

BIO – DATA



GENERAL:

NAME	:	Dr. S.N. SUKUMAR
DESIGNATION	:	Reader in Economics
DEPARTMENT	:	Economics
DATE OF BIRTH	:	22.2.1959
DATE OF APPOINTMENT	:	15.12.1986
ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS	:	M.A.,(Eco) M.Phil. (Eco),, M.Sc.,(Psy)., M.B.A., Ph.D. (Eco)
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AGE AND DATE OF BIRTH	:	50 years, 22.2.1959
COMMUNITY	:	MBC
OFFICE ADDRESS	:	READER in Economics, Department of Economics RKM Vivekananda college Mylapore , Chennai – 4. Phone: 24 99 3057

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE : UG - 23 years
PG - 23 years

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE : Presented many research
Papers on Agriculture, Public
finance, HRD and Devt. Issues in
the Regional, National and
International Seminars. Guided **35**
M.Phil students successfully and **8**
Ph.D students are doing research
under my supervision.

SUBJECT SPECIALISATION : Development Economics,
Monetary Economics,
Agricultural Economics,
Human Resource development
and Management,
Personality development,
Econometrics,
Health Economics and
Maritime Economics

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

Degree and Certificates	Subject	Year of Passing	Class
Ph.D	Extension education and training on Entrepreneurial ability of farmers - An intra regional analysis of Vellore district.University of Madras	2000	--
M.Phil	Economics University of Madras	1984	First
M.B.A	Alagappa University Karaikudi	2006	Second class
M.A.	Economics M.C.C Tambaram	1982	"A"Grade
M.Sc.	Psychology University of Madras	2005	Second class
B.A.	Economics Voorhees College Vellore	1980	First
PUC	Muthurangam Arts College, Vellore.	1979	Second
SSLC	Onnupuram Govt. High School, Arni Tk.	1976	First
Certificate Course	Social work and management, Chennai.	1982	-
Foundation Course	Research methodology, New Delhi.	1985	-
Diploma course	Personality Development, Chennai.	1997	-

MEMBER IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND BOARD

1	Life member	Indian Economic Association
2	Life member	Tamil Nadu Economic Association
3	Life member	Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry
4	College council member	RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai 1998-99 and 2000 – 01
5	Secretary, college council	RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai. 2008-09
6	Staff advisor, Student's Union	RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai. Since 2000.
6	Governing Board Member (Hon)	Vellore Institute of Development studies, Phase II, Sathuvachari, Vellore- 632 009, India
7	Chief superintendent	University Examinations, RKM Vivekananda college (2001 & 2004) Chennai – 4.
8	Member	Board of studies, Bharathi Women's college, Nominated by the University of Madras (2001 – 2004)
9	Member	B.A..B.B.A., M.A. Economics Board of Studies, Alagappa University , Karaikudi, (2004 – 2006)
10	Member	B.A. Economics, Board of studies, Tamil nadu Open University, Guindy campus, Chennai (2005)
11	NSS Program Officer	RKM Vivekananda College, NSS Unit.
12	Chairman	B.A. and M.phil , Board of studies , Tamil nadu Open University , Guindy campus, Chennai. (2006-09)
13	Member	B.A. Economics, Board of studies, Queen Mary's college for women , Chennai
14	Member	B.A. and M.A. Economics ,Board of studies Ethiraj college Chennai.- 2006-08

PAPERS PRESENTED IN THE REGIONAL, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

1. Cropping pattern and Labour Absorption in Tamil nadu, Tamil Nadu Economic Conference, Voorhees college, Vellore, 28th January 1984.
2. Human Resource development Management aspects with reference to school Education in Tamil nadu, U.G.C. Seminar on New frontiers in Economic Research, Voorhees college, Vellore, 23-25 October 1986.
3. Quality of Population in India, Seminar on Population policy in India (Corporation of Madras), RKM Vivekananda College, 12th December 1987.
4. Human Resource development – Theoretical Issues, Seminar on HRD, Department of Economics, Pachayappa's College, Madras, April 1989.
5. Tax reforms – Macro and Micro Economic Realities, UGC Regional Seminar on Raja Chellaiah Committee Report on Tax Reforms, Voorhees College, Vellore. 28-30 January 1994
6. Social change and Economic development in Tamil nadu, Bi – National Seminar on Population Problem and Social change in Tamil nadu, university of Madras and university of Western Sydney Australia, Department of Sociology, university of Madras , 8-9 December 1994.
7. Economics of Galbraith, Annual Conference of Tamil nadu Economic Association, Gurukulam, 16th September 1995.
8. Center – State relation –Some issues, UGC National Seminar on Center - State relationship in India, Anna Centre for Public Affairs, University of Madras 19 & 20 December 1997.
9. Agricultural development in Tamil nadu, UGC Seminar on Dravidian Movement Department of Economics, Sir Thyagaraya College and Anna Center for Public Affairs University of Madras, 27-29 April 1998.
10. The Plight of social service in the light of “New Economic reforms in India” (Co-author) Annual Conference of the Association of Economists of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, S.T. Hindu College, Nagarkoil, January, 1997.
11. Human Resource development – Trends and Issues International Conference conducted by IEA , Bangalore university, Bangalore , December 1998.

12. Infrastructural development in Tamil nadu – Performance and Perspectives, UGC Seminar, Department of Economics, university of Madras, P.G. Extension Center Vellore, March 17th 1999.
13. Growth of food grains production in Tamil nadu – A critical review, Association of Economists of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, (19th Annual Conference), March 20-21, 1999, Department of Economics, Annamalai university, Annamalai Nagar, Tamil nadu.
14. New Economic reforms and Human Resource development in Tamil nadu, UGC Seminar, Gobi arts College, Gobi Chetty Palayam, March 1999.
15. Macro Economic realities of Indian Economy – with special reference to Indian Industries, UGC Seminar, Department of Economics, Presidency College, 7th and 8th of December, 1999.
16. Impact of New Economic reforms on employment – a case study of Tamil nadu, International Conference of Indian Economic association, Gurunanak Dev. University, Amritsar, Punjab, December 1999.
17. New Economic reforms and Monetary development in India, Regional Seminar of AETP Voorhees college, Vellore, March 2000.
18. The empowerment of Women and Economic development, UGC Seminar, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupathy, 14th and 15th of March 2001.
19. Agricultural Productivity in Tamil nadu, 84th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Vellore institute of technology, Vellore, December 28-30, 2001.
20. Educational Gender gap in Tamil nadu, 84th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Vellore institute of technology, Vellore, December 2001.
21. The Plight of Indian Agriculture in the global environment, 85th Annual Conference of Indian Economic Association, Kerala university, Thiruvananthapuram, December 2002.
22. Motivation and Self-employment – Theoretical perspectives, a paper presented in the UGC sponsored regional level seminar on Entrepreneurial Opportunities for graduates from Arts and Science college, Coimbatore, 3rd & 4th, Sep. 2004.

23. The Scenario of social sector in India – A quantitative analysis, a paper presented in the UGC National Conference on Economic Reforms and Southern States, Emerging Trends and issues, held at Pachaiyappa's College for men, Kancheepuram, 11th September, 2004.
24. Myth and realities of sustainability – a paper presented in the UGC sponsored National level seminar on Environmental Degradation and its impact on society: measurement management and control, held at Erode Arts College, Erode, 23rd & 24th September, 2004.
25. Economics of Sustainability – a paper presented in the UGC sponsored National seminar on Environmental issues ad Natural resources management, held at Gobi Arts & Science College, Gobi , October, 9th & 10th 2004.
26. Economic thought of Thiruvalluvar, 87th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Banaras Hindu University Varanasi, December 2004.
27. Sustainable agriculture and food security – a paper presented in the UGC sponsored State level seminar on sustainable agriculture and food security, held at Government Arts College, Kumbakonam, August 19th & 20th , 2005.
28. Public health; issues and strategies – a paper presented in the UGC sponsored National seminar on PURA, Challenges and Opportunities, held at NGM College, Pollachi, 25th & 26th August, 2005.
29. Indian Agriculture in the Global Environment – a paper presented in the UGC sponsored National Level seminar on prospects and problems on Indian Agriculture in the era of Globalisation, held at Erode Arts College, Erode, 22nd and 23rd September, 2005.
30. The Emergence of Ramakrishna Mission – A Re - understanding of Advaita Vedanta – a paper presented in the ICRP sponsored national seminar on Indian Philosophical Heritage, A Re – understanding , held at RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai, 8th to 10th March,2006.
31. Swami Vivekananda – A Practical Economist – a paper presented in the workshop on swami Vivekananda – An Architect of Modern India, held at Ramakrishna mission Vidyapith, 15th &16th March 2006.
32. Determinants of Agricultural Productivity in Tamil nadu – a paper presented in two - day international conference, University Sains Malaysia, on 28th – 29th November 2007

33. Extension Education And Agricultural Productivity In Tamil Nadu – A Case Study Of Chinnalam Palayam Village, Thiruvannamalai District, Tamil Nadu - – a paper presented in two - day international conference, University Sains Malaysia, on 28th – 29th November 2007

34. Chair person, State level Seminar conducted by Dept of Economics, Quaid-e-Millath Govt College for women on "TAMILNADU ECONOMY IN 2020-POTENTIALS AND CHALLENGES" held on 19th February 2009.

RESEARCH PAPERS PUBLISHED

1. Agricultural Economy of Tamil nadu – a review, Southern Economists, Vol.34, No.18, January 15th, 1996 (Co-author).
2. Nature and Pattern of Employment in Tamil nadu with special reference to Kanyakumari District Voice of the Hindecon, Vol. 6, Hindecon Research Centre, S.T. Hindu College, Nagarcoil, Tamil nadu, January, 1997.
3. The Plight of Social Sector in the light of “New Economic reforms in India” Peninsular Economist, Vol. 1X, No, 1 Journal of the Association of Economists of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, 1997-98 (co – author).
4. The Plight of social Sector in the light of “New Economic Reforms in India” Voice of the Hindecon, Vol. 6, Hindecon Research Centre, S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, Tamil nadu and Pondichery , 1997-98 (co-author).
5. Human Resource development – Trends and Issues, International Conference conducted by IEA , Bangalore university, Bangalore , December 1998
6. Growth of food grains production in Tamil nadu – A critical review, Association of Economics of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, (19th Annual Conference), March 20-21, , 1999, Department of Economics, Annamalai university, Annamalai Nagar, T.N.
7. Impact of New Economic reforms on employment – a case study of Tamil nadu, International Conference of Indian Economic association, Gurunanak Dev. University, Amritsar, Punjab, December 1999.
8. Empowerment of Women and Economic development,(co-author) UGC Seminar, (Seminar Volume), Department of Economics Srivenkateswara university , Tirupathy, 14th and 15th of March 2001
9. The Plight of Indian Agriculture in the global environment, 85th Annual Conference of Indian Economic Association , Kerala university, Thiruvananthapuram, December 2002 (co-author)
10. Agricultural Productivity in Tamil nadu, 84th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Vellore institute of technology, Vellore, December 28-30, 2001. (co-author)
11. Educational Gender gap in Tamil nadu, 84th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Vellore institute of technology, Vellore, December 2001. Modern Economic Strategies in Thirukural (Tamil), Pudiya Vanigam, Nov. 2003.

12. Entrepreneurial ability (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, Nov. 2003.
13. Time Management (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, Nov. 2003.
14. Indian Agriculture in the light of New Economic Policy (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, June , 2003.
15. World Agriculture and Subsidy Policy in India, (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam Oct. 2003.
16. Economic thoughts of Thiruvalluvar, 87th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Banaras Hindu university, Varanasi, December 2004, (co-author)
17. Women Entrepreneur (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, Jan.2005.
18. New Agricultural policy of India, (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, Feb.2005.
19. Measurement of Economic Development and Growth (Tamil) Pudiya Vanigam, Sep.2005
20. "Why Quantanomics" – Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan-March, 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.47
21. -----, "Why Quantanomics from Ramakrishna Mission (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan-March, 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.5.
22. -----"Model Science and Mother of All Science", (Editorial) -Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, April – June 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
23. -----"Futurology of Food grains production in India" -Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, April – June, 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.35
24. -----"The other side of sustainability" - (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, July – Sep 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
25. -----"Agricultural productivity in Tamil Nadu – A case study of Sozhamur panchayat in Vellore district", Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, July – Sep 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.28
26. -----"Nature: Beyond Conquest" - (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Oct – Dec 2004, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.

27. ---“Budget, The Paradigm shift”- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan-Mar, 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
28. ----“Women Entrepreneurs –Myth and Realities” - Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan-Mar, 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.21.
29. ---“Sustainable Agriculture”(Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, April – June, 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai - 4, India , p.4
30. ----“Economics of Sustainability” Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, April - June, 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P. 32.
31. ----“Economic growth”- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, July-Sep, 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
32. ----“Determinants of Agricultural Productivity” - Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, July – Sep. 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.35.
33. ---“Politics of Growth and Development” - (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Oct – Dec 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
34. ----“Agriculture – Road to Economic Development” - Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Oct – Dec 2005, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.34.
35. ----“Tax Ratio And Union Budgets”- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan – Mar.- 2006, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
36. ..”Real Development”- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Apr-June.- 2006, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
37. Performance of small scale industries in Tamil nadu (p.35) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Apr-June.- 2006, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India..
38. “Education” ”- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, July -Sep.- 2006, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.

39. "Infrastructure Investment" - (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Oct.- Dec2006, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
40. "Technological empowerment divide in the world economy"- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Jan. Mar2007, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.4.
41. "Role of Agriculture in Economic Development" - "- (Editorial) Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Apr. – June 2007, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.3.
42. Health Economics – Issues and perspectives "Quantanomics, A Quarterly Journal of Economics, Apr. – June 2007, R.K.M. Vivekananda College, Chennai – 4, India. P.32.

BOOKS PUBLISHED

1. Agricultural Economy of Tamil Nadu, Raj Book Distributors, 2002 Chennai..
2. Economic ideas of Thiruvalluvar (Tamil) Raj Book Distributors, 2002, Chennai..
3. Macro Economics (Joint Author), Lessons for M.A. Economics, ICE , university of Madras, 2002, Chennai.
4. Agricultural Extension Education and Training in Tamil nadu, Maruthi Pathipagam, Royapet, 2002, Chennai.
5. Economics of Growth and development (joint author), Lessons for M.A. Economics, ICE , university of Madras, (2003), Chennai .
6. Economic growth and Development (Tamil), Virunda Publication, Delhi, 2005.
7. The Plight of Indian Agriculture in the global environment , Article published in the edited book entitled “ World Trade Organization and Indian Economic reforms” Serial publication, Delhi.2005.
8. Meditation – secret of success, Maruthi Pathipagam , Chennai. 2006
9. Maritime Economics – Text book for M.B.A. course of Tamil nadu Open University and Academy of AMET, Chennai, 2007
10. Women Entrepreneur: Challenges and Prospects (ed. Volume), Article - “Economic Empowerment of Women”, published in the book , New century publication, New Delhi, 2007.
11. Green Productivity - In Small And Medium Enterprises (ed. Volume), Article – A New Approach to Human Resource Development and Agricultural Productivity – A case study, published in the book., Concept publishing company, New Delhi, 2007.
12. Monetary Economics- (Tamil) published by Swami Vivekananda People Welfare Association, Chennai, 2008.
13. Health Economics, published by Post graduate and Research Department of Economics, RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai -4, May, 2008.

NATIONAL CONFERENCES ATTENDED

1. The Annual Conference of the Indian Economic association, Department of Economics, South Gujarat University, Surat, December 1978.
2. The Annual Conference of the Indian Economic association, Department of Economic, Gokulay institute of Politics and Economics, Pune, December 1982.
3. The 77th Annual Conference of the Indian Economic association, Department of Economics, university of Mysore, Mysore, December 1997.
4. The Annual Conference of Economists of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, Department of Economics, S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil on 25th & 26th January 1997.
5. The 80th Annual Conference of the Indian Economic association, Department of Economics, Osmania university, Hyderabad, December 1997.
6. The 81st Annual Conference of the Indian Economic association, Department of Economics, Bangalore university, Bangalore , December 1998.
7. The 82nd Annual Conference of Indian Economic association at Gurunanak Dev university, Amritsar, Pubjab, December 1999.
8. 84th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Vellore institute of technology, Vellore, December 2001.
9. The 9th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association of Economists of Tamil nadu and Pondichery, Department of Economics, Annamalai university, 20 and 21st March 1999.
10. 87th Annual Conference of Indian Economic association, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, December, 2004.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE: (OTHER THAN THE CLASS ROOM TEACHINGS)

1. Free lance writer on personality Development, Social, HRD and Development Issues.
2. Acted as chair person for a few technical sessions in the UGC sponsored National level seminars.
3. Conducted many field surveys and Opinion surveys for various Organisations.
4. Project co-ordinator, the plight of Destitute Children in Delhi, A project sponsored by UGC , 1985.
5. Research Assistant , Rural Resource Management – A project sponsored by UGC, 1982.
6. Research Associate, Reservation Policy – A Project sponsored by MIDS, Chennai, 1983.
7. EDITOR, “QUANTANOMICS”, a quarterly journal of Economics , since 2004.
8. Directed 10 episodes of stage drama on Swami Vivekananda – “A Role model for the youth”. Played Swamiji’s role in the drama and the same was telecasted in the Tamizhan T.V. during the month of January, February and March 2007.
9. Special lectures on personality development for UG students at RKM Vivekananda College, Bharathi Women’s College and Queen Mary’s College, 2007.
10. Public talks on the teachings of the Trinity and religion at temples in Egmore, Kundrathoor and Cholinganellur during the festival time of Maha Sivarathiri, 2007 & 2008.
11. Organized two - day workshop on teachings of Swami Vivekananda on religion, cultural, social and economic life. 15th & 16th March 2006, RKM Vivekananda college, Chennai -4. (Organising secretary.)
12. Discourse at Karpaga Vinayakar temple , Egmore, on 19th and 20th of June ,2007.
13. Discourse at Thiruchadai Amman temple, Pudupatai , Chennai, 2nd of July, 2007.
14. Discourse at Karpaga Vinayakar temple, Egmore, on 2nd of July 2007.

15. Conducted (external examiner, appointed by the University of Madras,) Ph. D public viva –voce examination on 26-9-2007 for Mrs. K. Kalaiarasi , S.G. lecturer in Economics, at D.G. Vaishnav College, Chennai.
16. Visited Singapore and Malaysia during the summer vacation of 2008 for academic research and data collection (15 .5. 2008 to 3. 6. 2008) .
17. Talk on Higher education, Raj T.V. on 19th August 2008.
18. Department Inaugural Address on Personality development at Queen Mary's College, Chennai, on 15th Dec. 2008.
19. Stage drama performed during the 16th State Level Conference, organized by the Devotees of Sri Ramakrishnar, Mother Sri Sarada Devi, Swami Vivekananda, Erode, on 28th & 29th, at U.R.C.Palaniammal Mat. Hr. Sec. School.

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