

CURRICULUM VITAE

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**EDUCATION:**

- 1998** Doctor of Philosophy in Economics, Madras University, Madras, India  
**1982** Master of Philosophy in Economics, Madras University, Madras, India  
**1974** Master of Arts in Economics, St. John's College, Agra University, Agra, India  
**1972** Bachelor of Science in Biology, Gorakhpur University, Gorakhpur, India

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

- June – August 2005** Visiting Faculty, **Xavier Labor Relations Institute [XLRI]**  
Jamshedpur, India
- December 2005 –  
January 2006** Visiting Faculty, **Universite Africaine De Technologie,**  
Contonou, Republic of Benin
- 2000 - To date** Visiting Associate Professor of Economics, **Rockhurst  
University,** 1100 Rockhurst Road, Kansas City, MO 64110

I am working as a Visiting Associate Professor in Economics since fall 2000 and teach undergraduate and graduate classes. The courses I have taught and currently teach are Microeconomic Principles, Intermediate Microeconomics, Macroeconomics Principles, Managerial Economics, International Financial Issues, International Economics, Understanding Business Environments and Applied Quantitative Methods.

**2000 - 2001** **Kansas City Kansas Community College**  
**Kansas City, KS 66112.**

Position Held: Adjunct Assistant Professor

**2001 – to date** **Johnson County Community College**  
**Overland Park, KS 66210**

Position Held: Adjunct Associate Professor

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**2002 – 2004**

**St. Mary University  
Kansas City, KS 66215**

Position Held: Adjunct Assistant Professor

**1998 - 1999:**

**Loyola College  
Madras, Tamil Nadu, India**

Reader in Economics. (Equivalent to Associate Professor).

Taught graduate and undergraduate courses in economic. The courses that I taught were monetary economics and labor economics. Class size averaged between twenty to sixty students.

Along with teaching responsibilities, I also held the administrative position of Vice-Principal (Academic Vice-President) from 1997 through 1999. As part of my administrative position, I was the Superintendent of Examinations and a member of the Board of Academic Council and Finance. I was also Board member of a Private School and Non-profit Organization. As the Superintendent of Examinations, I had overall responsibility for the conduct of semester examinations. I was also assigned to select and award scholarships and financial aid to deserving students.

**1989 - 1998:**

**Loyola College  
Madras, Tamil Nadu, India**

Senior Lecturer in Economics

Besides teaching at the graduate and undergraduate programs, I was also an academic research guide.

I have published and presented papers at economic conferences. The list of the papers published and presented is mentioned in the Résumé.

**1982 - 1989:**

**Loyola College  
Madras, Tamil Nadu, India**

Lecturer in Economics

Teaching the undergraduate and graduate level classes courses in Microeconomics and Macroeconomics. This was the entry-level position that I accepted at Loyola College; college rated among the top ten colleges in India.

**1974 - 1982:**

**St. Andrew's College  
Gorakhpur, Uttar Pradesh, India**

Lecturer in Economics

Taught banking and financial institutions. The emphasis was on the working of financial institutions in developing economies. Average class size was about 60 students.

**CONTINUING EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:**

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I have completed three faculty enhancement programs conducted by the United States Information Service (USIS), Madras, in collaboration with Madras University.

#### **PAPERS PUBLISHED IN JOURNALS:**

1. **'Repayment Capacity of Small Farmers'**, Economic Affairs, Vol. 30; Quarter 2, June 1985
2. **'Chakravarthy Committee Report and its Implications for Monetary Policy in India'**, Economic Affairs, Vol. 32; December 1987
3. **'Measurement of Repayment Capacity and its Relevance to Institutional Credit Management'**, Economic Affairs, Vol. 33, Quarter 2, April 1988
4. **'Delinquent Farm Borrowers and the Problem of Default: A Review'**, Prajnan, Vol. XIX No. 2, April-June 1990
5. **'J.S.Mill's Views on the Classical Currency Controversies 1825-1865'**, Prajnan, Vol. XXII No. 2, July-September 1993
6. **'Financial Intermediaries: An Effective Media for Intersectoral Financial Flows'**, Economic Affairs, Vol. 39, Quarter 2, April-June 1994
7. **'Exports And Economic Growth In India: Co integration, Causality & Error-Correction Modeling'**, with Sudhakar S.Raju. Indian Journal of Economics and Business, Vol. 3, No. 2, December 2004.
8. **'From Doha to Cancun and Beyond: The Need for a Collaborative Approach to Economic Development'** Forum on Public Policy, Vol. 1, No. 1, 2005.
9. **'The American Twin Deficit Solution: Promote Free Trade and Protect the Currency'** with Shahid Ali & Brain D. Fitzpatrick, Journal of Business and Society, Vol. 18, No. 1 & 2, 2005.
10. **'Business Process Outsourcing (BPO) in India: Success and Challenges'**. International Journal of Business Research, Vol:5; No:1; 2006

#### **PAPERS PRESENTED AND CONFERENCES ATTENDED:**

1. **The Economics of Social Banking: A General Perspective:** Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Baroda, India, January, 1992
2. **Banking Sector Reforms in India: Reflections on Subsidized Credit and Institutional Viability:** Paper presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Pune, India, January, 1993
3. **Imperatives of Recovery Management in Banking:** Paper presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Goa, India, September, 1994

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4. **Importance of State, Institutions and Ethics in Social Banking: A Theoretical Interpretation.** Paper presented at the 18<sup>th</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Madras, India, December, 1995
5. **Banking Sector Reforms and Social Banking in India: Some Disquieting Trends.** Paper submitted for the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Seminar on "Impact of Financial Liberalization Policy in India" hosted by the Department of Economics, of Saurashtra University in Rajkot, India, October, 1996
6. **Social commitments and Commercial Banking in India: An Overview.** Paper presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Bombay, India, October, 1997
7. **Delegate to the Micro credit Summit Meeting of Councils in New York City,** June 25-27,1998
8. **Banks and Micro finance: Forging Partnerships.** Paper presented at the 21<sup>st</sup> Bank Economists' Conference in Bangalore, India, December, 1998
9. **Internationalizing the Curriculum: Global Financial Markets and Banking Institutions.** Paper presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference on Teaching Economics, Robert Morris College, Pennsylvania, February 21-23,2002 (**Published in the Conference Proceedings**)
10. **Market Transition in India:** Paper presented at the MO Valley Economics Association Conference, February 27- 1st March 2003 at St Louis.
11. **Non-Repayment of Institutional Loans and Viability of Social Banking:** Paper presented at the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Missouri Valley Economic Association conference, February 26-28, 2004, Kansas City, MO.
12. **From Doha to Cancun and Beyond: The Need for a Collaborative Approach to Economic Development.** Paper presented at the Oxford Round Table Meeting at St. Anthony's College, Oxford University, England, August 8-13, 2004.
13. **The Socio-Cultural and Institutional Dimensions of Delinquency and Default: A Study of Priority Sector Beneficiaries In Chengalpattu MGR District, Tamilnadu, India'.** Paper presented at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Global Strategic Studies Conference, University Of Nebraska at Omaha, Nebraska, 14-16 October 2004.
14. **"Business Process Outsourcing (BPO) in India: Success and Challenges',** Paper presented at the IABE annual conference, October 16-19, 2005, Las Vegas, NV.
15. **"Definitions and Measures of Money: A Survey and Interpretation.** Paper to be presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Business and Finance to be held in Athens, Greece on July 2-3, 2007.

#### **ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN BUSINESS NEWS COLUMNS:**

1. **'Relevance of Directed and Subsidized Credit',** Business Review Column, The Hindu, (India's leading national newspaper) 15<sup>th</sup> April 1993

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2. **'Revitalizing the Banking Industry'**, Business Review Column, The Hindu, 9th December 1994.
3. **'Budget deficit cannot be written off as threat'**, The Business Journal, Kansas City, April 29-May 5, 2005

## **BOOK REVIEWS**

1. **'Challenges Facing Agricultural and Rural Development'** by T.K.Velayudham, Oxford IBH Publishing, New Delhi, India 1993
2. **'Employment and Unemployment in Kerala: Some Neglected Aspects'** by E.T.Mathew, Sage Publication, New Delhi, India 1997
3. **Managerial Economics** by Maurice, S.C. & Thomas, C. R., McGraw-Hill Irwin, 8<sup>th</sup> Edition.

## **ABILITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

- 30 years of undergraduate teaching experience
- 25 years of post-graduate teaching experience
- Ten years as a research Guide for Master of Philosophy (Pre-requisite for PhD program)
- Eight students have obtained their M. Phil. Degree under my guidance
- Two years of experience as Vice-Principal (Academic Vice-President) of Loyola College, a Graduate Liberal Arts and Sciences School in Chennai, India.
- Published several papers on rural financing in national journals
- Presented several papers at Bank Economists' Conferences in India
- Book review of books on Labor Economics, Managerial Economics and Indian Economic Development
- Headed a study team to examine the functioning of Micro Credit Institutions in Bangladesh
- Overall responsibility as Chief Superintendent of Examinations
- Served as resource person in panel discussions on Social Banking
- Member of the Board of Academic Council and Finance Committee of Loyola College
- Member of the Board of Private Schools and Non-government Organizations
- Fields of specialty are: Banking, Rural Finance and Macroeconomics with emphasis on International and Monetary Economics
- Been conferred the outstanding instructor award by the Helzberg School of Management, Rockhurst University for the academic year 2001-2002.
- Member of the International Studies and Global Perspectives Committee, Rockhurst University, Kansas City, MO.
- Nominated for the Lieberman Teaching Excellence Award, Johnson County Community College, Kansas.

## **PERSONAL:**

Married and have two daughters. Interests include travel, current economic affairs, and analyses of national and international economic trends. Hobbies are jogging, music, and playing cricket.

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## References

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