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## **CAREER RECORD**

# Coordinator school of Food Science and Technology Mahatma Gandhi University 12/3/2021 onwards

- Principal, Baker College for Women(Affiliated to MG University) from June 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 till 11/3/2021
- → Assistant Professor, Department of Home Science, C.M.S College, Kottayam, Kerala from 1998 June to November 2010
- Dietitian (1995 1997), Kannur District Hospital Government of Kerala
- Junior Assistant Professor (1987 1988), Tribal Area Research Centre (ICAR) College of Agriculture, Kerala Agricultural University, Trivandrum, Kerala
- ☐ Lecturer (1986 1987), Dept. of Home Science, Vimala College, Trichur, Kerala

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- → Best Poster Presentation , Nutritional knowledge, attitude and practice level of selected female collegiate sports Persons of Kottayam District, 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of NSI Sports Nutrition, 2019. (PhD scholar)
- Best oral presentation :- Home Science Association of India, 2021 (PhD Scholar)
- □ UGC travel grant award: International Union of Nutritional Science –IUNS. 20<sup>th</sup> international Congress of Nutrition-Granada (Spain) (15-20 September)
- UGC travel grant award: 19<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Nutrition (4-9 October) Banghok, **Thailand**.

## RESEARCH

- Research Guide Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala
   Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikannal, Tamil Nadu
   Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
- **♡** Successfully completed 5 UGC Major Projects and 1 UGC Minor Project
- **Ph. D awarded 1; Submitted -1; Ongoing 6**
- Post-doctoral Guidance 1
- M. Phil Guidance Awarded 7
- P.G. Guidance More than 20 till 2012
- Research Panel Member Kerala Agricultural University, Avinashlingam University, Periyar University, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikannal, Tamil Nadu, S.N.D.T. University for Women, Mumbai

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- **☞ Life Member, Nutrition Society of India**
- **☞** Life Member, Home Science Association of India
- **☞** Life Member, Celiac Society of India
- **☞** Life Member, Indian Dietetic Association (Founder President -IDA Kerala Chapter)
- Member Academic Council, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala 2017
   -2021
- Chairman UG Board of studies, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala 2017
   -2021
- Chairman PG Board of studies, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala –
   2017-2021
- General coordinator of Star College Grant CMS College DBT 2017-2020
- e content writer for ePG Pathshala under NMEICT (UGC)
- Coordinator, UGC Sponsored Career Oriented course (Fashion Designing) 2003
   onwards
- Member, UGC Core committee for Add-on Courses, Mahatma Gandhi University,
   Kottayam, Kerala
- Convener Net Profan Keralam (FSSAI)
- National Executive Committee Member Indian Dietetic Association
- National Executive Committee Member Nutrition Society Of India2016-2020
- Reviewer Indian Journal of Research in Food Science and Nutrition
- Reviewer Tata Mc Graw-Hill Publishers
- Speaker All India Radio-1987-1998
- Coordinator-DBT Star College Scheme, CMS College-(2017-2020 March)
- Academic Council member CMS College 2016-2020.

#### **EDUCATION**

- B. Sc Home Science (1984) Vimala College, Thrissur, Calicut University –First class
- M. Sc Food Science and Nutrition (1986) Avinashlingham Home Science College,
   Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu-A grade
- M. Phil Food Science and Nutrition (1993) Avinashlingham Deemed University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu First class
- → Ph. D Food Science and Nutrition (2002) Avinashlingham Deemed University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu -

## TEACHING AND LEARNING PROCESS

- Co-ordinator Add-on Course Fashion Designing -MG University Kottayam

- Member CBCS Model Question Paper Setting Committee 2017-18 MG University Kottayam
- General Co-ordinator –DBT Sponsored STAR College Scheme- CMS College Kottayam (Autonomous)
- Curriculum Restructuring workshop ( UG and PG ) MG University Kottayam
- ~ Advisory board committee member, Institute of Food and Agricultural Ethics, Thamarassery.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

# **Journal Papers**

- → Anooja Thomas K and Lincy P. Effect of Hypocholestimic effect of Curcuma amda

  Roxb. Journal of Nutritional Science and Vitaminology (Accepted).
- → Anooja Thomas K. and Dhanya Radhakrishnan. 2020. A study on the impact of the Novel Bio chemical Parameter Calcium Score in preventing the progression of the cardio Vascular Diseases to invasive interventions. *Journal of Nutritional Science and Vitaminology* 66:S11-S17.

- Anooja Thomas K. and Dhanya Radhakrishnan. 2019. Impact of the Novel Biochemical
   Parameter
  - Calcium Score in Preventing the Progression of Cardiovascular Diseases to Invasive Interventional
  - Techniques. Annals of Nutrition and Metabolism Vol 75. Suppl 3. ISSN 0250 6807.
- □ Lincy P and Anooja Thomas K. 2019. Hypocholesterolemic Effect of *Curcuma Amada* Roxb. *Annals of Nutrition and Metabolism* Vol 75. Suppl 3. ISSN 0250 6807.
- Anooja Thomas K. 2019. Parboiling Induced Changes in The Morphological Aspects and Amylose-Amylopectin Ratio of Selected Rice Varieties. *Annals of Nutrition and Metabolism* Vol 75. Suppl 3. ISSN 0250 6807.
- □ Lincy P and Anooja Thomas K. 2018. Assessment of Nutritional status of mild Hypocholesterolemic adults in Kottayam .Asian journal of Multidimensional research Vol.7 Issue 2:111-114
- Curcuma amada Roxb.) on Mild hypercholestrolemic adults. *International Journal for Science and Advance Research in Technology*. Vol 4 Issue 10 p358-360. ISSN 2395 1052.
- Dhanya R and **Anooja Thomas K.** 2017. Impact of Homocysteine and Calcium Score Levels on the Risk Assessment of Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary Angioplasty (PTCA) undergone patients. *International Journal of Home Science*. Vol 3 Issue 3. p 29-32. ISSN 2395 7476
- Ramya R and **Anooja Thomas K.** 2016. Determination of socio-economic and dietary factors influencing anemia among the adolescent girls in Kottayam district. *Asian Journal of Home Science*. Vol11 Issue-2. December p306-311. ISSN 0973-4732.
- ¬ Ramya R and Anooja Thomas K. 2015. Nutritional status and dietary pattern of adolescent girls of Kottayam Taluk. *International Journal of Advanced Research*. Vol3, Issue 4, p949-955. ISSN 2320 5407.

- Neethu Ravikumar and Anooja Thomas K. 2015. Effect of Amylose-Amylopectin Ratio on the Structure of Starch Granules of Selected Rice Varieties. *foodSci: Indian Journal of Research in Food Science and Nutrition*. Volume 2 Issue 2, P 77-80. ISSN 2349 8897.
- □ Lincy P and **Anooja Thomas K.** 2014. Nutrition and life style of selected Mild Hypocholesterolemic patients. *foodSci- Indian journal of Research in Food Science and nutrition*. Vol 1,Isssue 2,p30-32. ISSN 2349 8897.
- Anooja Thomas K. and Neethu Jose .2013. Value addition of fruits. *mRNA*. Vol 2 Issue 1&2 p3-7. ISSN 2319 2747
- Anooja Thomas K. 2009. Effectiveness of Daily Iron Supplementation and Energy Rich Pregame Bar on Selected Adolescent Sports Students. Annals of Nutrition and Metabolism Vol 55 P129-07 ISSN 0250 6807.
- → Padmavathy C and Anooja Thomas K.1995. Fish Consumption Pattern and Nutritional Status of the Women workers in the Marine Food Processing units of Cochin. *The Ind. J. Nutr. Dietet*. Vol 32 No 4 p 106 -108.ISSN 0022 3174
- Usha Chandrasekhar, G. Vasanthamani, **Anooja K. Thomas.** 1990. Infant Feeding and Weaning Practices among Irulas of Attapadi Hills and Lambas of Katchuvadi Hills. *The Ind. J. Nutr. Dietet* Volume 27, Issue 6,ISSN 0022 3174
- Rose Mary Francis, **Anooja Thomas K**, and Irfana Parveen, Accommodation Status of Independently Living Elderly, Journal of Scientific Research, Volume 65, Issue 4, 2021

## **Books/Book Chapters**

- Anooja Thomas, K. Ethnography of Kerala's food and its contribution to food and nutrition security.
  - Indian food anthropology and eat right movement. M.S University, Baroda. (Accepted)
- Anooja Thomas, K. 2020. Healthy Diets everywhere. In: Agarwal, P. and Mathur, P. (Eds.) *Eat Right: A food systems Approach*. Food future foundation, Eat Right Movement, FSSAI. P227-247.

- → Anooja Thomas, K. 2019. Diet and Cancer. In: Proceedings of International Seminar on Cancer: Diet, lifestyle links and newer management. Shanlax Publications, Madurai. ISBN 978-93-8839-83-81.
- ☼ Anooja Thomas. K. 2015. Current concepts in pre and post competition meal in enhancing sports performance. In: Proceedings of the UGC Sponsored National seminar on Nutritional strategies for enhancing sports performance. Prathibha Publications. ISBN 978-93-85567-04-9.
- → Anooja Thomas. K. 2012. Low sodium Recipes for Hypertensive patients. ISBN 978-81-923850
- Anooja Thomas. K., Thomas M., Cheriyan T., Hari N. and Thomas R.P 2012. Basics of Microbiology. BulBul Scientific Services. ISBN 978-81-923850-1-3
- Anooja Thomas. K. 2012. Nutrition Support in family Health –reducing micro nutrient deficiencies. In: Chandra V., Regi RSF., Anna R C. and Suba G.(Eds.) *Optimizing Nutritional Support in Health And Disease*. Today Publishers, Chennai ISBN 978-93-81992-02-9.
- □ Bulbin Jose and Anooja Thomas K. 2012. Effect of micro nutrient supplementation among anaemic adolescent girls in Kottayam. In: Anooja Thomas K. Thomas R.P., Hari N.(Eds) Proceedings of International conference on bio active Natural components from plant food in Nutrition and health –ICBPN 2012. BulBul Scientific Services ISBN 978-81-923850-5-1, P101-104.
- Remya R and **Anooja Thomas K**. 2012. Effect of micro nutrient supplementation among anaemic adolescent girls in Kottayam. In: Anooja Thomas K. Thomas R.P., Hari N.(Eds) *Proceedings of International conference on bio active Natural components from plant food in Nutrition and health –ICBPN 2012*. BulBul Scientific Services ISBN 978-81-923850-5-1. P141-145.
- Teena Kurian and **Anooja Thomas K**. 2012. Effect of micro nutrient supplementation among anaemic adolescent girls in Kottayam. In: Anooja Thomas K. Thomas R.P., Hari

- N.(Eds) Proceedings of International conference on bio active Natural components from plant food in Nutrition and health –ICBPN 2012. BulBul Scientific Services ISBN 978-81-923850-5-1. P195-201.
- → Anooja Thomas K. 2011. Health Risks from processed food. In: A compilation of Technical Presentations during the One day awareness programme on Science and Technology in transforming women's lives. ISBN 8186366857.

# **Conference/Seminar Papers – Presented**

## **International**

- → Anooja Thomas K. and Dhanya Radhakrishnan. 2019.Impact of the Novel Biochemical
   Parameter
  - Calcium Score in Preventing the Progression of Cardiovascular Diseases to Invasive Interventional Techniques. 13<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition (ACN 2019), Bali, Indonesia (August 4-7).
- ☼ Anooja Thomas K. A study on the impact of the Novel Bio chemical Parameter Calcium Score in preventing the progression of the cardio Vascular Diseases to invasive interventions. 13<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition (ACN 2019), Bali, Indonesia (August 4-7).
- Anooja Thomas. K. 2019. Hypocholesterolemic effect of Curcuma amada Roxb. 13<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition (ACN 2019), Bali, Indonesia (August 4-7).
- → Anooja Thomas K. and Rajasalim, R. 2013. Effect of supplementation of Iron-Folic Acid biscuits on anaemic adolescent girls. International Union of Nutritional Science –IUNS. 20<sup>th</sup> international Congress of Nutrition-Granada (Spain) (15-20 September).

- Union of Nutritional Science –IUNS. 20<sup>th</sup> international Congress of Nutrition-Granada (**Spain**) (15-20 September).
- Anooja Thomas.K. 2011. International conference on food and nutraceuticals for nutrition and health- Periyar University. Salem Food safety: current scenario and future trends
- → Anooja Thomas.K. 2009. Effectiveness of daily Iron supplementation and energy rich pregame bar on selected adolescent sports students. 19<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Nutrition (4-9 October) Banghok, Thailand.
- Anooja Thomas K. 2021 Elder friendly life space design-Evoking community and government intervention, International Webinar On Perceived Anxiety, Social Support And Coping Strategies Of Elderly During Covid-19 Pandemic, Dept. of Sociology, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram-695581.
- Anooja Thomas K., Rose Mary Francis and Magna Raison ,Augmenting Kerala's Medical Tourism for Senior Citizen— A Perspective on the Scope of Ayurveda, International Conference on Sustainable Globalization January 09-11, 2020, Kochi.
- Anitha Begum and **Anooja Thomas K.** A Study on the Relation between Lifestyle Diseases and Food Habits of Regular Eatery Consumers in Malappuram District, International Conference on Sustainable Globalization January 09-11, 2020, Kochi.

## **National**

- → Anooja Thomas.K, Meghana. M. Study on the Hypocholesterolemic effect of the selected herb on adult patients suffering from Mild hypercholesterolemia. 43<sup>rd</sup> National conference of NSI-NIN, Hyderabad
- Sarimol.K.S, **Anooja Thomas.K**. Nutritional profile and effect of folic acid supplementation on preganant women. 41<sup>st</sup> Annual National conference of NSI.2009.
- Deepa Sebastian and Anooja Thomas.K. Effect of cinnamon supplementation on blood glucose and lipid levels in gestational diabetes mellitus

- Ramya R, **Anooja Thomas.K**. Nutritional status of adolescent girls (15-18 years), individual and environmental influence on eating behavior.
- → Anooja Thomas.K, Ramya. R. 2010. Development, acceptability and keeping quality of folic acid rich biscuit for adolescent girls. 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual National conference of NSI, Mumbai (19-20 November).
- Anooja Thomas.K, Assessment of the knowledge attitude and practice of mothers regarding weanling diarrhea. 43RD Annual National Conference OF IDA 2010NIN, Hyderabad
- Nutritional status and effectiveness of nutrition Education programme of selected adolescent girls (12-19years)
- Teena Kurian and **Anooja Thomas. K**. 2012. Food safety measures existing among House wives (25-65) years of Poonjar Panchayath and the impact of nutrition education. In: *Proceedings of International conference on bio active Natural components from plant food in Nutrition and health –ICBPN 2012. Pp.*195-201. ISBN 978-81923850-5-1.
- □ Bulbin Jose and Anooja Thomas. K. 2012. Assessment of the knowledge, attitude and practice of mothers regarding Weanling diarrhea. In: Proceedings of International conference on bio active Natural components from plant food in Nutrition and health –ICBPN 2012. Pp. 101-104. ISBN 978-81923850-5-1.
- ¬ Anooja Thomas K. 2012. Study the status of the Thyroid functions in adult women after salt iodization. 45<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of IDA 2012, Mumbai.
- Neethu Ravikumar. And Anooja Thomas K. 2014. Effect of Amylose–Amylopectin Ratio on Maltese cross pattern of selected rice varieties. 46<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of NSI 2014, (6-8 November) Ludhiana, Punjab.

- Lincy P and Anooja Thomas.K. 2014. Nutrition and lifestyle selected mild Hypocholesterolemic patients. 46<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of NSI 2014, (6-8 November) Ludhiana, Punjab.
- Anooja Thomas.K. 2014. Current concepts in pre and post competition meal in enhancing sports performance. UGC sponsored national seminar on nutritional strategies for enhancing sports performance, Assumption College, Chaganacherry-Nov20,21,2014
- Lincy P, Anooja Thomas.K. 2015. Impact of Mango ginger supplementation on mild Hypercholesterolemic adult patients. 47<sup>th</sup> Annual national conference of NSI-2015.
- Dhanya Radhakrishnnan and **Anooja Thomas. K**. 2016. Impact of dietary habits on the lipid profile of selected PTCA patients. IDACON 2016. 49<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference of Indian Dietetic Association (23-25 September 2016), Mumbai.
- Dhanya Radhakrishnnan and **Anooja Thomas. K**. 2017. Impact of Diet counseling in preventing the progression of the cardiovascular patients to Percutaneous Transluminal coronary angioplasty and coronary artery bypass grafting. 49<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference of the Nutrition Society of India, (2-4 November) organized by Nutritional Society of India and Assam Agricultural University.
- Anitha Begum, A.S. and **Anooja Thomas. K**. 2017. A study on relationship between food quality and lifestyle diseases among adults in Manjeri Municipality. 49<sup>th</sup> annual Conference of the Nutrition Society of India, (2-4 November) organized by Nutritional Society of India and Assam Agricultural University.
- Rajimol K.C. and **Anooja Thomas. K**. 2019. Nutritional knowledge, attitude and practice level of selected female collegiate sports Persons of Kottayam District, 51<sup>st</sup> annual Conference of the Nutrition Society of India, (7-9 November) organized by Nutritional Society of India and Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Trivandrum.

# **Popular Articles**

- GrihaLakshmi Food Special issue –Nutritious Food February 2000 p 30
- Food Adulteration Mangalam News Paper Daily 07 Nov-1993

#### CONFERENCES/SEMINARS – CO-ORDINATED/ORGANIZED

- Academic counselor –IGNOU-1993-1994
- Guest faculty, certificate course in Home Management, School of Distance Education 1993-1995
  - Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam
- State Level Seminar on Medical Nutrition Therapy in Renal disorders, 2003
- UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Food Role in Prevention and Management of Cancer, 2005
- UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Evolving Trends in Enteral And Parenteral Nutrition, January, 2006
- Coordinator National level Mid-Day Meal Recipe Competition (Sponsored by DST, New Delhi), 2007
- Co-organizing Secretary, International Conference "Sustainable Agriculture", February,
   2008
- Coordinator DBT star college scheme Outreach Program.(CMS COLLEGE)
- ✓ International Conference on Bioactive Natural Compounds from Plant Foods in Nutrition
   and Health ICBPN 2012, September 2012 funded by ICMR, KSCTE, UGC.
- Organizing Secretary, 51<sup>st</sup> National conference of Nutrition Society of India 2019 Held at Trivandrum.

#### SEMINARS / WORKSHOPS/CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- → Health Science in Current Scenario –A Two day National Level Seminar-10 & 11

  January 2007 Kasthurba Gandhi Auditorium Vellalar College for Women, Erode
- 40<sup>th</sup> Annual national conference of NSI November 2008, Chennai

- □ 45<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference IDA 2012, NIN Hyderabad
- Mahatma Gandhi University Kottayam Post Graduate Curriculum Restructuring workshop 14-16 December 2011.
- National Seminar on Life style related Diseases Prevention Education and Intervention
   January 2012 Quaid-E-Millath Government College for Women(Autonomous)Chennai
- 48<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of IDA-19-21<sup>st</sup> Nov.2015, Bangalore
- □ 49<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of IDA 2016
- 48<sup>TH</sup> Annual National conference of NSI-2016
- National Conference Shakthi 2016 ICSSR, ICMR sponsored 7 & 8 March 2016 MMM
   College of Health Science Chennai
- Introductory course on Stable Isotopic Techniques in Human Nutrition-St. Johns Bangalore 12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> 2017
- 49<sup>th</sup> Annual National conference of NSI 2017, Assam, Jorhat
- Molecular Techniques in Food BioTechnology,5-9, March 2018 IIFPT- Thanjavur
- □ India International Science Festival (05-08- October 2018) Organized by Ministry of Science and Technology Ministry of Earth Science and Vijnana Bharathi held at Lucknow
- Training course on coconut food products 14 march 2019, Coconut Development Board
- ☼ International Seminar on cancer: Diet, lifestyle links and newer management, Holy cross Home Science College, Tirunelveli Feb 2019.
- □ International Conference on Sports Nutrition (08-09- March 2019) Organized by Avinaslingam Deemed University, Coimbatore.
- 51st Annual conference of NSI 2019, RGCB, Trivandrum.
- 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual National conference of IDA 19-21<sup>ST</sup> DEC 2019, Ahmadabad, Gujarat.
- Workshop on Redesigning of Courses for Outcome Based Education (OBE) (17-19 January 2019) Organized by Kerala State Higher Education Council and Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam held at Mahatma Gandhi University.

☐ International Webinar On Perceived Anxiety, Social Support And Coping Strategies Of
Elderly During Covid-19 Pandemic, Dept. Of Sociology, university of kerala
,Kariavattom Campus, Thiruvananthapuram-695581

## **RESOURCE PERSON**

- National Seminar on "Health Sciences in Current Scenario, Bionut, 2007 "Vitamin and Mineral Status- Effects on Physical Performance", Vellallar College for Women, Erode, Tamil Nadu
- Diet and Diabetes, World Diabetic Day 2007, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Cochin
- ▽ Vitamin and Minerals Status-effects on Physical Performance- Health Science in Current Scenario –A Two day National Level Seminar-10 & 11 January 2007 Kasthurba Gandhi Auditorium Vellalar College for Women, Erode
- Scientific session "Food Safety" for the participants of Training of trainers programme organized by Food and Nutrition Board, Govt. of India, Medical College, Kottayam, 2008
- Scientific Session on Food Safety Organized by Department of Community Medicine Medical College Kottayam (21-February 2008).
- National Seminar on Lifestyle Diseases, St. Joseph's College, Alleppy, 2011
- ☐ International Conference on Food and Nutraceuticals in Nutrition and Health,

  Technology and Delivery, ICFAN, Periyar University, 2011
- National Conference on Optimizing Nutritional Support in Health and Disease, January
   2012, Nutritional support in Family Health ,Queen Mary's College, Chennai
- National seminar on Lifestyle Related Diseases- Prevention, Education and Intervention,
   January, 2012, Quaid-E-Millath Government College for Women, Chennai
- Symposium on Oil & Metabolic Syndrome Saffola & IDA Kerala chapter 19 January 2013 Trivandrum.

- Symposium 'Oils and Metabolic Syndrome' organized by Indian Dietetic Association Kerala chapter and Saffola, January 19, 2013
- UGC sponsored National seminar 'Food security: freedom from hunger' Ethiraj College for Women, Chennai, 31st January 2014.
- Reach Nutrition Expo 2016
- ▽ IUCOFOSA Programme, April 18,2016
- Resource person ICMR ,ICSSR sponsored National seminar MMM college of Health Sciences 7th march 2016
- Dietary Pattern on Womens Health National Conference Shakthi 2016 ICSSR ,ICMR sponsored 7&8 March 2016 MMM College of Health Science, Chennai
- International Seminar on Cancer, Diet life style links and newer management, Holy cross Home Science College ,Thoothukudi, TamilNadu, 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019
- Seminar on Nutrition and Food Habits St Joseph's College for Women Alappuzha
- Organized by Celiac Society of India ,in collaboration with WHO,ICMR,UNICEF FSSAI and Ministry of Health and family welfare (12-13 January 2019)held at India Habitat Centre New Delhi.
- Webinar-Ethnography of Kerala food and its impact on Nutrition Security, Sept 4th 2020,
- M.S University Baroda Dept. Food Science Nutrition.
- <sup>▽</sup> World Breast feeding Day 4<sup>th</sup> August 2020 (Webinar)
- E-counselling for ICDS Supervisors (Poshan Abhiyan- National Nutrition Month 26<sup>th</sup> September 2020)

## INTERNATIONAL EXPOSURE

- ☐ International Congress of Nutritional Sciences, Bangok, Thailand 4-9 October 2009
- International Congress of Nutritional Sciences, Granada, Spain 15-21 September 2013
- 12<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition (CAN 2015), Yokohama, Japan 14-18 May 2015
- 13<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition (ACN 2019),Bali, Indonesia August 4-7 2019

## PROJECTS COMPLETED

- Reappraisal of Mid Day Meal in India: Recommending Sustainable region based Mid Day Meal recipes, 2009 Funded by department of Science and technology Govt. of India, in collaboration with Avinaslingam Deemed University, Coimbatore.
- Assessment of consumption of processed and non processed foods in India (2009-2011) funded by World Bank in collaboration with National Institute of Nutrition Hyderabad.
- Study on the Hypo Cholestrolemic effect of selected herb on Adult patients suffering from mild Hypercholesterolemia (2012-2015) funded by UGC New Delhi.
- Effect of Income on Nutritional Status and Folic acid profile of pregnant women (20-39yrs) (2007-10) funded by UGC New Delhi.
- Development of Low Sodium recipes with locally available foods for Hypertensive Patients (2005-2006) funded by UGC New Delhi.
- <sup>⋄</sup> Capacity building project on food safety and quality control of drugs(2004-2006) funded
  by World Bank in collaboration with Food and Drug Toxicology Research Centre
  National Institute of Nutrition.

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