

Call for Papers.

Original Qualitative research papers are invited from Arts Commerce Science Agriculture Management and Other Faculties on the following themes. The papers presented at the seminar will merit publication

Range of Themes

1. Impact of Technological Advancement on farm output.
2. Technology in Agriculture & Employment
3. Profile of Cauvery Delta Districts.
4. Technology in Agriculture & Food Security.
5. Agriculture and Eco growth in Tamilnadu.
6. Agriculture and Health.
7. Technology, Agriculture and Eco growth of Tamilnadu.
8. Ensure food security for the rising production.
9. Role of technology in agriculture development and their usages.
10. Increasing the utilization of irrigation potential and promoting water conservation.
11. Enhancing the irrigation infrastructure.
12. Providing varieties of seeds and agricultural implements.

Submission of Papers

Papers on the above themes not exceeding 1500 words (6 pages including tables, annexure etc).and the abstract not exceeding 300 words in two copies, typed in A4 size paper along with a soft copy(CD)should be submitted to the Organizing Secretary of the seminar on or before 15.03.18.

Time Schedule

Submission of abstract 15.03.18
Submission of full paper 15.03.18
Seminar Dates 16.03.18 & 17.03.18

Registration Fees:

Last date for the submission of papers along with Registration Form and D.D is 15.03.18.

Category	Fee
Students	200/-
Research Scholars	250/-
Teachers and others	350/-

Registration fee should be paid by Demand Draft drawn in favour of **Dr. R.Palanivelu, Organizing Secretary** of the seminar, payable at **IOB Poondi, Thanjavur(Dist).**

Accommodation

All the delegates are requested to make their own arrangement. A number of hotels ranging from economic class to executive class are available in the city of Thanjavur. Arrangements will be made for transportation between the places of accommodation and conference venue. Accommodation will be made on prior requisition and payment (DD) of Rs.400/- (Rupees four hundred only) for two days along with registration. All participants will be provided with local hospitality.

All selected papers will be published in Edited Book Volume with ISBN number. Authors will pay Rs.500/- separately.

Book will be Published before : 31-03-2018

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The Host Institution

A. Veeriyar Vandayar Memorial Sri Pushpam College is in the village Poondi – the family seat of the well known and greatly acclaimed ‘Vandayars of Poondi’. This verdant green fertile landscape village lies 12 kms east of Thanjavur –an ancient royal city and one time capital of the Imperial Cholas.

This college was founded by Late. **RAO BAHADUR SRI. A. VEERIYA VANDAYAR** in mid-Fifties and is now an Autonomous Post-Graduate and Research Institution Re-Accredited ‘A’ Grade with 3.38 points by NAAC. **Srimaan K. THULASIAH VANDAYAR**, Secretary and Correspondent – with his rich academic and administrative experience, erudition and acumen has transformed the college into a hallmark of intellectual centre where teaching and research activities encompass 18 UG and 17 PG courses.

The college has a well established library with 96,000 books and 100s of research journals and periodicals. The student community–men and women –is about 8,900 in number, with 350 talented faculty strength. Faculty members with specialized technical expertise impart skill-oriented certificate courses during and outside the working hours.

The city of Thanjavur stands unique in the Cauvery delta in its rich cultural heritage and hallowed antiquity. With the everflowing mother Cauvery sustaining the life and growth of the region, Thanjavur remains the eternal Byzantium of the eastern hemisphere. Art, Architecture, painting, Classical music, and Dance are the priceless Pride of this province. Great kings, Warriors, Ministers, Nobles and savants have created and crafted excellent works of art, artefact and even artillery of splendid quality and everlasting fineness.

History of the Department of Economics

The department of Economics is a earliest started department in the College in 1959-60 Similarly the first Post graduate course in the college was M.A. Economics started in 1967-68. The department was upgraded as a research faculty in 1983. We now offer M.Phil., and Ph.D., programs for both men and women. All the classes in Economics are co-educational .So far 30 scholars have been awarded Ph.D., degrees and 30 scholars are pursuing Ph.D, More than 377 scholars have been awarded M.Phil., degrees. The alumni of the department occupy key posts all over the country.

For the first time in the year 1986 the department organized the 6th Annual Conference of the Association of Economists of Tamilnadu, and then onwards it has become a part and parcel of the department to organize annual conferences. Subsequently in the year 2001-2002 it has organized the Regional Seminar on Banking, and 23rd Annual conference of the AET. National Seminar was organized in 2009 on “Women Empowerment with Special Reference to Rural Economy” and in 2012 “Second Green Revolution”. So far the department has organized 3 District Development Seminars.

We have already conducted National Seminar in 2015 entitled “**Rural Women Entrepreneurship: The Dynamics of Progress and its Reversal**”

*This seminar is on and about women-the central object in men’s life and existence.

Theme of the Seminar:

Agriculture in India has a significant history. India ranks second worldwide in farm output. According to the estimates of Food & Agriculture Organization (FAO) agriculture production would need to grow by 70 percent. In 2050 the estimated total food grain demand of 377 million tones for 1.6 billion people will have to be met in our country. India at present support world’s 18% human population and 15% live stock population but still India is a home to 217 million undernourished people or a quarter of all undernourished people globally. Hence India has to make progress in agriculture and productivity of major crops for that technological infusion is must to acculate the production so that food is accessible to the common man.

Cauvery Delta Zone (CDZ) lies in the eastern part of Tamilnadu between 10.00-11.30, North latitude and between 78.15 – 79.45 longitude. It is bounded by the Bay of Bengal on the East and the Palk straight on the South, CDZ has a total geographic land area of 14.47 lakh which is equivalent to 11.13 percent of the state area. The eastwhile Thanjavur district occupies 57 percent of CDZ followed by Trichy, Ariyalur, Cuddalore and Pudukkottai districts. CDZ includes seven districts namely Thanjavur, Nagapattinam, Thiruvavur, Trichy, Ariyalur, Perambalur, Cuddalore, Pudukkottai and 28 Taluks. The entire region is benefited by the river Cauvery.

The seminar would make a clarion call to address all the above discussed issues and objectives.