



St Thomas College, Kozhencherry

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Faculty Profile

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Personal Details

Date of Birth	20.09.1995
Nationality	Indian
Marital Status	Married
Permanent Address	Kandathil House, Niranam Central P. O. Thiruvalla, Pathanamthitta, Kerala, India.

Higher Education

2013 – 2016	B.Sc Botany , SB College, Changanacherry .
2016 – 2018	M.Sc Botany , SB College, Changanacherry.

Professional Position

12 March 2020 to present	Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, St Thomas College, Kozhencherry
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Teaching Experience

2019 – 2020	Mar Thoma College Thiruvalla
2020 – present	St. Thomas College Kozhencherry

Courses Taught

M.Sc	Pteridology
	Plant Anatomy
	Cell Biology
	Bioinformatics and Bionanotechnology
B.Sc	Cell Biology, Biophysics
	Bryology, Pteridology, Anatomy

Professional Service Rendered

AY 2022-'23	Coordinator, Botany Association, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry
AY 2022-'23	Member of Board of Examiners for PG, SB College Changanacherry
AY 2021-'22	Member of Board of Examiners for UG and PG, SB College Changanacherry
2021-'23	Coordinator, FLAIR
AY 2020-'21 to AY 2022-'23	Committee Member, Institutional Scholarship Committee
	Additional Examiner, M.Sc and B.Sc. Degree Examinations held under Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam

Awards and Achievements

- Qualified CSIR-UGC NET (December 2018)
- Qualified GATE 2019

Areas of Specialization and Interest

- Plant Anatomy
- Biotechnology and Bioinformatics











Project Guidance

M.Sc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Jithin Manohar, <i>Documentation of Floristic Diversity in Chuttippara Hills, Pathanamthitta District</i> (2020-22 Batch)Arya Vinod, <i>Extraction of Natural Dye from Onion skin</i> (2020-22 Batch)Jyothilekshmi, <i>In vitro antioxidant activity and phytochemical analysis of Gliricidia sepium leaf extracts</i> (2019-21 Batch)Veena Vijayan, <i>In vitro antioxidant activity and phytochemical analysis of Clitoria ternatea flower extracts</i> (2019-21 Batch)
B.Sc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Anu Krishnan, Aswathy B. Nair, Elizabeth Abraham, Nandana Krishnan, Hridya Krishna M., <i>Preliminary phytochemical analysis of aquatic fern Salvinia molesta</i> (2019-22 Batch)




Faculty Development Programmes Attended

27 January- 16 February 2022	MOOC certificate course on Mushroom Cultivation, Centre for e-learning, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.
1-6 September 2021	FDP on LMS Moodle and Course design, Faculty Development Centre, Kerala State Higher Education Council.
18 May - 17 June 2021	Induction programme for Faculties, Teaching Learning Centre, Ramonujan College, University of Delhi.
17 - 21 August 2020	FDP on ' A century of Polymer Science: Developments and Challenges, Vimala College(Autonomous), Thrissur

Recent Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops Attended

- 20 July 2022  Intellectual Property Awareness training program organized by Intellectual Property Office.
- 31 July-1 August 2021  Webinar on Higher Education and Cyberspace organized by Mar Thoma Higher Education Commission.
- 20 August 2020  Webinar on Tools for recording and editing videos for online teaching organized by UC College, Aluva.
- 27 July 2020  Webinar on Understanding and Combating sexual harassment, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
- 16 July 2020  Webinar on Outcome based Education, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
- 22 July 2022  Webinar on 'When COVID infects the mind', IQAC, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
-  Webinar on ' Discovering the emotionally intelligent teacher within you, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
- 22 March 2021  International webinar on Synthetic Biology in natural product drug discovery, Botany Department, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
- 6 November 2020  National webinar on Research Methodology, Department of Botany, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry
- 30 September 2020  Webinar on Magical world of Botanical Illustration, St. Berchmans College Changanacherry.
- 21 August 2020  Webinar on Molecular Diagnostic Platforms through chemistry, biology and nanotechnology, University of Kerala.
- 24 August 2020  Webinar on Environmental Impact Assessment: Past, Present and Future, Baselius College, Kottayam

Recent Seminar/Conferences/Workshops Organized

- 10 February 2023  Coordinator of Vegetos 2023, Botany Association, St. Thomas College, Kozhencherry.
- 1 December 2022  Coordinator of Skill development workshop on Terrarium Making, Botany Department, St. Thomas College Kozhencherry.
- 26 March 2021  Webinar and live quiz on Earth Hour in association with WWF

Skills

- Languages known  English, Malayalam, Hindi.