

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Date of Birth, Place : 10th June 1958
Rameswara Village
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Bangalore Rural District
Karnataka.

Educational Qualification : Ph.D., (1997)
Mysore University

M.A. in Kannada Literature (1984)
Bangalore University

B.Sc., (1979)
Bangalore University

Awards :

1. Visweswaraiiah Puraskar - 1988
2. Saranga Mutt Prize for Poetry - 1995
3. Sahitya Parishat Endowment Prize for Poetry - 1995
4. Ambedkar Award from Attimabbe Trust for social and literary activities. - 1999
5. Naadachetana Award - 2000
6. Katharangam Award - 2001
7. Sahitya Parishat Endowment Prize for Poetry - 2001
8. Ambedkar Award of Govt. of Karnataka - 2001

Literary Accomplishments :

Books Published

Poetry :

1. Kappu Kannina Hudugi (Black-eyed Girl) - 1990
2. Avva (Mother) - 1995
3. Avvana Kavithe (Mother's Poem)
(The poems have been translated and published in Bengali
Gujarathi, English, Malayalam and Tamil language)
4. Akshara Aksharave (Oh' Letters! My Letters!) - 2001
5. Karna Raaga (Karna's Agony) - 2007

Rationalist Literature :

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| 6. | Dalitha Lokada Olage (In the world of Daliths) | - 1989 |
| 7. | Ambedkar Mattu Samakaaleenathe (Ambedkar and Contemporary Times) | - 1993 |
| 8. | Kanakadasa (biography on saint poet of medieval Karnataka) | - 1995 |

Research Work :

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| 9. | Katha Kathana (thesis on stories) | - 1999 |
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Drama :

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| 10. | Ambedkar (a play)
(The play has been stage at Bangalore, Bellary, Tumku Chitradurga and other parts of Karnataka) | - 1998 |
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Edited Works :

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| 1. | Ambedkar Kavithegalu
(An Anthology of Poems on Dr.Ambedkar) for Karnataka Sahitya Academy |
| 2. | Dalitha Kathegalu
(An Anthology of Dalith Short Stories) for Karnataka Sahitya Academy |
| 3. | Kelavargada Vachanakaararu
(Saints poets from the lower strata of the society of 12 th century Karnataka) |
| 4. | Rangabhumi Antharanga : C.G.K.
(A commemoration volume on a well-known theatre Director Sri C.G.Krishna Swamy) |
| 5. | Suvarna Sanchaya
(An Anthology of Modern Kannada Poetry from the beginning of the 20 th century) for Kannada Sahitya Parishat |

Member :

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| 1. | Kannada Development Authority, Govt. of Karnataka | - 1995-96 |
| 2. | State Executive committee, Kannada Sahitya Parishat | - 1996-98 |
| 3. | Jury Member, Karnataka Sahitya Academy Award | - 1998 |
| 4. | Kannada Book Authority | - 1998 - |
| 5. | Ambedkar Annual Award Committee, Govt. of Karnataka | - 1999-2000 |
| 6. | Script Approval committee, Doordarshan Kendra, Bangalore | - 2000- |
| 7. | Academic Council Member, Bangalore University | - 2002-2005 |
| 8. | Kannada Advisory Board, Central Sahitya Academy, New Delhi | - 2003-2007 |
| 9. | Kannada Advisory Board, National Book Trust, New Delhi | - 2004 |

Professional Experience :

1. Joined State Bank of India in June 1979 and opted for VRS in March 2001
2. State Assistant Secretary, State Bank's Staff Union, Karnataka 1994-2000
3. Delegate, Conference of All India State Bank of India Staff Federation at Pune-1997, Puri-2000

Educational and Media :

1. Taught for Degree Courses at Ambedkar Evening College, Bangalore – 1984-87
2. Taught for Post Graduate Centre, Channapatna, Bangalore University, as visiting Faculty, - 1999-2000
3. Broadcast, for last 25 years in All India Radio, Bangalore, Bhadravathi, Hassan, Mangalore and other centers.
4. Telecast, Doordarshan Kendra, Bangalore and in private channels like Udaya, City Channel, Star Plus, etc., in literary and socio-cultural programmes.
5. Contributing Editor on current affairs for leading dailies – Prajavani, Kannada Prabha, Janavahini, Hosathu, Bhavana and other literary journals.

Participation in Socio-political, Cultural, Literary and Educational Fields :

1. Seminar on Dalith Literature, Mysore University – 1988
 2. Participated in the State Bandaya Literary Conference at Bagalkot – 1990
 3. Inaugurated North Karnataka Bandaya Sahitya Conference – 1992
 4. Director, a four day workshop on Kannada Short Stories organized by Karnataka Sahitya Academy – 1994
 5. Kuvempu University Endowment Lecture, Challakere – 1994
 6. National Seminar at Delhi by Central Sahitya Academy – 1996
 7. National Seminar at Hyderabad organized by Kannada Sahitya Parishat – 1997
 8. Special Lecture delivered at Raichur Post Graduate Centre, Gulbarga University – 1998
 9. South Indian Poets Meet at Tanjavore organised by South Zone Cultural Centre – 1998
 10. National Seminar at Mumbai organized by Goregaon Kannada Sangha – 1999
 11. South Indian Poets Meet at Tirur organized by Thunjan Trust and Kerala Sahitya Academy – 2000
 12. National Seminar at Hyderabad organized by Kannada Book Authority, Government of Karnataka – 2000
- Many poems are included in prestigious anthologies published by Karnataka Sahitya Academy and Central Sahitya Academy.
 - Delivered lectures in literary conferences and annual All India Kannada Sahitya Sammelana's held in different parts of Karnataka.

- One of the Founder Members of Madiga Movement in Karnataka and organized seminars, discussions for proper distribution of percentage of reservation as per population of each community from among scheduled castes.

Travel Abroad :

- Visited Srilanka as a delegate of Commonwealth Parliamentary Association – 2003
- Singapore, Malayasia - 2003
- Thailand - 2003
- China - 2005
- Dubai (Arab Countries) - 2006
- Egypt – 2006

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