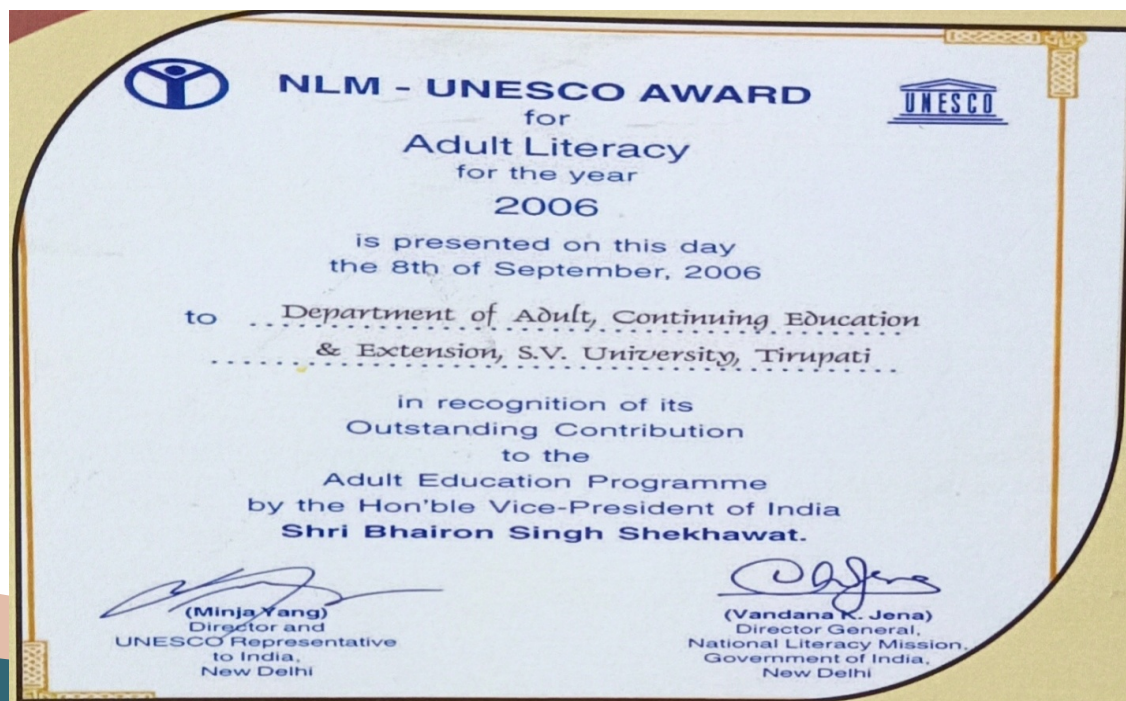




DEPARTMENT OF ADULT & CONTINUING EDUCATION

NLM-UNESCO AWARDEE



2022

VISION: To become renowned department with strong Stake holders connectivity and student friendly academic processes.

MISSION: To Professionalize students in the field of Adult Education and Rural Development. To groom man power with the needed practical skills to cater to the individual and employment needs.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

The Department of Adult and Continuing Education, Sri Venkateswara University was established in 1972. At present 3 teaching faculty, 3 Academic Consultants and 2 Supporting Staff are working in the Department. The Department has well equipped Library, and Seminar hall. Since its inception, the Department has been designing and implementing a variety of Teaching, Research and Extension Activities. The Department has been offering 2 PG programmes i.e. M.A. Adult Education (since 1980) with an intake of 21 students & MA Rural Development & Management (since 2012) with an intake of 20 students by following choice based credit system and semester pattern. Under research, the department is offering M.Phil, PhD programmes in both Adult Education and Rural Development and Management. The Ministry of Human Resource Development has awarded NLM, UNESCO award to the Department during the year 2006, which has brought laurels & image to the Department and the university.

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT



Sathyavathi B. Reddicherla, Ph.D., currently working as Associate Professor, Department of Adult and Continuing Education, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati- 517 502, Andhra Pradesh, India. Completed M.A Adult Education in 1989 from S.V.University, Tirupati (Awarded Gold medal in M.A. Adult Education for securing first Rank), and M.Ed in 1997 from Annamalai University, UGC-NET (Lectureship) in Adult Education in 1991. Gained Ph.D in Adult Education with 24 years of research experience in adult education and health education. Guided one Ph.D in Adult Education. Completed two major research projects and eight minor research projects. Published 2 books and 25 research papers in National and three International peer reviewed journals. Participated in 82 National and 13 International Seminars/Conferences. Conducted around 14 vocational training camps in Adult Education under Extension activities. Organized 15 health awareness camps, 8 literacy camps, 9 awareness programmes and 10 career guidance and counseling programmes in various institutions. Participated in about 14 university level extension activities.

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Prof. B. Syam Mohan David Raju received M.A. Philosophy and M.A. Education Master Degrees from Andhra University, Visakhapatnam. He has achieved his first Ph.D. Degree in Education from A.U., VSP; Qualified SLET(Edu), completed M.Phil. in Philosophy from AU, VSP and he received second Ph.D. degree in Philosophy from S.V. University, Tirupati. He has twenty-three years teaching experience in the field of Education, Adult Education and Rural Development. He has been teaching different subjects namely, Philosophy, Sociology, Psychology, School Administration, Adult Education and Rural Development. He has completed one major Research Project, UGC, New Delhi and 10 minor Research Projects, SAP – DRS I & II, Dept of Adult and Continuing Education, S.V. University. He acted as Resource Person for Refresher Course, UGC – HRDC, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu and UGC, HRDC, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, A.P.



Prof. K. Sudha Rani is Professor of Department of Adult Education and Director, Centre for Extension Studies in S.V. University. In addition, she is currently Dean, Faculty of Education and Member in Academic Senate. In a Career spanning over three decades she has undertaken 35 minor research projects and 8 major research projects, financed by UGC and Ministry of HRD. She has so far published 8 books, 77 articles in various reputed adult education and social science journals and edited volumes. Organised 11 National Seminars and 1 International webinar, Presented 74 papers in national and 04 international seminars. She has experience of organizing and Participation in extension activities such as Income generating programmes, Career guidance and counseling, medical campus and awareness programmes. She is the recipient of State Best Teacher Award, University meritorious Teacher Award and Best Teacher Award from Vidya Parirakshana Smithi.



Prof. P. Adinarayana Reddy, (Retd.) is Director, Department of Adult and Continuing Education, S.V. University, Tirupati, India. He has published 131 research papers, 50 books on various aspects of adult education and completed 43 research projects with the financial assistance from different funding agencies. Earlier he has served as Registrar, Dravidian University, Kuppam and Principal, IASE, S.V. University. He is the Chairman, Board of Studies in Education and Adult Education in V.S. University. He is the recipient of Danish Government Scholarship, Hungarian Government Scholarship and UGC Research Awardee adult education and awarded with Sardar Patel Literacy Award and Best teacher. Under his leadership, the Department was awarded with NLM – UNESCO National Award. And also he has received Nehru Literacy Award for the year 2019. He has studied the adult education systems in Germany, Denmark, Sweden, UK, Vietnam, Philippines, France, Latvia, Indonesia, Thailand and Sri Lanka etc.



Prof. T. Kumaraswamy has been serving in the Department of Adult and Continuing Education, S.V. University, Tirupati for the last 28 years and occupied positions like Project officer, Asst. Director and Professor in the same Department. He is professor and Head of the department and also Principal, IASE, S.V. University. He has obtained M.A. Adult Education, Ph.D in Adult Education, PG Diploma in Statistics from S.V. University, M.Com. B.Ed, M.Ed from Annamalai University. He has to his credit 60 research articles, 7 Ph.Ds, 3 M.Phils and presented more than 50 papers in various National and International seminars and conferences. He has organized a good number of seminars, workshops, Training Programmes and chaired sessions at various levels. He has published 4 books. He is serving in the editorial board for journal of Adult Education and Extension, as Governing Body Member in SRC for Adult Education, HYD and JSS, Tirupati. He is a life member in IAEA and All India Council for Mass Education and Development, and member in BOS in Adult Education, S.V. University, S.K. University and Advisory Committee in Adult Education, Calicut University.

Academic Consultants



Dr. M.C. Obulesu, Department of Adult & Continuing Education S.V. University College of Arts, S.V. University, Tirupati. He did his Post-graduation and Ph.D. in Adult Education from Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati. He has worked in Major Research Project of the Department of Adult & Continuing Education viz., Evaluation of Akshara Sankranthi Programmes (Adult Literacy Programme) of Kadapa, East Godavari, Khammam and Karim Nagar Districts; He was conducted one National Seminar, Sponsored by the "Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) New Delhi. He has served as Assistant Warden in Sri Venkateswara University College Hostels for Men, Tirupati. He has Published 20 Research Articles in National/ International reputed journals. He has actively participated and presented papers in National/International seminars and conferences.



Dr. M. Subramanyam, Department of Adult & Continuing Education S.V. University College of Arts, S.V. University, Tirupati. He did his Post-graduation and Ph.D. in Adult Education from Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati. He has worked in Major Research Project of the Department of Adult & Continuing Education. He has Published 10 Research Articles in National/ International reputed journals. He has actively participated and presented papers in National/International seminars and conferences.



Dr. E. Mahadev Reddy, Department of Adult & Continuing Education S.V. University College of Arts, S.V. University, Tirupati. He did his Post-graduation and Ph.D. in Adult Education from Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati. He has qualified in NET. He worked in UGC and ICSR Projects as Project Fellow of the Department of Adult & Continuing Education. He has Published 30 Research Articles in National/ International reputed journals. He has published 4 books. He has actively participated and presented papers in National/ International seminars and conferences.

CURRICULUM OF M.A. ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMME

	SL.No	TITLE OF THE PAPER
Semester – I	1.	Alternative Learning Systems
	2.	Policy Studies In Adult/Continuing Education
	3.	Adult Psychology And Learning
	4.	Socio-Philosophical Foundations Of Adult Education
	5.	Communication methods in Adult Education
	6.	Human Values And Professional Ethics-I
Semester – II	1.	Recent Trends In Adult And Continuing Education
	2.	Curriculum And Methods Of Literacy Teaching
	3.	Research Methods In Adult Education
	4.	Field Work & Practical Assignments
	5.	Management Of Adult/Continuing Education
	6.	Human Values And Professional Ethics-II
Semester – III	1.	Training In Adult And Continuing Education
	2.	Comparative Studies In Adult Education
	3.	Material Development For Adult & Continuing Education
	4.	Peoples' Participation And Development
		Vocational Education & Training
		Guidance And Counselling In Adult/Continuing Education
	5.	Inclusive Education
		Information Technology For Continuing Education
		Entrepreneurship Development
		Women's Education & Development
Semester – IV	1.	Monitoring & Evaluation
	2.	Human Resources Management & Development
	3.	Dissertation / Project Work
	4.	Environmental Education
		Statistical Methods For Social Research
		Development Strategies & Voluntarism
		Population Education
		Adult Education And Extension
	5.	Skill Development Initiatives
		Career Guidance And Counseling

Curriculum of M.A. Rural Development & Management

	SL.No	TITLE OF THE PAPER
Semester – I	1.	Introduction To Rural Development
	2.	Equity And Social Development In Rural Area
	3.	Indian Rural Economic Structure
	4.	Literacy And Education For Rural Development
	5.	Rural Development Institutions
		Information And Communication Technology For Rural Development
		Rural Governance And Rural Development
Semester II	6.	Economics Of Agriculture
	7.	Rural Development Theories And Approaches
		Human Values And Professional Ethics - I
	1.	Rural Industrialisation
	2.	Research Methods And Methodology In Rural Development
	3.	Agriculture & Rural Bio - Technology
	4.	Field Visits And Field Report
	5.	Rural Marketing And Management
		Rural Development Programmes And Planning
		Horticulture And Rural Development
Semester – III	6.	Population Growth And Development In Rural Area
	7.	Economic Growth And Rural Development
		Human Values And Professional Ethics – IV
	1.	Natural Resources Sustainable Development - Land
	2.	Natural Resources Management - Water
	3.	Natural Resources Management-Vegetation
		Communications For Rural Development
		Women & Child Development And Rural Development
		Rural Project Planning And Management
	4.	Soft Skill Development
Semester – IV	5.	Career Guidance And Counselling
		Extension Activities And Voluntarism-Rural Development
	1.	Agriculture And Rural Development
	2.	Rural Banking And Credit
	3.	Environment And Development
		Statistical Methods For Social Research
		Rural Entrepreneurship And Development
		Vocational Education And Training
	4.	Project Report/ Dissertation
	5.	Human Resources Development In Rural Sectors
		Skill Development Initiatives

Achievements from 1972 to 2022

TOTAL

1. NLM UNESCO Award	: 2006
2. Nehru Literacy Award	: 3
3. SAP DRS-1 (2019-14)	
4. SAP DRS-II (2015-20)	
5. International seminars	: 2
6. National Seminars	: 63
7. Ph.D's awarded	: 48
8. Books	: 115
9. Articles	: 467
10. Research Projects	: 100
11. Vocational Training	: 15
12. Career Guidance Camps	: 55
13. Extension activities	: 174
14. Publication of journal of Adult Education & Extension, ISSN No: 2349-6630	

Achievements from 2017 - 2022

1. State Best Teacher Awards	: 1
2. Nehru Literacy Awards (National Level)	: 2
3. University Meritorious Teacher Awards	: 4
4. Extension Activities	: 5
5. National Seminars	: 3
6. Ph.D. Awarded	: 4
7. Research Projects	: 10
8. Field Trip for Students	: 1
9. Awareness programme	: 2
10. Fellowships	: 3

Future plans

- Resource center for research on Life Long Learning
- Skill promotion center
- Incubation center for entrepreneurship
- Village knowledge centre.

