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Educational Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diploma in Mechanical Engineering from Thiagarajar Polytechnic College, Salem, with GOLD Medal in 1984 • B.E. (Mechanical Engg.) from Bharathiar University (Kongu Engineering College) with University 9th Rank in 1988 • Gold medallist in M.Tech in IIT-Bombay in 1990 • Ph.D. from Bharathiar University in 2002 	
Professional Career Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faculty of Mechanical Engineering at Kongu Engg. College (KEC), Perundurai for 12 years (1990-2002) • HOD of Mechanical Engineering at Kongu Engg. College (KEC), Perundurai for 03 years (2002-2005) • Received Best Faculty Award twice during his career at KEC • Served as the Principal of K.S.Rangasamy College of Technology, Tiruchengode during 2005-2009 (4 years) and elevated the college to one among the top ranked institutions in the state by improving Results, Placement and obtained Autonomous status. • Founded Knowledge Institute of Technology , Salem in 2009 along with his BE classmates and Faculty friends and spearheading the institution as the Principal. 	
Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approved Research Supervisor in Anna University, Chennai • Ph.D. Scholars Supervised: 14 • Ph.D. Scholars being Supervised: 03 • Published over 70 research papers in International and National Journals and over 134 papers in National and International Conferences • During his tenure at Kongu Engineering College, he received Rs. 6.00 lakhs grant from AICTE. • During his tenure at KSR College of Technology, he was responsible for obtaining various grants over Rs. 5.00 Crores from various funding agencies for research. • He has one patent to his credit 	

Awards & Recognitions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under his leadership, Sun TV and Mark Org study has rated the Mechanical Engg. Dept of KEC as 4th in the Top 5 in the State in 2004 • Thiagarajar Polytechnic College, Salem has honoured him with Distinguished Alumnus Award in 2008 • Kongu Engineering College has honoured him with Distinguished Alumnus Award among first 20 batches in 2010
Membership in Professional Bodies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life member in Indian Society for Technical Education (ISTE), New Delhi, India • Life member in National Society of Fluid Mechanics and Fluid Power (FMFP), Bombay, India • Life member in Indian Society of Heat and Mass Transfer (ISHMT), Chennai, India • Life member in Institution of Engineers (INDIA) • Member in American Society of Mechanical Engineering (ASME), USA. • Member of CII-Salem Chapter (Convenor/Mentor, Education panel), MMA-Salem section, Salem Productivity Council (Governing Body Member) and NHRD - Hosur Chapter and NIPM
Academic Areas of Interest	Heat and Mass Transfer, Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD), Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Waste Heat Recovery, Renewable Energy, Solar Passive Design of Buildings, Design Optimization, Taguchi Method
Administrative Capabilities	Institutional Governance, Autonomous functions, Strategic Planning, NBA and NAAC Accreditations and Faculty Development
<p>Countries Visited:</p> <p>He has visited 13 Universities in Canada, UK, Hong Kong, China, Taiwan, and Singapore which are listed in the top 50 Universities in the World Rankings.</p>	

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