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#### Brief Overview

Dr. Praveen S. S. completed M.Sc. in Physics from Kerala University in 2005 and Joined National Centre for Earth Science Studies (NCESS), Government of India and served as Research Fellow/Junior Research Fellow/Senior Research Fellow in the National Project of Tsunami Inundation Mapping and Modelling for the South West Coast of India till 2012. During this time he submitted his Ph.D. Thesis to Cochin University of Science and Technology (CUSAT) which came to fruition in 2013. Later he moved to Indian Institute of Technology (IIT-Delhi) where he served as Project Scientist in Centre for Atmospheric Sciences concerned with the Initial Withdrawal of Ocean. In 2012 December, he joined as Project Scientist in Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES-Government of India) Chennai, which he continued till February 2014, prior to his joining in St. Thomas College, Kozhenchery. He also has a Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism and Mass Communication (PGDCJ) from University of Kerala.

➤ Area of Specilization/Research Interests: Numerical Modeling of Coastal Processes, Tsunami Modeling, Shoreline Analysis, Aerosols, Coastal Data Collection, Topography/Bathymetry/Shoreline Mapping.

### Publications

- **S. S. Praveen**, N. P. Kurian & T. S. S. Hameed (2013): Tsunami Inundation Modelling for the Coast of Kerala, India, **Marine Geodesy**, 36:1, 86-97
- S S Praveen, K B Shafeer, N P Kurian and T S S Hameed Numerical Modelling of the Tsunami Propagation in the South East Arabian Sea (SEAS), Under Review with Marine Geodesy.
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- S.S Praveen, Kalarani, C. P. Shanavaz, S.Arjun, N.P Kurian, T.S.S Hameed and T.N.Prakash (2010), Numerical modelling studies on tsunami inundation along the Lakshadweep islands, Proceedings of the 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Hydroscience and Engineering(ICHE), Chennai, Page 100.

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#### Career Profile:

- Organizing Committee Member of Kerala Science Congress, Government of Kerala
- Co-Convenor of Children's Science Congress, Government of Kerala
- Faculty Team, Ministry of Earth Science-ICMAM PD, Government of India, Chennai
- Member, Reviewer Panel of International Journal- Marine Geodesy
- Programme Officer of National Service Scheme (NSS), St. Thomas College, Kozhenchery
- Member of International Tsunami Society
- Editorial Board Member of REYONO, a journal of St. Thomas College, Kozhenchery
- Visiting Faculty, Open course on Journalism and Mass Communication, of Department of Malayalam, St. Thomas College, Kozhenchery

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