Chemistry
*Experience*: 32 years Teaching Experience in UG and PG Level.

**Dr. Suresh K.**
Assistant Professor (Sr.Gr.) and Research Guide
M.Sc. (Marine Biology), Ph.D.
*Areas of Interest*: Environmental Science, Research Methodology
*Experience*: 25 years experience in teaching, 27 years in research and 9 years in industry.

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**Sciences**
Dr. K. Balakrishnan
Professor, Research Guide (Chairman, Board of Studies in English Language and Literature)
Ph.D., M.Phil, M.A. Politics, M.A. Linguistics, Diploma in Translation
Areas of Interest: Literary Theory, Cultural Studies
Experience: 37 years academic experience, including research.

Dr. K. Sreena
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr.), Research Guide (Member, Board of Studies in English Language and Literature)
Ph.D., M.A. (English), M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Literary theory, Film Studies, Technical Communication
Experience: 14 years academic experience, including 8 years in research. Presented papers in national and international conferences and published papers in referred national journals.

Dr. M. G. Priya
Assistant Professor (Sr. Gr.), Research Guide (Member, Board of Studies in English Language and Literature)
Ph.D., M.A. (English), B.Ed. (English)
Areas of Interest: Indian Writing in English, Spiritual Literature, Poetry, Bhakti Literature, Linguistics
Experience: 16 years teaching experience including 9 years research experience.

Dr. K. Sreenath Muraleedharan
Assistant Professor, Research Guide
Ph.D., M.A., B.Ed., M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Comparative Literature, Travel Writing
Experience: 12 years experience in teaching and 7 years in research. Published papers in national and international journals.

Dr. C.S. Jayaraman
Professor (Member, Board of Studies in Visual Media and Fine Arts)
M.A. in English Language and Literature, Ph.D. (Hon.)
Areas of Interest: Visual Arts, English Literature, Dramatics, Music and Film Studies
Experience: Retired Professor. 46 years of academic experience, including teaching History of Visual Arts - Indian and Western, Screenplay Writing and Paintings. Presented papers in international conferences. Published books.

Dr. P.P. Vijayalakshmi
Professor and Research Supervisor (Member, Board of Studies in English Language and Literature)
Ph.D., M.A., PGCTE (CIFL, Hyderabad)
Areas of Interest: Communicative English, Fine Arts and Media
Experience: 46 years of teaching in Collegiate Education Service, including 17 years in research.

Dr. Sreelakshmi N.
Asst. Professor (Sr.Gr.) and Research Guide
Ph.D. (English), MPhil, MA
Areas of Interest: Women’s studies, Postcolonial Studies, Diaspora Studies, Film Studies
Experience: 8 years experience in teaching and research. Presented papers in national and international conferences and published papers in referred journals.

Geetha R. Pai
Assistant Professor
M.A., B.Ed., M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Indian Writing, Science Fiction, Deep Ecology
Experience: 20 years experience in teaching.
K. Devi
Assistant Professor
M. Phil., M. A. (English), B. Ed
Areas of Interest: Women’s studies, Translation
Experience: 13 years teaching experience including 8 years research experience.

Prof. P.A. Appukkuttan
Hon. Professor
M. A. (English)
Areas of Interest: Poetry, Writing, Public Speaking, Social Activities
Experience: 57 years in teaching including 30 years in Collegiate Education. Expert in Spiritual Literature, Linguistics and Poetry.

B. Sonia Chellerian
Assistant Professor
M.A. (English Language and Literature), M.Phil, M.H.A, PG Diploma in Environmental Journalism
Areas of Interest: Drama, Educational Media
Experience: 17 years experience in teaching. Presented papers in international conferences.

Kavya Purushothaman
Assistant Professor
M.A., B.Ed., M.Phil.
Areas of Interest: Indian Writing in English, English Literature of the 20th Century.
Experience: 13 years teaching experience.

Dr. U. Krishnakumar
Research Supervisor
Areas of Interest: Spiritual Literature, Culture and Media Studies
Experience: 45 years academic experience and 24 years research experience in India and abroad.

M. Ramachandran
Faculty Associate
M.A. (Malayalam), M.A. (Political Science), Diploma in Journalism & Travel and Tourism
Areas of Interest: Malayalam Literature and Journalism
Experience: 27 years experience in teaching. Popularly known as ‘Chandran Perumudiyur’. Published books and more than 100 Articles in Malayalam Periodicals. Received Awards from Kerala Sahitya Academy and Guruvayur Devaswom.

Jyothish Mayi
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The annual extramural series ‘Vidyamritam’ has become popular with its holistic approach for knowledge dissemination through Invited Lectures, Workshops and Conferences. NINETEEN years of Vidyamritam series have so far facilitated more than 10000 lectures by experts.

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Amma - Sri Mata Amritanandamayi Devi

Spiritual leader and humanitarian, Sri Mata Amritanandamayi Devi, known throughout the world simply as Amma or universal mother, has served the world-community for decades, imparting wisdom, strength and inspiration. Through her extraordinary acts of love, inner strength and self-sacrifice, Amma has inspired charity projects in more than 40 countries. This worldwide humanitarian movement is expanding day by day, as more and more people feel inspired by Amma’s example to share their time, energy and resources with those in need — both across the globe and in their own communities.

Humanitarian Activities

- Amrita SeRVe: adoption of 101 villages
- Project to combat Farmer Suicide
- Vidyamritam – Scholarship to 100,000 children of farmers
- Amrita SREE – Self Reliance Education and Employment
- Tsunami Relief Projects — More than 200 crores have been spent
- Constructed more than 4500 houses in India and Sri Lanka
- First NGO in India to complete Tsunami-relief house
- Amrita Kuteeram – Free Housing Scheme
- Amrita Nidhi – Monthly pension scheme for destitute women
- Amrita Niketan – care home for more than five hundred children
- Anbu Illam – Care home for senior citizens
- Mass Wedding Ceremony for the poor
- AYUDH – Amrita Yuva Dharma Dhara
- Green Friends
- Mother’s Kitchen – running in 39 cities in USA, providing over 40,000 meals for the homeless each year
- Anna Danam – feeding 2 million poor and under privileged people every year
- Amrita Aranya Jeevanam – educational facilities and healthcare for tribals
- Amrita Bharatam Campaign (ABC) – humanitarian oriented project on environment
Mata Amritanandamayi Math’s humanitarian programs are multifaceted with several goals: to help the needy; to bring in modern technology and to inspire compassion and a sense of oneness with our fellow human beings, whatever their background may be. The programs strive to alleviate the burden of the world’s poor by providing the five basic needs — food, shelter, healthcare, education and livelihood — wherever and whenever possible. We are especially focused on helping to meet these needs in the aftermath of major disasters. Augmenting these efforts, we work in the fields of environmental conservation and sustainability to help protect the future of our fragile planet. And through Amrita University, our researchers are innovating new means of delivery of goods, knowledge, information, energy, and healthcare so that we can get help to those in need here and now, wherever they are.
PRAYER

Aum sree gurubhyo namaha
Hari hi aum

Aum saha navavatu saha nau bhunaktu, Saha veeryam kara vavahai
Thejasvi nava dheethamastu, Maa vidvisha vahai
Aum santi santi santi hi
0 Lord, protect us as one, nourish us, Lord, as one. Let us flourish in Thy strength as one.
Let our knowledge be changed to Light and ignorance and hate to Pure Love.
Aum peace peace peace...

Aum asatoma sadgamaya, Thamasoma jyothish gamaya
Mrityorma amritham gamaya, Aum santi santi santi hi
Lead us from untruth to truth; From darkness to Light; From death to Immortality.

Aum lokaha samasthaha sukhipu bhavanthu
Lokaha samasthaha sukhipu bhavanthu
Lokaha samasthaha sukhipu bhavanthu
Aum santi santi santi hi
Let Peace and Prosperity come to all the beings in the world.

Aum sarvesham swasthir bhavathu, Sarvesham santhir bhavathu
Sarvesham poornam bhavathu, Sarvesham mangalam bhavathu
Aum santi santi santi hi
May perfection prevails on all; May peace prevails on all;
May contentment prevails on all; May auspiciousness prevails on all.

Aum poornamada poornamidam, Poornath poornam udachyate
Poornasya poornam aadaya, Poornam eva avasishyate
Aum santi santi santi hi
That is whole, this is whole; From the whole, the whole arises;
Taking away the whole from the whole,
the whole remains..... .
The flame from a single lamp can lit many; yet all the flames are alike. Likewise,
all the beings in this world are manifestations of the same God.
0 Lord give me the strength to see the divinity in others and serve them.

Aum sree gurubhyo namaha
Hari hi aum
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