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#### Research Area

- Gender StudiesSociology of Health
- Sociology of Disability

# **Courses Teaching**

- Research Methodology
- Gender and Society
- Social Demography
- Medical Sociology
- Industrial Sociology
- Science, Technology and Society
- Foundation of Sociology
- Sociology of Aging

Research Experience: 25

**Research Credentials** (as on June 2025 – Source: Google scholar)

H-index: 9 Citations: 237 i10-index: 7

Copyright: 1

**Publications** 

International Journals: 24 Books/Chapters: 7 National Journals: 21

### Career

## At Bharathiar University

1. Designation : Professor and Head

Period: March 2017 - June 2025

2. Designation: Professor

Period: December 2016 - March 2017

#### Other Institutes

1. Designation : Assistant Professor Institution Name : Bharathidasan University Period : March 2011 - December 2016

2. Designation: Assistant Professor

Institution Name: Vellore Institute of Technology University

Period: July 2010 - March 2011

3. Designation: Assistant Professor

Institution Name: Sri Ramakrishna College of Nursing, Coimbatore

Period: February 1995 - July 2010

# Education

Ph. D.

Subject : Sociology

Institution: Department of Sociology, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University

Affiliated University: Manonmaniam Sundaranar University

Year of Award: December 2010

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M. Phil.

Subject : Sociology

Institution: Bharathiar University

Affiliated University: Bharathiar University

Year of Award: January 1992

M.A.

Subject: Sociology

Institution: Bharathiar University

Affiliated University: Bharathiar University

Year of Award: June 1990

B.A.

Subject : Sociology

Institution: P.S.G. College of Arts & Science Affiliated University: Bharathiar University

Year of Award: May 1988

**Projects** 

**National Level** 

Ongoing - 1 completed - 1

**Research Guidance** 

Completed

Ph.D. - 11 On Going

Ph.D. - 6 Post-Doc - 1

# **Institutional Responsibilities**

Dean

Period: Jun 2023 - Jun 2023

Nature of Responsibility: College Development Council, Bharathiar University

Coordinator

Period: Apr 2020 - Apr 2020

Nature of Responsibility :Bharathiar University-Community College Consultancy Centre

## **Visits**

1. 7th ICSDAP Biennial Conference on "Social Unrest, Peace and Development" (2019-09-15 - 2019-09-14)

# **Publications**

## International Journals - 24

24. Silent Struggles: Tracing the Mental Health Realities of Unorganised Women After COVID 19 in South

#### India

International Journal for Multidisciplinary Research 7 (2): 1-10 (June 2025) Manoj Mathew, S. Sampath Kumar

23. Factors associated with decision-making on fertility among rural women in the central district of Tamil

# Nadu

BMC Primary Care 17:395 (December 2024)

Geetha Jeganathan, Sampath Kumar Srinivasan, Senthilkumar Ramasamy and Pitchaimani Govindharaj

22. Community needs of adolescents from low socioeconomic background

IAHRW International Journal of Social Sciences 12(2): 124-132 Jun 2024 (June 2024)

Annalakshmi, N, Aasa, T, & S. Sampath Kumar

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## 21. Accessibility and availability of maternal and reproductive health care services: ensuring health equity

### among rural women in Southern India

BMC Primary Care 25:145 (April 2024)

Geetha Jeganathan, Sampath Kumar Srinivasan , Senthilkumar Ramasamy and Pitchaimani Govindharaj

20. Perceived Family and Organisational Support among People with Dwarfism in Tamil Nadu, India: A

#### **Qualitative Inquiry**

Disability, CBR and Inclusive Development 34(3): 104-121 (January 2023)

Zuvairiya Nassar & S. Sampath Kumar

19. Influence of Child's Autism on Relationships: A Phenomological study among Maternal Caregivers in

#### Kerala

International Journal of Health Sciences, 6(S8), 3088-3103 (November 2022)

Akhila Johnson & S.Sampath Kumar

18. Cultural constraints of Muslim Girl's access to Higher Education in Bandipora District, Jammu & Kashmir

Palarch's Journal of Archaeology of Egypt/Egyptology 17 (January 2021)

(9):4957-4969

Yasir Ashraf and S.Sampath Kumar

17. Activity Limitation of People Affected by Leprosy in an Endemic District in West Bengal, India

Disability, CBR &Inclusive Development 31 (3): 46-63 (December 2020)

G Pitchaimani, Sampath Kumar Srinivasan, J Darlong

16. Social Factors on Fertility Behaviour among Rural Women in Tiruchirappalli District, Tamil Nadu

International Journal of Health Sciences & Research 8 (10): 69-73 (October 2018)

Geetha Jeganathan, Sampathkumar Srinivasan, Pitchaimani Govindharaj

15. Perception toward the Disease of the People Affected by Leprosy

International Journal of Mycobacteriology 7:247?50 (September 2018)

Pitchaimani Govindharaj, Sampathkumar Srinivasan & Joydeepa Darlong

14. Support Network Tiruchirappalli City, Tamil Nadu of Visually Challenged Women in

International Journal of Trend in Scientific Research and Development 2(3):1220-1223 (April 2018)

Rajathurai Nishanthi & S. Sampath Kumar

13. Working Conditions and Issues of Women Workers in an Unorganized Sector: Special reference to

## Construction sector of Thuraiyur Taluk, Thiruchirappalli

International Journal of Trend in Scientific Research and Development 2(3): 1369-1374 (April 2018)

S.Rasheedha Banu & Sampath Kumar

12. Quality of Life of People Affected with Leprosy Disability Living in Purulia, West Bengal

International Journal of Health Sciences & Research 8(2):221-225 (February 2018)

G Pitchaimani , S Sampathkumar & J Darlong

11. Trends and Facts of Leprosy Prevalence in Purulia District, West Bengal, India and Facts of Leprosy

# Prevalence in Purulia District, West Bengal, India

International Journal of Trend in Scientific Research and Development 2 (2): 612-616 (February 2018)

Pitchaimani Govindharaj, & Sampath Kumar Srinivasan

10. Understanding Social Support Network of Women in Information and Communication Technology (ICT)

#### Sector

International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts 6 (1): 1327-1331 (February 2018)

Munwari Padmanabhan & S. Sampath Kumar

9. Women: A Comparative study of members and non-members of self-help group in Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

International Journal of Social Sciences Reviews 6(6): 1075-1079 (January 2018)

V. Brindha & S. Sampath Kumar

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## 8. Women's Autonomy and Fertility Control: Evidence from Rural Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

International Journal Social Sciences 6(6): 1215-1219 (January 2018) Girija Kumari & S.Sampath Kumar

7. Living Arrangement Patterns of the Elderly in West Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Living Arrangement Patterns of

the Elderly in West Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Living Arrangement Patterns of the Elderly in West Tiruchirappalli,

## Tamil Nadu, India

International Research Journal of Social Sciences Vol. 5(12), 1-7 (December 2016)

R. Nishanthi and S. Sampath Kumar

6. WORK- LIFE BALANCE AND WORK- LIFE CONFLICT ON CAREER ADVANCEMENT OF WOMEN

# PROFESSIONALS IN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY SECTOR, BENGALURU, INDIA

International Journal of Research - GRANTHAALAYAH 4(6):119-130 (June 2016)

Munwari Padmanabhan & S. Sampath Kumar

5. SOCIAL SUPPORT AND JOB SATISFACTION AMONG THE SCHOOL TEACHERS IN TIRUCHIRAPPALLI

## **EDUCATIONAL REVENUE DISTRICT, TAMIL NADU, INDIA**

International Journal of Research - GRANTHAALAYAH 3(12):83-91 (December 2015)

R. Rajakala & Dr. S. Sampath Kumar

4. Correlating Work Life Balance and Work Family Conflict among School Teachers of Gandravakottai Taluk,

#### Pudukottai District, Tamil Nadu, India

International Research Journal of Social Sciences 4(9):1-4 (September 2015)

R. Rajakala & Dr. S. Sampath Kumar

3. Understanding Elderly Abuse- A Special Reference to Elderly in an Urban Slum of Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

International Journal of Scientific and Research Publications 5(6):1-3 (June 2015)

S.Sampath Kumar, S.Girijakumari & V.Brindha

2. Open Defecation: Awareness & Practices of Rural Districts of Tamil Nadu, India

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH 3(5):537-539 (May 2014)

Geetha Jeganathan & Sampath Kumar

1. UNDERSTANDING GENDER INEQUITY IN FEEDING PRACTICES- REFERENCE TO RURAL COIMBATORE,

#### TAMIL NADU

International Journal of Research in Sociology and Social Anthropology 2(1):1-8 (January 2014) Sampath Kumar & Maruthakutti

# National Journals - 21

21. Pandemic Pressures: Socio-Economic Challenges and Coping Strategies of Unorganized Women Workers

# in India

Innovation and Integrative Research Center Journal 3 (5): 629-642 (May 2025)

Manoj Mathew, S. Sampath Kumar

20. Inclusivity in Medical Access of Trans Persons in the Health Care System of Kerala

Indian Journal of Natural Sciences, 14 (82): 69451-69459 (February 2024)

Silpa G Nair and S.Sampath Kumar

19. Unveiling the Day-to-Day Challenges of People with Dwarfism - a Qualitative Inquiry

Indian Journal of Natural Sciences, 14 (82):67276-67283 (February 2024)

Zuvairiya, A.M. & S. Sampath Kumar

18. Maternal Experiences of Caring for a Child with Autism: A Narrative Review of Qualitative Studies

Indian Journal of Natural Sciences 14 (79) (August 2023)

Akhila Johnson & S.Sampath Kumar

17. EMPLOYMENT BARRIERS OF MOTHERS CARING FOR CHILDREN WITH AUTISM IN KERALA: A

# PHENOMENOLOGICAL STUDY

Education and Society (???????????) 47-2(3) (June 2023)

Akhila Johnson & S.Sampath Kumar

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#### 16. STAKEHOLDERS VIEW ON WOMEN COMPONENT PLAN AND MICROCREDIT-SELF HELP GROUPS

Education and Society (???????????) 47-2(22) (June 2023)

Shinshya P, Indhirapriyadharshini M & S. Sampath Kumar

15. Disclosure of the Disease among People Affected by Leprosy

Indian Journal of Leprosy 93:361-367 (November 2021)

Pitchaimani Govindharaj, & Sampath Kumar Srinivasan & Joydeepa Darlong

14. A New Instrument to Measure Family Support among People Affected with Leprosy: Leprosy Family

#### Support Scale (LFSS)

Indian Journal of Leprosy 93: 157-165 (November 2021)

Pitchaimani Govindharaj, & Sampath Kumar Srinivasan & Joydeepa Darlong

13. Disease Disruption among People Affected by Leprosy

Indian Journal of Leprosy 94:23-31 (October 2021)

G Pitchaimani , S Sampathkumar , J Darlong

12. ACADEMIC CONSTRAINS AFFECTING MUSLIM GIRLS IN HIGHER EDUCATION: A CROSS SECTIONAL

#### STUDY OF BANDIPORA DISTRICT IN KASHMIR DIVISION

Mukt Shabd Journal 9 (4): 1-12 (April 2020)

Yasir Ashraf and S.Sampath Kumar

11. Personal Problems Faced By Muslim Girls In Higher Education

THINK INDIA JOURNAL 22(14):846-852 (December 2019)

Yasir Ashraf and S.Sampath Kumar

10. Social participation of persons affected by leprosy in an endemic district, West Bengal, India

Leprosy Review 90:105-112 (March 2019)

G Pitchaimani, S Sampathkumar, J Darlong

9. A New Instrument to Measure Leprosy Internalized Stigma: the Leprosy Internalized stigma Scale (LISS)

Leprosy Review89: 242-255 (November 2018)

Pitchaimani Govindharaj & Sampath Kumar

8. HEALTH ISSUES OF WOMEN CONSTRUCTION WORKERS: AN EVIDENCE FROM TRICHIRAPPALLI,

#### **TAMILNADU**

INDIAN JOURNAL OF APPLIED RESEARCH 8(7):372-373 (July 2018)

S.Rasheedha Banu & Sampath Kumar

7. Quality of Life of Persons Affected by Leprosy in an Endemic District, West Bengal, India

Indian Journal of Dermatology 63:459?64. (July 2018)

G Pitchaimani, S Sampathkumar, J Darlong

6. SOCIAL EXCLUSION OF VISUALLY CHALLENGED WOMEN IN TIRUCHIRAPPALLI CITY, TAMIL NADU

INDIAN JOURNAL OF APPLIED RESEARCH 8(7):394-395 (July 2018)

Rajathurai Nishanthi & S. Sampath Kumar

5. Attitude on contraception among rural women: A descriptive study in Coimbatore

National Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development 3(1):827-831 (January 2018)

S Girijakumari & S Sampath kumar

4. Availability and accessibility of health services for women in rural blocks of Tiruchirappalli District

National Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development 3(1):799-802 (January 2018)

J Geetha & S Sampath Kumar

3. Health seeking behaviour of rural women: A comparative analysis between members and non members of

## self help group in Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

National Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Development 3(1):786-792 (January 2018)

V Brindha & S Sampathkumar

2. Gender Inequity in Reproductive Health Decision Making and Management: A Study of Rural Women of

## Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India

Ethno-Medicine 9(1): 127-131 (January 2015)

Sampath Kumar & Maruthakutti

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#### 1. Gender Inequity in Child Care- A Special Reference to Rural Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India

INDIAN JOURNAL OF APPLIED RESEARCH 4(4):543-545 (April 2014) Sampath Kumar & Maruthakutti

#### Books/Chapters - 7

#### 7. Comparative Study between the SHG & Non-SHG Women Members on the Health Status & Decision Making

published in the edited book entitled Social Problems in India, Pointer Publishers, Jaipur, India. (ISBN 978-81-7132-650-1) (November 2023)

Sampath Kumar& Vijayalakshmi

#### 6. Parents on their Daughters' Higher Education: A Study of Muslim Families in Urban Coimbatore

Gender Justice. Edited by R.Maruthakutti & N. Poovalingam, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University Tirunelveli, (ISBN: 978-93-81402-69-6) (November 2022)

Zuvairiya, A.M. & S. Sampath Kumar

# 5. Living Arrangement Patterns of the Senior Citizens

Lambert Academic Publishing, Omniscriptum Publishing Group, Balti, Republic of Moldova, (ISBN: 978-3-330-35235-3) (November 2017)

Sampath Kumar

## 4. Gender Equity in Health Maintenance

Lambert Academic Publishing, Omniscriptum Gmbh & Co, Deutschland, Germany (ISBN: 978-3-659-86390-5) (November 2016) Sampath Kumar

## 3. Understanding Dual Social Exclusion of Homelessness of Women in India

Gendered Development and Marginalization of Women Edited by Sunder Raj.T, Serials Publishers, New Delhi, (ISBN: 978-81-8387-737-4) (November 2015)

Nishanthi & Sampath Kumar

#### 2. Gender Disparityin Childhood Immunization in Rural Coimbatore Tamilnadu

HEALTH,GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT. Edited by Lakshmi Narayana Das, Regal Publisher, New Delhi, (ISBN 978-81-8484-373-6.) (November 2014)

Sampath Kumar & Maruthakutti

# 1. MCQ's SOCIOLOGY & MEDICAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Academa Publishers, New Delhi(ISBN:81-88511-24- 2) (November 2004) Sampath Kumar

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1. MARITAL SATISFACTION SCALE (MSS): A NEW INSTRUMENT TO MEASURE MARITAL SATISFACTION OF MATERNAL CAREGIVERS OF CHILDREN WITH AUTISM AKHILA JOHNSON AND DR. S. SAMPATH KUMAR 16499/2022-CO/L 03-08-2022 L-123273/2023 02-06-2023

# **Projects**

# Ongoing - 1

1. Promoting the Health and Resilience of under privileged adolescents: A Mixed method evaluation of multilevel intervention TANSCHE 1 (November 2020 - November 2023)

# Completed - 1

1. Social Support and Reproductive Autonomy of Visually Challenged Women in the Rural Districts of Tamil Nadu - funded by Indian Council of Medical Research & Indian Council of Social Science Research Others 1 (November 2017 - November 2019)

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