Twelfth SMART Journal Annual Awards - 2020 &

Sixteenth International Seminar (Webinar) on

DYNAMICS OF EMERGING BUSINESS INNOVATION AND TRENDS - ACADEMIA INDUSTRY ROLE **(DEBIT AIR-2021)**

The Governing Council of the Scientific Management and Advanced Research Trust (SMART) cordially invites you to the Twelfth SMART Journal Annual Award (2020) function.

: 29th January 2021, 2.00 p.m. Date & Time

: Through Online Venue

Presentation of Awards & Dr. Gopinath Ganapathy

Registrar, Bharathidasan University, Trichy Inauguration of

International Webinar

Dr. S. Iyyampillai Felicitation

Acceptance Speech : Awardees

All are cordially invited

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| SMART JOURNAL ANNUAL AWARDS 2020 | RECIPIENTS |
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| Distinguished Educational Administrator Award | Mr. M.R. Rahunaathan Secretary Meenaakshi Ramasamy Group of Colleges Thathanur and Post Udayarpalayam Taluk, Ariyalur Dt |
| Distinguished Life Time Achievement Award | Dr. D. Ilangovan Professor Department of Commerce Annamalai University |
| | Dr.G. Veerakumaran Professor Dept. of Co-operative Management Kerala Agricultural University |
| BDU COM Distinguished Alumni Award | Dr. G. Indhumathi Assistant Professor Department of Commerce Mother Teresa Women's University |
| Best Paper Award | Dr. Manoj Kumar Joshi Assistant Professor School of Business Studies Sreenidhi Institute of Science and Technology (Autonomous), Hyderabad |



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From the Left

Dr. G. Indhumathi, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Mother Teresa Women's University (Recipient of **SMART Journal BDU COM Distinguished Alumni Award**)

Professor M. Selvam, Founder-Publisher and Chief Editor, SMART Journal of Business Management Studies

Dr. Gopinath Ganapathy, Registrar, Bharathidasan University

Dr. D. Ilangovan, Professor, Department of Commerce, Annamalai University (Recipient of SMART Journal Distinguished Life Time Achievement Award)

Dr. S. Iyyampillai, Senior Professor of Economics (Retd), Bharathidasan University

Award Received Virtually

Mr. M. R. Rahunaathan, Secretary, Meenaakshi Ramasamy Group of Colleges, Ariyalur (Recipient of SMART Journal Distinguished Educational Administrator Award)

Dr. G. Veerakumaran, Professor, Department of Co-operative Management, Kerala Agricultural University.

(Recipient of SMART Journal Distinguished Life Time Achievement Award)

Dr. Manoj Kumar Joshi, Assistant Professor, School of Business Studies, Sreenidhi Institute of Science and Technology (Autonomous), Hyderabad. (Recipient of **SMART Journal Best Paper Award**)

Twelfth SMART Journal Annual Award Function for the year 2020 was held at 2.00 p.m. through Virtual Mode at University Informatics Centre, Bharathidasan University, Trichy on 29th January 2021 along with the inaugural function of the International seminar "**Dynamics on Emerging Business Innovation and Trends – Academia Industry Role (DEBIT AIR 2021)**".

Dr. M. Selvam, Webinar Director and Founder-Publisher cum Chief-Editor, SMART Journal of Business Management Studies welcomed the gathering. He explained the selection process of SMART Journal Awards and the importance of recognizing the academicians with awards. **Dr. Gopinath Ganapathy,** Registrar, Bharathidasan University conferred SMART Journal Awards to five eminent personalities.

SMART Journal Distinguished Educational Administrator Award was conferred on Mr. M. R. Rahunaathan, for his outstanding contribution in establishing and running educational institutions especially management education. He is administering seven educational institutions such as Meenakshi Ramasamy Arts and Science College, Meenakshi Ramasamy Engineering College, Meenakshi Ramasamy Polytechnic College, Meenakshi Ramasamy College of Physical Education, Meenakshi Ramasamy College of Education, etc. He has written more than 20 books. He has planted five lakhs of saplings under his stewardship. He is a social activist, contributing to the welfare of general public.

SMART Journal Distinguished Life Time Achievement Award was conferred on **Dr. D. Ilangovan**, Professor, Department of Commerce, Annamalai University to honor the outstanding achievements in the field of Commerce. He has more than 30 years of rich research, teaching and administrative experience. He has completed many research projects funded by UGC and ICSSR. He has published more than 70 research articles in refereed journals and attended various national and international conferences. He has organized several Conferences and Symposiums at National and International level. He has authored Tamil Nadu Government Text Books. He received many awards including Best NSS Programme Officer. He serves as editorial, advisory and reviewer positions in many journals too.

Dr. G. Veerakumaran, Professor, Dept. of Co-operative Management, Kerala Agricultural University was virtually conferred with **SMART Journal Distinguished Life Time Achievement Award** for his excellent contribution in the field commerce and management. He has been awarded University Grants Commission Fellowship (NET) and gold medal in B.A with First Class. He has published more than 36 research articles in refereed journals, authored 9

books, and participated in 105 seminars at National and International level. He has visited 9 countries for academic and research purpose.

Dr. G. Indhumathi, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, Mother Teresa Women's University was conferred with **SMART Journal BDU COM Distinguished Alumni Award.** She did her Ph.D from Department of Commerce and Financial Studies, Bharathidasan University. She was a University rank holder in M.Com and awarded medal in M.Phil programme. She has published more than 30 articles in Referred Journals and published 6 chapters in edited books. She has presented more than 50 research papers in conferences at National and International level.

The research paper of **Dr. Manoj Kumar Joshi**, Assistant Professor, School of Business Studies, Sreenidhi Institute of Science and Technology (Autonomous), Hyderabad published in the SMART Journal in the year 2020, has been selected for the **SMART Journal Best Paper Award**.

The awardees delivered the acceptance speech in person and virtually.