

1. INTRODUCTION

The Annual Report for the Academic Year 2019 - 2020 (June 2019 – May 2020) on the Plans, Programs, Activities and Achievements of the Alagappa University is presented to the Senate under Chapter-IV, Section 28 of the Alagappa University Act, 1985. Accordingly, the Activities and Achievements of the University are briefly presented.

Alagappa's '*Panchasheels*' for ESTEEM.

Alagappa University is committed to achieve '**ESTEEM**', that is **Educational, Social Technological, Environmental & Economic Magnificence** in its multifarious programs of development- academic, research, extension, out-reach, global reach and collaboration through its '*panchasheels*' that is '**Five Action-facets**', namely, its '**motto**', '**vision**', '**mission**', '**quality policy**' and '**objectives**'.

Padmabhushan Dr. RM. Alagappa Chettiar, fondly revered as, **Vallal Alagappan** had a great vision of transforming this once bushy parched land into a citadel of higher education. In quick succession he floated a galaxy of educational institutions in Karaikudi. Arts College, Polytechnic College, Engineering College, Education College, Physical Education College, besides KG to High Schools and a Research Institute in a short span of 10-12 years. Drawing inspirations from him and in deference his wishes, the Government of Tamil Nadu floated the Alagappa University in 1985.

The '<i>Panchasheels</i>' of Alagappa University	
Motto	Excellence in Action
Vision	Excellence in all Spheres of Education, with particular emphasis on ' PEARL '- Pedagogy, Extension, Administration, Research and Learning .
Mission	The University is committed to provide a High Quality Higher Education to the learners so that they are transformed into intellectually competent human resources that will help in the uplift of the nation to Educational, Social, Technological, Environmental and Economic Magnificence (ESTEEM) .
Objectives	i. Providing for Instructions and Training in such Branches of Learning as the University may determine. ii. Fostering Research for the Advancement and Dissemination of Knowledge.
Quality Policy	Attaining Benchmark Quality in every domain of ' PEARL ' to assure Stakeholder Delight through Professionalism exhibited in terms of strong purpose, sincere efforts, steadfast direction and skillful execution.

In the past 34 years (1985-2019), the University made efforts to realize the ultimate vision of its illustrious founder Vallal Dr. Alagappa Chettiar, that every youth is provided opportunity to advance his / her intellect through appropriate education. Successive Vice-Chancellors have been fulfilling the cherished vision of Vallal. **Today, Alagappa**

University got A+ with CGPA: 3.64 in the Third cycle of NAAC Accreditation, which reflects its great height of achievements and as one among ten Universities in India, MHRD, New Delhi has sanctioned Rs.100 Crore to Alagappa University under RUSA phase 2.0 scheme for quality enhancement of Teaching – Learning and Research.

Positions/ Bodies / Entities of the University

Over One Hundred different positions, bodies and entities constitute the University. Each responsibility centre acts with purpose of keeping the '**Panchasheels**' in mind so that the University grows glowingly.

Division	Major Heads	S.No.	Positions/ Bodies / Entities
I	At the Helm of Affairs	1	The Chancellor
		2	The Pro-Chancellor
		3	The Vice-Chancellor
II	Apex Administrative Bodies	4	Syndicate
		5	Finance Committee
		6	Senate
		7	Planning Board
		8	Standing Committee on Academic Affairs
III	Executive Personnel	9	Registrar
		10	Controller of Examinations
		11	Finance Officer
IV	Specialty Executive Divisions	12	Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
		13	Special Officer (Planning & Development)
		14	Special Officer (Projects)
		15	Special Officer (Recruitment Cell)
		16	Estate Maintenance and Development
V	Faculty Deans (SAME)	17	Sciences
		18	Arts
		19	Management
		20	Education
	Specialty Deans	21	College Development Council
		22	Student Affairs
		23	Industry & Consultancy
		24	Research
VI	Directorates	25	Distance Education
		26	Collaborative Programs
		27	On-line Programs
		28	Physical Education
		29	University Publications Division
VII	Departments & Constituent Colleges	30	Tamil
		31	English and Foreign Languages
		32	Fine Arts
		33	Women's Studies
		34	Social Work
		35	Economics and Rural Development
		36	History

		37	Library and Information Science
		38	Politics & Public Administration
		39	Journalism and Mass Communication
		40	Theatre and Film Studies
		41	Mathematics
		42	Physics
		43	Industrial Chemistry
		44	NanoScience and Technology
		45	Energy Sciences
		46	Computer Applications
		47	Computer Science
		48	Computational Logistics
		49	Biotechnology
		50	Animal Health and Management
		51	Bioelectronics and Biosensors
		52	Bioinformatics
		53	Botany
		54	Microbiology
		55	Biomedical Science
		56	Oceanography and Coastal Area Studies
		57	Geology
		58	Fisheries Science
		59	Education
		60	Physical Education and Health Science
		61	Life Long Learning
		62	Special Education and Rehabilitation Science
		63	Alagappa Institute of Educational Sciences
		64	Alagappa Institute of Skill developmen
		65	Alagappa Institute of Management
		66	Logistics Management
		67	International Business
		68	Commerce
		69	Corporate Secretaryship
		70	Banking Management
		71	Tourism and Hotel Management
		72	Disaster Management
		73	Alagappa University College of Education
		74	Alagappa University College of phy. Education
		75	National Service Scheme
		76	Red Ribbon Club
		77	Youth Red Cross
		78	Library : a. Central Library b.Public Library
VIII	Units of National-level Service Bodies	79	Computer Centre
		80	USIC
		81	Health Care and Hospital
IX	Central Facilities	82	Canteen

		83	Hostels : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ PG Men's Hostel ○ PG Women's Hostel ○ AUCPE Men's Hostel ○ AUCPE Women's hostel ○ Science Block Men's Hostel ○ Science Block Women's Hostel
		84	Campus Security
		85	Umayal Crèche
X	Development Chairs / Centres	86	'Perarignar' Anna Chair
		87	Ramanujan Centre for Higher Maths.
		88	Centre for Women's Studies
		89	Curriculum Design and Development
		90	Centre for Youth Welfare and Empowerment
		91	Centre for Gandhian Studies
		92	Centre for Nehru Studies
		93	Yoga Centre
		94	Instrument Maintenance Centre
		XI	Extension Clubs
96	'QUICK' Club		
97	Performing Arts Club		
98	E-Literacy Club		
99	Invention and Innovation Club		
100	'DEEP' Club		
101	Health Club		
102	Literary Club		
103	Staff Recreation Club		
		105	Sports Club
		106	Ladies Club
		107	Campus Landscape Club
XII	Extension Cells	108	Intellectual Property Rights Cell
		109	Personality Development Cell
		110	Social Responsibility & Citizenship Cell
		111	Women Empowerment Cell
		112	Placement Cell
		113	Competitive Exam Coaching Cell
		114	Entrepreneurship Development Cell
		115	Faculty Development Cell
XIII	Mandatory Cells	116	Career Guidance & Counseling Cell
		117	Equal Opportunities Cell
		118	Special Coaching Cell (SC/ST/OBC, etc)
		119	Women Harassment (Prevention)Cell
		120	Legal and RTI Cell
		121	Anti-ragging Cell
		122	Anti-drug and Narcotics Cell
XIV	Centres created as per the directions	123	Centre for Entrepreneurship and Skill
		124	Centre for Technical and Academic Writing
		125	Centre for Multi Model Prod'n. of Materials for

	of the State Government	126	University Business Collaboration Centre
		127	Incubation and Technology Transfer Centre
XV	Associations	128	Alumni, Faculty and Staff Associations
XVII	Others	129	Utilities and General Facilities Science Block <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Management Block ○ PG Block ○ Language Block ○ Education Block ○ Physical Education Block ○ Bio-tech Block ○ Chemistry Block ○ Convocation Auditorium ○ L.C.T.L. Palaniappa Chettiar Memorial Auditorium ○ Convocation Seminar Hall

1.1. PLANS AND PROGRAMS

The Plans for the University for the Academic Year 2019-2020 were designed with a visionary zeal and missionary spirit. These are:

Plan of Actions – Details	
1	Introducing New Academic Departments, Programs, Enriching the Existing Programs and Increasing the faculty and student strength.
2	Making a quantum addition in the soft-infrastructure facilities of the University so that every School / Department is provided with total ICT enabled learning facility and advanced Laboratory.
3	Networking with the reputed overseas / national institutions of Education /Research/ Training to gain synergistic benefits.
4	Initiating measures to get the: Dept. of Biotechnology become Centre of Excellence in Marine Microbial Biotechnology. Departments in the School of Management, Tamil the status of UGC SAP DRS- I by 2019-20. Dept. of Physics and Biotechnology UGC SAP DRS- III status by 2019-20 & DST FIST level II Dept. of Industrial Chemistry the status of FIST Level III by 2019-20 Dept. of Bioinformatics the status of UGC – SAP and DST FIST level II by

	2019-20.
5	Increasing the number of External funded projects substantially to about 100 and their value to about Rs. 3000 lakhs during this year.
6	Upgrading the class room learning facilities through smart class rooms, online gadgets and optimum utilization of RFID facilities in the Central Library.
7	Establishing Faculty-wise Library system, Common computer laboratory facilities, Common room for women students.
8	Strengthening the Consultancy and Patent works significantly, at least securing an accretion of 100% during the year over the level of previous year.
9	Moving towards an ICT networked office system with vastly reduced dependence on paper communication, with ample training and investment.
10	Enhancing student support facility- New hostels, more scholarships, enhanced Fellowships for PDF and Post PDF, remedial coaching, soft-skill-development, placement, etc by about 50% over the last two years' average.
11	Making the internal and external quality assessment a way of life so that the culture of Quality Excellence becomes a natural phenomenon of every entity/sub-system.
12	Enhancing the ambience of the University through creation of Garden, Landscaping and keeping the campus Green and Clean.
13	Enhancing the sports and physical / yoga education facility and making everyone committed to reasonable level of utilization of the facility regularly, so that both learners and staff have enviable record of physical fitness
14	Linking the University with the local community/institutions so that the resources of the University become a support to them in their growth and development and also drawing societal resources/support for the University
15	To ensure that the Stamp of Quality- Fineness, Attentiveness, Suppleness and Thoroughness (FAST) , is made default in every sphere of activity.

1.2. INITIATIVES TAKEN

To achieve the planned results the University drew up certain initiatives as below.

i	Introduce many frontier level innovative programs of Study in Arts, Science, Management and Humanity areas.
ii	Create new societal relevant Departments and upgrade Centres to the status of Departments.
iii	Upscale faculty quality with new thrust on project and quality publications in SCOPUS / Indexed journals.
iv	Upgrade administrative staff skills with motivational, ICT, RTI and professional training
v	Establish certain quality-drives such as remedial coaching, bridge courses, capacity enhancement, etc so that quality of learning is enhanced and enhancing placement opportunities to the graduates
vi	Expand building infrastructure with new buildings for faculty departments, hostels, laboratories, parks, crèche, offices and so on
vii	Accelerate extension activities so that the bonding between University and the Community is ever-green and enriching
viii	Induce accelerated project-culture among the faculty so that funded research programs take a spirited growth
ix	Equip USIC (University Science Instrumentation Centre), laboratories with modern equipment to make the University on par with advanced Research Institutes in the country
x	Step up security arrangements for the safety of University Property including pursuing of legal cases against those who have encroached into unfenced University lands and erecting compound walls all over.
xi	Re-engineer administrative tasks to speed up and enhance accountability and so on.
xii	Tap more resources from UGC and Central/State /Overseas Institutions through many schemes of research/project/development.
xiii	Conduct Academic Audit and provide feedback for enhancement to faculty and departments

1.3. OVERALL ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS IN ABSTRACT

The achievements of the University on various action-facets are briefly presented below.

- As a result of consolidated and concerted efforts taken by the entire staff of Alagappa University under the visionary direction of the Vice-Chancellor, Alagappa University is the first University in the State of Tamil Nadu **to obtain A+ Grade with a CGPA of 3.64 by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council in May 2017** in the Third Cycle of assessment.
- Under the UGC (Categorization of Universities for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations 2017 (draft), Alagappa University is eligible to become **Category I University** status as it has been accredited by NAAC with score of 3.50 and above.
- MHRD, New Delhi, has sanctioned Rs.20 Cr. to Alagappa University under RUSA – Phase -1 scheme for the development of Infrastructure. Final UC has submitted.
- **Under RUSA – Phase 2.0 scheme, only TEN Universities in India, including Alagappa University, have been sanctioned for Rs.100 Cr. each for two years.** Out of which, 30% is earmarked for Capital expenditure and 70% for the quality improvement of Teaching and Research. Achievements under RUSA 2.0 scheme are listed in 1.6.
- Under QS 2020 Ranking, Alagappa University is placed with 222 place in QS ASIA Ranking, and **20th place in QS India Ranking**. It obtained **28th position in NIRF 2019** Ranking.
- The students' admission for the following new departments were completed and started functioning in the Academic year 2019-2020:
 1. Department of Politics and Public Administration
 2. Department of Journalism and Mass Communication
 3. Department of Theatre and Film Studies
 4. Department of Fisheries Science
 5. Department of Disaster Management
- Besides 45 affiliated colleges, one Government College, viz. **Bharat Ratna Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Govt. Arts and Science College, Rameswaram** and four Self-Finance Colleges, viz. **Velumanoharan Arts and Science College for Women, Pazhankulam Village, Ramanathapuram, P.S.Y. Arts and Science College, Arasanoor, Sivaganga district, K.L.N. Arts and Science College, Pottapalayam and Sri Muthalamman Arts and Science College for Women, Paramakkudi**, got affiliataion during this academic year.
- It is a huge credit to Alagappa University that the University has been identified and chosen by the DST, New Delhi, among 29 Indian Universities for a grant of Rs. 7 Cr. under Promotion of University Research and Scientific Excellence (PURSE)

scheme to Science Departments, based on the 'h' index secured by Alagappa University. This grant is meant for a period of three years from 2017-18 to 2019-20.

- Galaxy Research Technologies (GRT), Singapore, established R&D unit under Institution – Industry – Interface Scheme, in the campus of Alagappa University for the development of polymer hollow fibre membranes and modules with high quality but at lower cost for clean water technology.
- The University has introduced **D.Litt. and D.Sc. programmes. Overseas Post-Doctoral and Ph.D. Fellowships** have been offered to attract Research Scholars from abroad.
- 'h' Index of Alagappa University has been enhanced to **78 during the year 2019-2020**.
- Upgraded curriculum on par with Global standard, developed by the Broad Based Board of Studies, have been implemented in all the University Departments from the Academic Year 2019-20.
- Pandit Deendayal upadhyay Chair was established with the financial support of Rs.1.5 Cr. from the UGC, New Delhi. Prof. B.Dharmalingam, Director (Retd.), Alagappa Institute of Skill Development, is appointed as Chair Professor.
- **University Science Instrumentation Centre (USIC)** Facilities established on 12.9.2017 in the Science Campus of Alagappa University, Karaikudi, has Rs.25 crore worth of instruments including major equipment like XPS – X-ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy, XRD and TEM.
- Under Second phase of MHRD-LEAP programme (2019-20), four University Professors, viz. Dr. S. Karutha Pandian, Professor and Head, Dept. of Biotechnology, Dr. A. Narayanamoorthy, Professor and Head, Department of Economics and Rural Development, Dr. K. Sankaranarayanan, Professor, Dept. of Physics, Dr. K. Gurunathan, Professor and Head, Dept. of Nano Science and Technology **have been selected and attended for MHRD – LEAP** (Leadership for Academic Programme). During this training, they attended two weeks programme in abroad, viz. Harvard School of Education, Cambridge, USA.
- Two of our faculty, viz. Dr. A. Arun, Dept. of Microbiology and Dr G. Ramalingam, Asst. Prof. Department of Nanoscience and Tech.have received **MHRD – SPARC project partnering with professors from USA and CHINA**.
- **Under the Distinguished Lecture Series Scheme, sponsored by the Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India**, Senior bureaucrats, viz. (i) Mr. V.P. Haran, Former Ambassador to Syria and Bhutan, (ii) Mr. Suresh Goyal, Director General (Retd) of ICCR (iii) Mr. Naveen Chawla, Former Election Commissioner and (iv) Padma

Vibhushan Dr. R. Chidambaram, Former Principal Scientific Advisor to the Government of India delivered special lectures during the years 2018-19 and 2019-20.

- Three athletes of Para Sports Centre of Alagappa University won Gold and Silver Medals at the **International Wheel Chair and Amputee Sports Federation World Games” IWAS 2019 held in Sharjah, United Arab Emirates from 10th to 16th February 2019.**
- The University has established a **Digital Education Cell** to adopt and promote the MHRD initiative on Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC) and 2750 students of our University have registered for MOOCs programmes through SWAYAM portal.
- Plantation of **One Lakh Saplings is on the anvil through “One Student One Tree Plantation Programme”** in the University Campus and Campuses of Constituent and Affiliated Colleges during the year 2017-18. Till now, 39,500 saplings have been planted in the campuses with the active participation of 3840 students.

Outcome of Planned Actions

Major Action Area	Outcome of Planned Actions – Details	Units	Quantity
Academic	Faculty Strength (*Inclusive of Adjunct Faculty); 204 + 115 + 33	Numbers	352
	Student / Scholar Strength (Dept. & Constituent Colleges only)	Numbers	5443
	Programs Offered	Numbers	443
	Books/ Course Materials/ Monographs Written	Numbers	132
Research	External Major Projects (Dept/Individuals/)	Numbers	14
	National Papers Published	Numbers	192
	International Papers Published	Numbers	1410
	National Papers Presented	Numbers	938
	International Papers Presented	Numbers	1351
	National Seminars/Conferences/Workshops Held	Numbers	78
	International Conferences Held	Numbers	52

Extension	Endowment / Guest Lectures	Numbers	111
	Training /Extension/Orientation Programs/Sports	Numbers	160
	VPP/Meets/Days Celebrated/IVs/Cultural /Special Functions/Festivals	Numbers	84
Games and Sports	Inter-University, Intercollegiate, Inter-department, Intra-college and Special Edition sports	Numbers	48
Finance	Grants from Tamil Nadu Government	Rs. Crs.	21.71
	University Revenue (Gen. Fund)	Rs. Crs.	39.11
	Net Revenue from DDE	Rs. Crs.	28.90
	University Expenses	Rs. Crs.	55.95
	Scholarship / Fellowships amount Disbursed	Rs. Crs.	214.72
Centres / Cells/ Clubs/ Chairs/ etc	The 40 plus Centres/Cells/Clubs/Chairs were given adequate leadership, budgetary support and specific tasks. They did well enough to create a widespread impact on curricular/co-curricular aspects. Quality of learning is enhanced through exposures gained through the activities of the cells/clubs.		
Academic Quality	The syllabi have been revised on par with global standard as per the guidelines of the Government of Tamil Nadu.		
	Remedial coaching, Bridge Coaching, Slow-learner Pick-up Coaching, Fast Learner Further Inducement Coaching , etc are practiced.		
	ICT oriented coaching followed with all programs having ICT courses. The class room and laboratory pedagogy is tuned with use of IT induction.		
	Reading, Comprehending and Communicating Skill-set of students is given thrust having an impact on quality of education and placement.		
	Placement arranged for all. Higher placement ratio of the graduates, which varies between 60% and 100%, for different programs, evidences Quality Enhancement.		
Research Quality	All-India level Common Entrance Exam for admission to Ph.D program introduced year before last year followed. The response is significant.		
	Ph.D Pre-registration is streamlined to ensure quality proposals in the first place through the Department Research Committee . Periodic		

	presentations for quality assessment strengthened.
	Common Entrance Exam for admission to M.Phil program introduced last year is followed. Quality of input enhanced.
	D.Litt. and D.Sc. degrees were introduced. Stipend to the Post Doctoral and Ph.D. programme to overseas students are introduced.
Project Culture	The culture of every faculty with a project is inculcated and achieved to a great extent. Wide ranging socially relevant, economically significant and scientifically important issues are taken for probe by these projects. Projects worth Rs. 21.5 crores are on.
	Faculty members permitted to go for Project Presentations, Overseas short-duration projects, conferences and invited lectures , etc. Faculty members have attended and presented papers in 1351 International Conferences / Seminars and 938 conferences / seminars / workshops at National level.
Extension	Fiftytwo International Conferences and Seminars, 78 National Conferences, 244 International/National days / Guest Lecturers and 111 Endowment Lectures were organized by different Schools of learning bringing intellectual confluence to enhance, enlighten and enrich knowledge quotient ascendance and to provide stimulus for learning through interactive activities reaping the benefit of synergy.
	Experts from, USA, UK, Australia, Singapore, Canada, France, Muscat, Dubai, Taiwan, and Malaysia, and almost every part of India addressed with papers.
	Foreign delegates who attended the seminars/guest lectures ran to 78 . The University is becoming more international.
Net-working	MoUs with 25 International bodies exist with projects on-going.
	Faculty members have established more global/national linkages for sourcing collaborative opportunities for joint Research, Post-doctoral fellowships, Overseas placements for students/scholars and so on.
Co-Curricular Actions	Students' Participation in Seminars/Conferences is given thrust. Students run programs given prominence like the ' Sadhana ', FINFEST , etc.
	Alumni meets are organized periodically. AIBA Meet, ASEA Meet (Alagappa Sports Education Alumni), AIMA Meet , etc are quite frequent and grand.
Cultural Extrvaganza	Cultural fete was also given great fillip with reputed artists giving performances. Students also contributed richly to the cultural events.
	Cultural events on the notable occasions brought to the fore the

44 Depts. / Two Constt. Colleges	45	38	66	20	11	16	07	203
44 Affiliated 6 Evening Colleges & 1 Constt. college	19	13	23	05	36	15	6	117
Distance Education	--	--	45	---	21	09	--	75
Collaborative Programs	--	--	16	36	26	30	38	146
TOTAL	64	51	150	61	94	70	51	541

iv. College Development Council (CDC)

The CDC guides the Colleges to become '**Colleges with Potential for Excellence**' by applying to the UGC. Many colleges **have got more UGC fund allocation** under the guidance and support from the CDC for creating laboratory, hostel and class-room infrastructure. Proposals received from the colleges are speedily forwarded to the UGC after fine-tuning the same, where required. The CDC is taking efforts for (i) introduction of curricular reforms and development, (ii) conversion of Syllabi into CBCS format, (iii) enhancing the quality of higher education through '**Academic Audit**' of Colleges, (iv) propagating the project culture amongst the College Administration and Faculty, (v) sourcing Government Funds (vi) Orient the colleges about the new initiatives taken by the UGC and Govt. of India (vii) motivate the colleges to go for NAAC Accreditation and so on.

vi. Affiliated Colleges

51 Arts and Science Colleges, comprising 12 Government Colleges, 5 Aided Colleges, 27 Self-financing Colleges under Private Management, 1 university constituent college, 6 Evening Colleges under Alagappa University Management are affiliating institutions, offering under-graduate, post-graduate and research programs in Science, Arts and Business Studies. In all 117 programs are offered by the affiliated colleges. The affiliated colleges are becoming quality concerned by deputing teachers for FIP to enable them acquire research degrees. The faculty members are getting recognition as guides for doctoral works and the Institutions getting sumptuous fund allocation from the UGC. Quite a number of them are going for permanent affiliation, additional batches, additional shifts, new programs of studies, etc. there is dynamism in the academic and research pursuits. 18 Colleges went for Accreditation / Re-accreditation. One college is accredited with 'A' grade and others 'B' grade. Further, 12 colleges are eligible to go for accreditation at present.

vii. Evening Colleges

The Six Evening Colleges function under the direct administrative management of Alagappa University. Six evening colleges are situated at Rameswaram,

Ramanathapuram, Paramakkudi, Thondi, Thiruppuvanam and Sivaganga. They cater to the rural youth who could not afford day-college studies or not interested in pursuing their studies in the day-colleges. There is great social gain, evidenced by then steep rise in enrolment in the past years in these colleges. The University feels its social responsibility is fulfilled immensely through this mode of opportunity being tailored to the needs of the most common sections of the society.

viii. Choice Based Credit System with Uniform Syllabi

The University Departments and Colleges follow CBCS for long time. As needed by the TANSICHE, Skill oriented courses, value-education oriented courses and the like are made part of the curriculum so that the graduates become performing assets.

ix. Distance Education Programs

The Directorate of Distance Education has come of age emerging as the 3rd largest institution offering 76 programs. It is doing yeomen service by taking opportunities for education to the door steps of people, young and old, not only in the nook and corner of the nation, but also overseas. The number of students on the roll has come to **53,625 during the year 2019-2020.**

x. Collaborative Programs

146 programs, need based and skill oriented academic programs are offered in collaboration with some of the private professional institutions who are specialists in the specialization of Catering and Hotel Management, Fine Arts, Textile Designing, Paramedical Sciences, Computer Design, Nautical and Aeronautical Sciences, Biotechnology, Fine Arts etc.

xii. Pedagogical Enhancement & Synergy

To ensure that learners are effectively taught to enhance their skill, progressive use of ICT in knowledge dissemination is needed and that each department is provided with LCD facility smart class room so that PPT presentation is encouraged. The language lab is another novelty to make leaning always hands-on. Synergy in the form of pooling of faculty resources, common syllabi for certain management programs, etc is being encouraged. Virtual laboratory through simulated/animated learning with IT support is practiced.

1.5. ACHIEVEMENTS IN RESEARCH & CONSULTANCY

Research Quality is maintained at high level in the University. Alagappa University is one of the early birds to adopt the **University Grants Commission** (Minimum Standards and Procedures for award of M.Phil and Ph.D. Degree) Regulations 2009. The guidelines were formed on the lines of UGC regulations as well as on the lines of guidelines of Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education TANSICHE) in important

Aspects such as fixing the eligibility criteria for M.Phil / Ph.D Supervisor-ship, Procedure for admission, Allocation of Research Supervisor to scholars, Course Work, Evaluation and assessment methods. This is further galvanized by the DRC at the time of proposal presentation itself.

Faculty members have established research collaborations with universities and institutions within and outside India. The foreign entities with research collaborations include, **RIKEN, Harima Institute, Japan, Institute for Protein Research (IPR), Osaka University, Japan, KIST, Seoul, South Korea, Queens University, Belfast,**

UK, Korea University, Seoul, South Korea, National Taiwan Ocean University, Keelung, Taiwan, Yonsei University, Korea, Osaka University, Japan, Queens University, Belfast, UK, and so on.

1.5.1 FUNDED PROJECTS

Project culture is well entrenched among the faculty members. There are Department level **FIST/SAP/CDBR** projects, Individual Major Projects, Individual Collaborative Overseas projects and Individual minor projects. Many research works funded by **UGC, DST, DBT, NTRO, NABARD, ICMR, DRDO,** etc. are executed by faculty. Students also have got fellowships under UGC (Research Fellowship in Science for Meritorious Students) **RF-SMS, DBT's** (Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research) **INSPIRE, UGC's (Basic Science Research) (BSR)** in Universities, **UGC (RGF).**

Individual Major Projects (External funded Projects)

Projects Sanctioned during the year June 2019 to May 2020

Projects Sanctioned during the year June 2019 to May 2020

S. No.	Principal Investigator & Department	Project Title	Funding Agency	Period & Duration	Amount Approved
1.	Dr. S. Karutha Pandian, Biotechnology, No.51/14/06/2019-BRNS, dt.10.07.2019	"8.5.3. Assessment & monitoring of biofouling diversity of cooling water system of KKNPP & its control"	DAE-BRNS	3 years (10.07.19 - 09.07.22)	3563600
TOTAL					3563600
2.	Dr. M. Gover Antoniraj, Biotechnology, F.No.PDF/2018/002779, dt.07.05.2019	-	DST-SERB-NPDF	2 years (06.06.19- 05.06.21)	1920000
TOTAL					1920000
3.	Dr. S. Ravikumar, Biomedical Sciences, File o.NRDMS/CHRA/ S. Ravi Kumar/ Tamil nadu/e-06/2019(G), dt. 12.07.2019	"Bio geospatial monitoring of coastal hazards and pollution along Tamil Nadu coast"	DST-NRDMS	3 years (12.07.19- 11.07.22)	3469090
TOTAL					3469090

4.	Dr. K. Manimekalai, Women's Studies F.No.IMPRESS/P148/574/201 8-19/ICSSR, dt.23.09.19	"Prevalence of screen addiction among college students in Sivaganga District – A gender analysis study"	ICSSR- IMPRESS	1 year (23.09.19- 22.09.20)	630000
TOTAL					630000
5.	Dr. S. Viswanathan, Industrial Chemistry, No. 35/12/2019-Nano/BMS dt.30.09.2019	"Smart lab on a chip biosensor integrated with protein imprinted polymer electrodes for rapid detection of HIV infection"	ICMR	3 year (25.09.19- 24.09.22)	2350000
TOTAL					2350000
6.	Dr. J. Jayachithra, AUCE, No. 6-6/2019- SE/PMMMNTT/50 dt.23.10.2019	"Effectiveness of metacognitive strategies in enhancing teaching performance among prospective teachers"	PMMMNM TT-CUG	5 months (23.10.19- 15.03.20)	189000
TOTAL					189000
7.	Dr. K. Ganesamurthy, Corporate Secretaryship, F.No.02/32/SC/2019- 20/MN/RP, dt.18.11.2019	"Energy consumption and utility practices of farmers in Southern Districts of Tamil Nadu"	ICSSR	1 year (11.11.19- 10.11.20)	315000
TOTAL					315000
8.	Dr. S. Viswanathan, Industrial Chemistry, F.No.CRG/2018/004287, dt.04.11.2019	"Molecularly imprinted polymer based biosensor for tuberculosis detection"	DST-SERB	3 year (15.11.19- 14.11.22)	1775000
9.	Dr. R. Raja, RCHM, F.No.EEQ/2019/000365, dt.14.11.2019	"Optimal control of population dynamical systems and epidemiology: An LMI approach"	DST-SERB	3 year (14.11.19- 13.11.22)	1413100
TOTAL					3188100
10.	Dr. J. Jeyakanthan, Bioinformatics, Ref. No.GITA/DST/TWN/P-86/ 2019, dt.04.03.2020	"Structural and functional insights of potential anti-malarial drug targets of G6PD and 6PGD from plasmodium falciparum (3D7)"	DST-Indo- Taiwan	3 year (04.03.20 - 03.03.22)	2781080
TOTAL					2781080
11.	Dr.B.Vaseeharan	"Development of Marine polysaccharides mediated nanoproducts for shrimp disease management	BIRAC	April 2019 – Sept 2020 1.5 years	49,19,000
TOTAL					49,19,000

Details of Sanctioned Projects 2019 – 2020 (June – May)

Funding Agency	No. of projects	Outlay (Rs.)
DAE-BRNS	1	3563600
DST-SERB-NPDF	1	1920000

DST-NRDMS	1	3469090
DST-Indo-Taiwan	1	2781080
ICSSR-IMPRESS	1	630000
ICMR	1	2350000
PMMMNM-TT-CUG	1	189000
ICSSR	1	315000
DST-SERB	2	3188100
BRNS	1	2900000
Total	11	21305870

1.5.2. ALAGAPPA UNIVERSITY RESEARCH FUND (AURF)

The Alagappa University has created a corpus in the name of Alagappa University Research Fund (AURF) for the promotion of research by the faculty members and research scholars. The fund has been increased to Rs. 10 Crore from Rs. 7 crore during this academic year. Scholars of the University are provided financial assistance for presenting papers abroad.

The Committee thoroughly analyzed the objectives, operation and the guidelines framed earlier of the AURF and recommended the following schemes for the advancement of research in the frontier areas useful to the stakeholders of Alagappa University:

1. AURF Research Fellowship shall be continued as per the guidelines / norms in force
(*Approx. budget estimate – Rs. 24.00 lakhs*)

2. AURF – Partial support for submission of Ph.D. thesis as per the guidelines / norms in force
(*Approx. budget estimate – Rs. 2.5 lakhs*)

3. AURF Research Patent Grant shall be continued as per the norms in force
(*Approx. budget estimate – Rs. 2.5 lakhs*)

4. AURF – Travel grant for presenting Research paper in International conferences:

- Faculty members and Ph.D. / PDF scholars shall avail the financial support for presenting research papers in events (Conferences/ Seminars/ Workshop, etc.) held abroad organized by Foreign Universities / Research Institutes / Institutions of International repute on Subject Specific conferences only.
- The applicant has to submit the Research Paper abstract, acceptance letter / invitation, Conference / Seminar / Workshop brochure, schedule of event along with his/her request well in advance to the Director, Centre for International Relations
- The Director, Centre for International Relations shall forward this request along with his / her remarks and recommendation, within a week's time to the Registrar for further processing. In case of the The Director, Centre for International Relations is out of station for longtime, exceeding a week's time, suitable alternative arrangement shall be made by the University.
- Faculty member / Scholar (by due rotation) shall avail this financial support once in

THREE YEARS.

- Partial (or) full financial support (actual amount) as detailed below shall be got reimbursed towards Registration Fee, Air-fare (Onward and Return – Economy class), per diem (DA \$ 75 per day for business day + one day), Visa fee, Boarding and Lodging, etc.

USA, Mexico, South American Countries, Canada	Rs. 60,000/-
European Countries	Rs.50,000/-
Other countries	Rs.40,000/-

- While submitting the documents for getting reimbursement, visit report together with photos shall be submitted to the authorities (copy of visit report is to be submitted to the Director, Centre for International Relation, for record)

Approximate budget estimate – Rs. 10 lakhs

5. AURF – Partial support for conducting National and International Conferences Seminars in Thrust Areas of Research:

- Each Department shall be given Rs.25,000/- to organize National Level Conference / Seminar / Workshop in a year in thrust areas of Research.
- Each Faculty shall be given Rs.2.5 lakh to organize International Conference in the frontier research areas of research. The Dean of Faculty should take responsibility in organizing the conference representing all departments come under the Faculty.

Approximate budget estimate : Rs. 20 lakhs

6. AURF – Start-up Research Grant

- The faculty members are eligible to apply for AURF Start-up Grant within Five years from the date of their joining in Alagappa University.
- Minimum of Two research publications after Ph.D. in reputed SCOPUS, SCI, Web of Science or similar in stature Journals
- The proposals received shall be blind reviewed by the External Experts and subsequent presentation before the Department Research Committee shall be done for quality addition and recommendation.
- The duration of project shall be two years and the value of one-time grant shall be Rs.2,00,000/- each for Science projects (maximum three projects) and Rs.1,00,000/- each for Non-science projects (maximum four projects).

Approximate budget estimate : Rs. 10.00 lakhs

7. AURF – Innovation Eco-system Scheme

The Innovation Eco-System Scheme is intended for effective Innovation including Incubation and other initiatives for creation and transfer of knowledge.

- Build up a Road Map for converting University Research Outcomes into Business Propositions
- Assist Individuals (Alumni, Scholars, Faculty and promising outsiders) with Sound Business Propositions to Blossom into Start-up Entrepreneurs
- Prop up Start-up Firms with Needed Resources and on-site Incubation & Nestling, within the Campus with due quid-pro-quo.

iv. Prepare the Incubator Fledged Firms to Move out so as to enable fresh Start-ups to nestle.

- A Centre for Innovation Eco-System needs to be created with representation from Science and Management streams and others with Innovative inkling which will scout for Prospective candidate/candidate firms within and outside and ensure their prop up as envisioned above.

Approximate budget estimate : Rs. 5.00 lakhs

8. AURF – Research Award

The Revised norms for the Research Award are as detailed below:

- Two Awards, **Promising Researcher Award (PRA)** and **Excellent Researcher Award (ERA)** are proposed.
- AURF – PRA meant for the category of Assistant Professors
- AURF – ERA meant for the category of Associate Professors & Professors

Mandatory Requirements

Details	Promising Researcher award		Excellent Researcher Award	
	Science	Non-Science	Science	Non-Science
'h' Index - Minimum	04	02	15	05
Major Research Project – Minimum (sponsored by the National and International funding agencies recognized by the Government of TN / India)	02	01	05	03

Other Requirements

No.	Credential Details	Score Computation for Credentials	Max. Score
1.	Ph.D. awarded	@ 2 credit / item (in case of two guides, 1 credit to each)	Maximum of 20
2	Research Publications (in case of more authors, senior author gets 60% credit and remaining 40% shared equally by all others)	National Journals @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		International journals @ 2 / item	Maximum of 30
		Chapters in books @ 1 / item	Maximum of 05
		Conference Proceedings @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		Books / edited @ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
3	Patent / Copyright	Filed @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		Approved @ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
4	Papers presented in Seminars / Conferences	National @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		International @ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
5	Conference / Seminar / Workshop organized	National @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		International @ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
6	International Academic Visits	@ 2 / visit	Maximum of 10
7	Endowment Lecture delivered	@ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
8	Key note address / Plenary	@ 1 / item	Maximum of 05

	lectures		
9	Awards / Recognition by Professional bodies	Regional Level @ 1 / item	Maximum of 10
		National level @ 2 / item	Maximum of 10
		International level @ 3 / item	Maximum of 10
TOTAL			200 Credits

- Besides the Mandatory requirement, faculty should acquire 70% of Credit in case of AURF Promising Researcher Award and 85% of Credit in case of AURF Excellent Researcher Award.
- Faculty shall be awarded only one time in the respective category.
- The awardee shall be honoured with Citation and Cash award of Rs.15,000/-
- Approximate Financial Estimate – Rs. 1.5 lakhs

Abstract of Expenditure (Approx.)

Scheme	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOTAL (per year)
Appr. Exp. (in Lakh)	24.00	2.50	2.50	10.00	20.00	10.00	5.00	1.50	75.50

The budget allocation recommended under the above heads is not static and hence reallocation shall be made by the authorities to optimize the efficiency in the operation.

During this year 2019-20, no Research Award and Start up grant was sanctioned from AURF grant.

a. Consultancy Receipt

Resource generation from consultancy assignments by two departments, Biotechnology and Physics, is quite good. The details are below:

Dept.	Details	Rs.
Biotechnology	Indian Tobacco Company Ltd., Bengaluru – II phase (Second year grant)	22.21 lakhs
Biotechnology	Evolva Biotech Pvt. Ltd., Chennai	12.30 lakhs
Physics	Sample Analysis – Instrumentation Centre	12.45 lakhs
USIC	Sample analysis from Instruments - USIC	6.97 lakhs
TOTAL		53.93 lakhs

a. Broad Areas of Consultancy Services

	Areas of Consultancy Services		Areas of Consultancy Services
1	Environmental Monitoring	11	Entrepreneurship/Foreign Exchange
2	Environmental Impact Assessment	12	Education Institution Management
3	Green chemical process for textile.	13	Commercial and Tax consultancy
4	Eco-friendly processes for distillery, dye, battery, paint and plating units	14	Solid State Ionics, Cathode Materials and Polymer Electrolytes
5	Application of Biotechnology	15	Effluent Treatment solutions
6	Biotechnology for Leather Towards Cleaner Processing	16	Educational Technology
7	Aquatic Animal disease control	17	SHG Formation & Management
8	Information technology solutions	18	Yoga and Fitness Therapy
9	Aqua-culture seed Production, Farm Management	19	Innovative nano-particle clear coat by IPN-Ceramic pigments
10	Development of electrochemical and nano- sensors for pesticides, dyes, amines, phenols, drugs etc. using clay and polymer coated electrodes for trace analysis.	20	High temperature crystal growth of various organic and inorganic crystals; optimization of various organic crystals

b. MoU & COLLABORATION

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH COLLABORATION MOUS BASED ACTIVITIES – 2019-20

S. No	Associating Institutions & Country		Status	Outcome (Teaching/Research/Exchange of Faculty/ Students)
1.	Dept. of Womens Studies, Alagappa University	Kamla Foundation Stockport, United Kingdom	(10.12.2019 To 10.12.2022)	Work together to expand cooperation and exchange of ideas in areas of mutual interest and carry out programmes and activities.
2.	Alagappa University	Tianjin University, China.	Ongoing (10-04-2019 To 09-04-2024)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty, Short – term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.
3.	Centre for International Relations, Alagappa University	Tangshan Polytechnic College, Caofeidan New-City, China.	Ongoing (08-04-2019 To 07-04-2024)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty, Short – term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.

S. No	Associating Institutions & Country		Status	Outcome (Teaching/Research/Exchange of Faculty/ Students)
4.	Alagappa University	Cornell University	Ongoing (19-03-2019 To 18-03-2024)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty, Short – term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.
5.	Department of Nanoscience & Technology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi, India	Department of Semiconductor Science, Dongguk University	Ongoing (18-03-2019 To 17-03-2024)	1) Visit by & exchange of Graduate Students & Ph.D Scholars for Study & Research 2) Visit by and exchange of Faculties for Research, Teaching & Academic Collaboration. 3) Exchange of Information Including but not limited to exchange of Research Publications and Joint Research Activities.
6.	Department of Biotechnology, Faculty of Science, Alagappa University, Karaikudi, India	The Faculty of Agriculture and Life Science, Hirosaki University, Japan	Ongoing (07-08-2018 To 06-08-2023)	Exchange of scientific information; Cooperation regarding research, symposia and related activities; Exchange of faculty and administrative staff; Exchange of Doctoral/ Post graduate/ graduate/ undergraduate students; Mutual contribution to the development of additional educational and research programs
7.	Faculty of Arts, Alagappa University, Karaikudi India	The Faculty of Agriculture and Life Science, Hirosaki University, Japan	Ongoing (07-08-2018 To 06-08-2023)	Exchange of scientific information; Cooperation regarding research, symposia and related activities; Exchange of faculty and administrative staff; Exchange of Doctoral/ Post graduate/ graduate/ undergraduate students; Mutual contribution to the development of additional educational and research programs
8.	Alagappa University	Persatuan Kesusastraan Tamil Malaysia	Ongoing (17-04-2018 To	Research Collaboration-Joint publications and Academic information. Exchange of Students and Faculty, Short –

S. No	Associating Institutions & Country		Status	Outcome (Teaching/Research/Exchange of Faculty/ Students)
			17-04-2023)	term training programme for Teachers and Students.
9.	Department of Animal Health and Management, Alagappa University	Open University Malaysia.	Ongoing (02-04-2018 To 02-07-2021)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of Faculty, Development of Learning Material, Short –term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.
10.	Alagappa University	Tharshal Training Academy SDN, Malaysia	Ongoing (28-02-2018 To 28-02-2023)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty
11.	Alagappa University	Sun Logistic Services Muscat, Sultanate of Oman	Ongoing (28-02-2018 To 28-02-2023)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students , Faculty and Material, Short –term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.
12.	Centre for International Relations, Alagappa University	Binary University, Malaysia.	Ongoing (21.02.2018 To 21.02.2023)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty, Short – term training, Workshops, Seminars and Conferences.
13.	Department of Bioinformatics, Alagappa University	Konkuk University, South Korea	Ongoing (21.12.2017 To 21.12.2022)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty
14.	Centre for Tamil Culture, Alagappa University	Tamil Arts and Culture Association Incorporated, Australia.	Ongoing (14.12.2017 To 14.12.2022)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty
15.	Department of Bioinformatics, Alagappa University	National Synchrotron Radiation Research Center (NSRRC), Taiwan	Ongoing (01.12.2017 To 01.12.2020)	VISITS: 1 Dr.C.J. CHEN, (28 March 2016) JOINT PUBLICATIONS:- 5
16.	Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University	Shanghai Ocean University, Shanghai China	Ongoing (09.11.2017 To 09.11.2022)	Research Collaboration, Exchange of students and Faculty
17.	Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University	Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China	Ongoing (22.06.2017 To 22.12.2022)	VISITS: 1 Dr. s. KaruthaPandian (18 June 2017)

S. No	Associating Institutions & Country		Status	Outcome (Teaching/Research/Exchange of Faculty/ Students)
18.	Department of Physics, Alagappa University	Chung Yuan Christian University, Li, Taiwan	Ongoing (12.06.2017 To 11.06.2020)	VISITS:- 1 Prof. Wei-Ren Liu (20 March 2014)
19.	Department of Animal Health and Management, Alagappa University	National pingtung University of Science And Technology, Taiwan	Ongoing (30.09.2015 To 30.09.2020)	Research Collaboration-Joint publications, Exchange of students and Faculty
20.	Department of Animal Health and Management, Alagappa University	National Institute of Health, USA	Ongoing (06.09.2016 To 06.03.2022)	VISITS: 1 Dr. Indu S Ambudkar Dr. ShmuelMuallem (6 September 2016)
21.	Alagappa University	Institute of Experimental Medicine, Czech Republic	Ongoing (06.09.2016 To 06.03.2022)	VISITS: 2 Dr. GovindanDyanithi (6 September 2016) Dr. GurumalleshPrabu (11 June 2011)
22.	Alagappa University	University of Manchester, Manchester, U.K.	Ongoing (06.09.2016 To 06.03.2022)	VISITS:1 Dr. Alexei Verkhatsky , (6 September 2016)
23.	Centre for Tamil Culture , Alagappa University	Kelab Bell Tamil Malaysia, taman Sri Muda, Shah Alam Selangor, Malaysia	Ongoing (14.03.2017 To 14.09.2022)	Develop academic and cultural interchange in the area of education and other activities.
24.	Department of Tamil, Alagappa University	Pertubuhan Tamil Kapagam, Malaysia Taman Sri Muda, Shah Alam Selangor, Malaysia	Ongoing (16.03.2017 To 15.03.2022)	Develop academic and cultural interchange in the area of education and other activities.
25.	Centre for Tamil Culture, Alagappa University	Singapore Tamil Teacher's Union, Singapore	(01.04.2017 To 01.04.2022)	Develop academic and cultural interchange in the area of education and other activities.

National MoUs details

Details of MoU - National Institutions

S. No.	Department	MoU associating Institution & Country	Duration	Nature (Teaching / Research / Exchange of Faculty/ Students)
1	University	ICT Academy of Tamil Nadu, Chennai	5 Years from 23.07.2010.	ICTACT is to the faculty members in the areas of information and Communication Technology.
2	University	Entrepreneurship Development Institute, Chennai	One Year from 22.07.2013	Develop the Curriculum and Syllabus with focus on Training
3	Faculty of Education	Kongunadu College of Education, Thottiyam	5 Years from 06.07.2015	Research & Extension activities
4	Physical Education (AUCPE)	Tamilnadu Paralympic Sports Association, Chennai	5 Years, from 06.07.2015	Practical, Field & Instructional facilities
5	University (Dr. A. Veeraravi)	M/s Tablets (India) Limited	5 years from July 2015	Research & Extension activities
6	University	iTranscripts Solutions Pvt. Ltd. Duration	3 Years from 21.12.2015.	Certificate Verification
7	University	Galaxy Research Technologies	3 Years from 25.01.2021	Research & Extension activities
8	University	Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi	From 17.02.2016.	Awards for B.Com Toppers
9	University	Sri Ramachandra University, Porur	5 Years from 30.05.2016.	Teaching and Research (with Biotech, Bioinformatics, Marine Biology, Nanoscience & BE&BS.
10	Dept. of Fine Arts	Kalaikaviri College of Fine Arts, Trichy	3 Years from 29.08.2019	To exchange programmes on cultural related activities.
11	University	Arima Exim Private Limited, Chennai	3 Years from 03.11.2016.	To improve the quality of teaching and learning English in ALU and its affiliated colleges.
13	Dept. of Bioelectronics & Biosensors	Tamilnadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore	2 Years From 06.03.2017 28.06.2019	To develop Academic and Research Activities
14	University	Society for Advancement of Library and Information Science	2 Years from 09.03.2017	To develop Academic and Research Activities
15	University	Namathu Bharatham Foundation, Athani, Erode	2 Years from 09.03.2017	To develop Academic and Research Activities
16	University	Voice Training and Research Private Limited, Madurai	6 Months from 13.03.2017	To provide Soft Skills and Language Training
17	University	TN Scientific Research Organisation, Pudukottai	5 Years From 13.03.2017	Establish and implement Scientific, Technological and Educational Cooperation and Exchanging collaborative research work.
18	University	National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Dept. of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities and Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India, Chennai	2 Years from 13.03.2017	Exchange of Faculty/ Students and Collaborative Research and Exchange information on research and educational programmes .
19	University	Giantstep – Soft Skill Training, Bangalore	1 Year from 17.03.2017	Training Programs for Youth Empowerment and Life transforming.
20	University	Indian Institute of Technology – Madras	5 Years from 23.03.2017	Exchange information on research and educational programmes .

21	University (AUSC)	Arogya Welfare Trust, TVS, Madurai	1 Year from 05.04.2017	To give Vacation training and additional motivation programme.
22	University	Evolva Biotech Private Limited, Chennai	3 Years from 06.07.2017	Research & Extension activities
23	University	Wipro GE Healthcare Private Limited, Bangalore	2 Years from 12.09.2017	To develop Academic and Research Activities
24	University	Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute, Kochi	5 Years from 27.10.2017	Exchange information on research and educational programmes.
25	University	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai (Faculty of Education)	5 Years from 01.12.2017	To promote Academic and Collaborative Research Activities and Exchange information on research and educational programmes.
26	University (O&CAS)	PADI – Temple Adventures, East Coast Water SportPVT LTD., Pondicherry	3 Years from 18.01.2018	To Develop Academic Exchange and Cooperation program in Education and Research
27	University, Dept. of Botany	The Rapinet Herbarium in Tiruchi and The Anglade Institute of Natural History, Shembaganur, TN.	5 Years from 13.02.2018	Exchange of Information of Academic Materias , Research publications and Collaboration work.
28	University, Dept. of Spl. Education and Reh. Science	Special Olympics Bharat, Tamilnadu	One Year from 17.02.2018	To plan curricular activities and to facilitate research activities
29	University	Institute of Company Secretaries of India – Southern India Regional Council	Two Years from January 2018	To enhance the quality of education imparted to the ICSI students.
30	University (Dept. of O&CAS)	SEA6 Energy Pvt. Ltd., CCMP, NCBS-TIFR, Bellary Road, Bangalore	Three Years from 06.03.2018	Work together to develop a program of Seaweed cultivation.
31	University (Dept. of O&CAS)	Development of Humane Action (DHAN) Foundation , Madurai	Three Years from 06.03.2018	Work together to develop a program of Seaweed cultivation.
32	University	Bharathidasan University, Trichy	5 Years from 13.03.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members and to promote the collaborative Research work.
33	University	Sethu Bhaskara Agricultural College and Research Foundataion, Visalayankottai, Karaikudi	5 Years from 13.03.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members and to promote Organic Agriculture and to promote the collaborative Research work.
34	University (Dept. of Social Science)	M.S. Chellamuthu Trust and Research Foundation, Madurai	5 Years from 13.03.2018	Develop the mental health competence for the faculty members and the students. Set up student centres in the affiliated colleges.
35	University	QTT Adventure Sports Academy Private Ltd. Ramanathapuram	3 Years from 26.04.2018	Developing Ednl. Programmes and imparting training to the students and fishermen.
36	University	Apollo Reach Hospitals, Managiri, Karaikudi	3 Years from 10.05.2018	To provide Health services to the Teaching, Administrative staff and students.
37	University	Tours Academy, Chennai	3 Years from 19.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
38	University	Noorul Islam Centre for Higher Education, Kumaracoil	5 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
39	University	Sri Chandrasekarendra Saraswathi Viswa Mahavidyalaya, Kanchipuram	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.

40	University	Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University, Chennai	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
41	University	Tamil Nadu Open University, Chennai	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
42	University	Thiruvalluvar University, Vellore	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
43	University	Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
44	University	Karunya Institute of Technology and Science, Coimbatore	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
45	University	Chettinad Academy of Research and Education, Kelambakkam	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
46	University	SRM Institute for Training & Development, Ekkatuthangal, Chennai.	5 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
47	University	Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Chidambaram	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
48	University	Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli	3 Years from 23.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
49	University	Thassim Beevi Abdul Kadar College for Women, Kilakarai	5 Years from 29.05.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.
50	University	Muthiah Murugesan Charitable Trust, Kalayarkoil	3 Years from 29.05.2018	Sensitize the students, unemployed youth and the General public about the importance of Tourism, Agriculture and Entrepreneurial training and jointly organize seminars, workshops and conference in the field of tourism and entrepreneurship.
51	University	Tamilnadu Rural Arts Development Centre, Madurai	5 Years from 29.05.2018	To promote academic co-operation and collaboration in the areas of education, culture and other activities.
52	University	St. Giuseppe Moscati Psycho-Social Rehabilitation Centre, Ariyakudi, Karaikudi	5 Years from 01.06.2018	To share the expertise in developing awareness in the areas of Mental Health, Counselling and related fields.
53	University	IL&FS Skills Development Corporation Limited, New Delhi	From 02.06.2018	To conduct B.Voc (Catering Management) programme (Collaboration)
54	University, Dept. of Microbiology	National Centre of Excellence (MHRD), Thiagarajan College, Madurai	3 Years From 27.06.2018	To encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members, to promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars.

55.	University, Dept. of Bioinformatics	Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirapalli	3 Years From 29.08.2018	To promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars and to encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members.
56.	University, Dept. of Social Works	International Buddha Education Institute (IBEI), Hapur, Uttar Pradesh.	3 Years From 12.10.2018	To promote education and research activities about Buddhism and to establish extensive Buddhist Research Centre.
57.	University, Dept. of Women's Studies	Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, New Delhi	5 Years From 18.01.2019	To promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange the scholars and to encourage exchange of expertise of the faculty members.
58.	University, Dept. of Biomedical Sciences	Tablets India Limited, Chennai	3 Years From 07.05.2019	To promote the collaborative Research work and to exchange of academic Staff.

[Foreign Students pursuing Higher Education in Alagappa University](#)

JUNE 2019 TO MAY 2020

S.NO	Names	Degree	Department	Country	Period
1.	Abulhadi Amirah	MBA (IB)	International Business	Nigeria	2019 -2021
2.	Javanniya Anadarajan	BFA - Music	Fine Arts	Sri Lanka	2019 - 2022
3.	Patrick Kipkorir Laboso	M.Sc. (CS)	Computer Science	Kenya	2018- 2020
4.	Meshack Kiplimo Tanui	M.Sc. (CS)		Kenya	2018 - 2020
5.	S. Akilan	Ph.D.	International Business	Dubai	2017-2019
6.	Gayathiri	MBA General	Alagappa Institute of Management	Malaysia	2018-2019
7.	Meshack Kiplino Tanui	M.Sc. Computer Science	Computer Science	Kenya	2018-2019
8.	Shanmugaraja Sudharshini	Ph.D.	Education	Sri Lanka	2016
9.	Shanmugathan	Ph.D.	Library Science	Sri Lanka	2017
10.	G. Tamarasi	Ph.D.	Computer Science	Oman	2018
11.	Shaji K.A. Theodore	Ph.D.	Computer Science	Oman	2018
12.	R. Pramod	Ph.D.	Physical Education	Doha	2017
13.	Joe Jacob - NRI	Ph.D.	Women's studies	Bahrain	2016
14.	Shemely P. John	Ph.D.	Women's studies	Bahrain	2017

1.5.4. RESEARCH OUTPUT AND AWARDS – 2019-2020

PARTICULARS	QUANTUM
International Papers published and presented in Conferences	1410 + 1351
National Papers published and presented in Conferences / Seminars	192 + 938
Number of books / Chapter of Books published	130
Number of PhDs awarded	143
Number of Ph.D.s registered	209
Awards / recognition for research work at International and National levels	

1.5.6. Patents Filed / Published in 2019-2020

Name of the Faculty	Patent / Copyright Details	Registration Details
Dr. K. Gurunathan	Fabrication of Room Temperature NH ₃ Gas Sensor device using PPy – GO – WO ₃ Hybrid Nanocomposite as Sensing Material	Indian patent submitted for filing
Dr.P.Eswaran	Design of Real Time Smart Health Care System Through Data Mining and IoT	Appl. No.: 201941041826, Date: 25.10.2019
	IoT based Integrated Device and System for Health Analysis	Appl. No.: 201931039857, Date: 08.11.2019
	Experimental Analysis of a Solar Cooker with a Parabolic Trough Enhanced with PCM based Thermalstor	Appl. No.: 201941044051, Date: 31.10.2019
Dr.S.Santhoshkumar	Raspberry Pi Based Elderly Fall Detection System For Elderly People Using lot And Big Data App. No: 202041009944	08/03/2020 (Filed) 13/03/2020 (Published)
Dr. S. Karutha Pandian	Synergistic anti-biofilm activity of phytochemicals against methicillin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i>	PD038422IN-SC (IDF Submitted)
	Combinatorial strategy of phytochemicals for their antibiofilm and antihyphal effectuality	PD038424IN-SC (IDF Submitted)
	Synergistic antibiofilm and antihyphal	PD038423IN-SC (IDF Submitted)

	combination of phytochemicals for oral candidiasis	Submitted)
	Synergistic combination of phytochemicals with surface cleaning applications in healthcare settings	PD038420IN-SC (IDF Submitted)
	Phytochemicals exhibiting Antibiofilm activity	202041002711 (Filed)
	Anti-biofilm composition of phytochemicals	202041002710 (Filed)
	Anti-biofilm composition of phytochemicals and implementations thereof	202041017519 (Filed)
	Synergistic anti-biofilm activity of phytocompounds against methicillin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i>	PD038422IN-SC (IDF Submitted)
Dr.C.Balakrishnan	App.No : 202041009944	DATE OF FILING : 08/03/2020 PUBLICATION DATE : 13/03/2020
Prof.M.Senthil	IOT Architecture for Manufacturing Similar Products	Publication date: 25.10.2019
Dr P.Prabhu	Optimizing call center queuing system using non-Markovian models and customer interaction using Natural Language Processing	Application No. 202041012642 A Date of Publication 08.05.2020
Dr.M.Mullai	Optimizing call center queuing system using non-markovian models and customer interaction using natural language processing	Journal no. 19/2020 dated 08/05/2020 [National]

1.6. RUSA GRANTS

The MHRD, New Delhi, has handpicked the following top 10 State Universities in the country to promote quality enhancement in Teaching and Research under RUSA phase 2.0 scheme vide the Minutes of 14th Project Approval Board meeting held on 17th September 2018 at New Delhi. The MHRD has sanctioned Rs.100 cr. to each University with the sharing of 40% from the respective State Government.

1. Jadavpur University
2. Alagappa University
3. Jammu University
4. Kurukshetra University

5. Savitribhai Phule University
6. Osmania University
7. Sri Venkateswara University
8. Andhra University
9. Utkal University
10. Guru Nanak Dev University

Accordingly, Alagappa University has been sanctioned with Rs. 100 Cr. under component 4 (Enhancement of Quality in Teaching and Research to Select State Universities) and Alagappa University is the only university in Tamil Nadu qualified for this status. Out of the sanctioned grant, the First installment grant, Rs.40 crore has been released to Alagappa University with the sharing pattern of 60:40 between the MHRD, New Delhi and Government of Tamil Nadu. Grant of Rs. 100 Crores has been sanctioned to Alagappa University and the first installment of Rs. 40 Crores has been released vide G.O. (MS) No 277 dated 15.11.2018 (GoI share of 60% and GoTN share of 40%) and 1.67 Crores released vide G.O.(Ms) No 43 dated 17.02.2021.

With this special support under RUSA phase 2.0 scheme, Alagappa University has submitted the Detailed Project Report (DPR) stating the details of Construction of Academic, Research and Hostel buildings, Renovation of Buildings, Purchase of Advanced Scientific Equipments, Student Research Support, Socially relevant path-breaking Research, Implementing MHRD and e-Governance initiatives and Skill Development, support for Innovation and Incubation along with Career guidance through Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub. The Revised Detailed Project Report (DPR) of RUSA 2.0 has been approved by the Finance Committee on 27.8.2020 and by the Syndicate vide Resolution number 4 dated 27.8.2020

RUSA - Monitoring System

As per RUSA Phase 2.0 guidelines under Chapter 2 (III) Institutional Level Structure, the **Board of Governors, Project Monitoring Unit and Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)** were constituted. Obtained Administrative sanction of the **Finance Committee and Syndicate to utilize the fund under RUSA Phase 2.0** Component 4: Enhancing Quality and Excellence in Teaching and Research. Meeting of Board of Governors and Project Monitoring Committee was conducted on 16.05.2019 to monitor the progress of project. Constituted a **Task Force** to review the progress of Theme Based Research Projects.

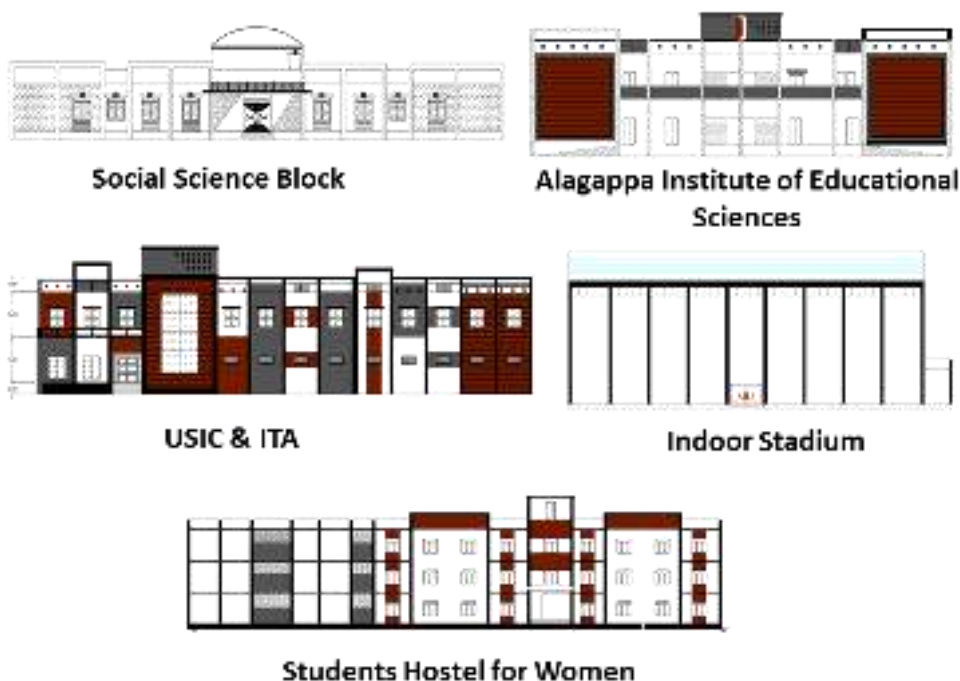
Work Progress Report

1. Construction of New Buildings:

Under RUSA Phase 2.0 scheme, construction of **new buildings for Rs.14.50 Cr.** viz. New Social Science Block, Alagappa Institute of Educational Sciences, Information Technology Avenue, University Scientific Information Centre (USIC), Students' Hostel for Girls (Skill Development), Indoor Stadium and Establishment of

Solar Park are underway. Building construction works are assigned to PWD, Government of Tamil Nadu. Based on the work progress report of PWD, Rs.7.80 Cr. was paid as an advance.

Front Elevation of New buildings



2. Common Equipment

To enhance research facilities, procurement of **Proton Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR) spectrometer at a cost of Rs.450 lakhs**, **Powder X-ray Diffractometer (XRD) at a cost of Rs.125 lakhs**, SCUBA diving equipment are prioritized in first installment. Accordingly, the Open tender has been issued and the Technical and Commercial bids are completed. The work orders will be released shortly.



Proton NMR Spectrometer



Multipurpose Powder XRD



SCUBA Diving Equipment

3. Quality Enhancement and Improvement in Teaching:

3.1. Towards Knowledge up gradation

3.1. 1. Global Standard Curriculum:

- **Broad Based Board of Studies** have been constituted with the composition of representatives from Foreign Universities, Field / Industry Experts, Experts from Top ranked Indian Universities / Research Institutes, Alumni and Internal Professors.
- **44 Professors from QS ranked Universities from the countries, viz. USA, Australia, Mexico, Canada, Switzerland, China, Singapore, Hungary and Malaysia** contributed for curriculum reforms in all Departments to upgrade the course contents **on par with global standard**. The upgraded curriculum implemented from the Academic year 2019-20.
- The Department of Bioinformatics was identified as **MHRD Flagship Department** with special financial support to **upgrade the curriculum on par with global standard**. Accordingly, the course contents upgraded with experts from reputed Indian and Overseas professors.

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
1.	Physics	Dr. S.N. Piramanayagam Associate Professor, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore and Dr. R. Paulmurugan , Associate Professor, Dept. of Radiology, Stanford University, USA (held on 20 th to 22 nd March 2019)
2.	Industrial Chemistry	Dr. Jerzy Redacki Professor, Polish Academy of Science, Tuwima Olsztyn, Poland and Dr. Hanna Radeca Professor, Polish Academy of Science, Tuwima Olsztyn, Poland (held on 21 st and 22 nd March 2019)
3.	Microbiology	Dr. Dong-Po Song (Foreign Subject Expert) Group Leader, Lab for Nano Structured Soft Materials and Functionalization, School of Material Science, Tianjin University, Tianjin 300 350, P.R. China Dr. Kunyu Zhang (Foreign Subject Expert) Associate Professor, School of Material Science Tianjin University, Tianjin 300 350 P.R. China
4.	Economics and Rural Development	Dr. Suresh Babu , Senior Research Fellow, Head of Capacity Strengthening, Director General's Office, International Food Policy

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
		Research Institute, Washington, USA.
5.	Alagappa Institute of Management	Dr.Deshti Kannaiah , Senior Lecturer, James Cook University, Singapore.
6.	Library and Information science	Yuen – Hsien Tseng , Professor and Deputy Chair of Graduate Institute of Library & Information Studies, Associate Dean of School of Learning Informatics, National Taiwan Normal University, Taiwan Prof. Kim Hwichool Ph.D , Librarian Hanyang University, Seoul, South Korea
7.	Computer Application	Prof. Arockiaswami Alphones , Associate Professor, School of Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.
8.	Mathematics	Dr. Wan Ainun Mior Othman , Associate Professor, Institute of Mathematical Science, Faculty of Science, University of Malaya. And Dr. Albert Fassler , Bern University of Applied Sciences, Switzerland
9.	Energy Science	Dr. Andres Hagfeldt , Professor and Head, Laboratory of Photomolecular Science, Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne, Switzerland.
10.	Biotechnology	Professor Peter Monk , Professor of Immunology, Department of Infection, Immunity & Cardiovascular Disease, University of Sheffield, and Dr. Ramasamy Paul Murugan , Associate Professor, Molecular Imaging Program at Stanford, Canary Centre at Stanford, Department of Radiology, Stanford School of Medicine, Stanford University, USA.
11.	Animal Health and Management	Dr. Siti Azizah Mohd.Nor , Principal Research Fellow (Professor) Universiti Malaysia, Terengganu. Professor. Mrs. Aileen Tan Shau Hwai , Director, Centre for Marine and Coastal Studies (CEMACS), Universiti Sans Malaysia, Malaysia
12.	International Business	Dr. Geetha Subramanyam , Associate Professor,

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
		Faculty of Business and Management, Universiti Teknologi, Selangor, Malaysia.
13.	Bioinformatics	Dr. Anthony Hay, Department of Microbiology, Cornell College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (CALs), Cornell University, USA.
14.	Nanoscience & Technology	Dr. M. Ashok kumar, Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Melbourne, Australia
15.	Education	Dr. Vishalache A/P Balakrishnan, Director, Department of Educational Foundations & Humanities, Faculty of Education, Universiti of Malaya, Malaysia.
16.	History	Dr. Sivachandralingam Sundararaja, Associate Professor, Department of History, Universiti Malaya, Malaysia
17.	Fine Arts	Dr. Ushanthy Nesakanthan Senior Lecturer, (Bharathanatyam) Department of Dance, Drama & Theatre Swami Vipulananda Institute of Aesthetic Studies, Eastern University Kallady, Srilanka
18.	Fishery Science	Dr. Gaanty Pragas Maniam Associate Professor Faculty of Industrial Sciences & Technology University Malaysia Pahang and Director, Central Laboratory, University Malaysia Pahang
19.	Computer Science	Dr. Nor Fazlida Mohd Sani, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Computer Science and Information Technology, Universiti Putra Malaysia-43400 Serdang, Selangor, Malaysia.
20.	Women's Studies	Dr. Meera Kaur, Associate Professor, Department of Family Medicine, University of Manitoba 2MA05-2300 McPhillips Street, Winnipeg MB R2V 3M3 Canada-632-3452 Dr. Eszter Zsofia Toth, Institute of Social and Economic History, E.L.TE University, Budapest,

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
		Hungary
21.	Commerce	<p>Dr. Jayaraman Krishnaswamy Professor, School of Marketing Joint Editor-in-chief Taylor's Business Review (TBR) Journal Faculty of Business and Law Taylor's University (Lackside Campus) Malaysia and</p> <p>Dr. Desti Kanniah Senior Lecturer, School of Business James Cook University, Singapore. (held on 17th to 19th February 2019)</p>
22.	Corporate secretaryship	<p>Dr. Desti Kannaiah, Senior Lecturer, James Cook University, Singapore and</p> <p>Dr. Jeyaraman Krishnasamy, Professor, Taylor's Business School, Faculty of Business and Law, Taylor's University, Malaysia. (held on 18th February 2019)</p>
23.	Department of Botany	<p>Dr. Mui-Yun Wong, Associate Professor, Department of Plant Protection, Universiti Putra, Malaysia.</p>
24.	Computational Logistics	<p>Prof. Arvind Easwaran, Associate Professor, School of Computer Science and Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore</p>
25.	Biomedical Science	<p>Dr. Parasuraman Padmanabhan, Deputy Director (Translational Neuroscience), Head of operation, Centre for Neuroimaging Research at NTU (CeNReN), Research administration and support services (RASS), Lee Kong Chain School of Medicine, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), 59 Nanyang Drive Experimental Medicine Building (EMB), Level7, Room 07-19, Cognitive Neuroimaging centre(CoNic), Singapore.</p> <p>Dr. Dinesh Kumar Srinivasan, Associate Professor, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore, MD10, 4 Medical Drive, #04-01Q, Singapore 117594.</p> <p>Dr. Jousmaki Veikko Tapani, Director of Aalto Neuroimaging Research infrastructure Aalto Senior Scientist, Department of Neuroscience and Biomedical Engineering Aalto, University School of Science, Espoo, Finland.</p> <p>Dr. Domokos Mathe, Senior Scientist, Faculty of Medicine,</p>

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
		Semmelweis University, Budapest, Hungary.
26.	Banking Management	Dr. R. Darwin Joseph, Senior Lecturer in Management, MDIS, Singapore Management University, Singapore
27.	Alagappa Institute of Skill Development	Dr. Anand Bhojan, Senior Faculty, Department of Computer Science, National University of Singapore, Singapore
28.	Oceanography and Coastal Area Studies	Nilmini Viswaprakash Ph.D Assistant Professor(Anatomy) Department of Bio Medical Sciences VCOM osteopathic Medical School South Donahue Drive, Auburn AI-36832,USA
29.	Tamil	Dr. Pon Sasikumar, Teaching Fellow, Asian Languages and Cultures Academic Group National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.
30.	English and Foreign Languages	Dr. Anitha Devi Pillai, Assistant Professor, English Language and Literature Academic Group, National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University (NIE/NTU), Nanyang Walk, Singapore.
31.	Special Education and Rehabilitation Sciences	Dr. Robert Urban, Department of Personality and Health Psychology, Edvos Lorard University, Hungary
32.	AUCE	Dr. Robert Urban Ph.D, D.Sc, Department of Personality and Health Psychology, Eotvos Lorand University, Izabella, Hungary
33.	Logistics Management	Dr. Balan Sundarakani, Associate Professor, Supply Chain Management, Faculty of Business & Management, University of Wollongong in Dubai, United Arab Emirates. And Mr. Lakshmanan Chinnachetty, Category Demand Planner, johnsn and Johnson incl
34.	Tourism and Hotel Management	Mohd Raziff Jamaluddin, Ph.D Deputy Dean, Research and Industry Linkages, Faculty of Hotel and Management,

Sl. No.	Department	Visit of Foreign Professor from Top Ranking University
		University Teknologi MARA, 42300 puncak Alam, Malaysia
35.	Geology	Dr. Priyadarsi Debajyoti Roy Associate Professor, Institute of Geology, University of National Autonomous Mexico, Mexico
36	Social Work	Dr. Kalpana Goel, University of South Australia, Australia

3.1.2. Special Assistance grant to the University Departments:

In order to enhance the Teaching – Learning and Research facilities in all the University Departments, Rs.250 lakhs is earmarked and the purchases are in the process. Each Department has been sanctioned for Rs.7.38 lakhs to equip the Teaching and Learning facilities in the Class rooms and Laboratories.

New departments have been given due care to augment their teaching, Learning and Research resources such as Smart classroom, Advanced computers, Minor laboratory equipment and Software like, SPSS packages and E-views are purchased to enhance the research facilities in the University Departments.

3.1.3. Utilizing the Expertise of Overseas Adjunct Faculty

10 professors from Top Ranked Foreign Universities have been engaged as Adjunct Faculty and their expertise used for delivering special lectures, International Research collaborations, organizing conferences. More such adjunct faculty are to be invited in near future.

SI No	Name & Designation of Overseas faculty	Name of the University	Country	Department
1	Dr. Parasuraman Padmanabhan, Deputy Director	Head of Operation, Centre for Neuro imaging Research, Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine, Nanyang Technological University Singapore	Singapore	Microbiology
2	Dr.S.N.Piramanayagam, Associate Professor	Nanyang Technological University	Singapore	Physics
3	Dr.G.Rajaraman, Professor	Department of Chemistry, IIT Bombay	Mumbai	Industrial Chemistry
4	Dr.Jeyaraman Krishnaswamy, Professor	Taylor's Business School, Taylor's University	Malaysia	Commerce
5	Prof.Giovanni Neri	University of Messina	Italy	Bioelectronics and

SI No	Name & Designation of Overseas faculty	Name of the University	Country	Department
				Biosensors
6	Dr.P.Padmanbhan Deputy Director	Translational Neuroscience, Nanyang Technological University	Singapore	Bioelectronics and Biosensors
7	Dr.Meera Kaur, Associate Professor	Max Reddy College of Medicine, University of Manitoba	Canada	Women's Studies
8	Prof. Gomathinayagam Subramanian, Director	University of Guyana, South America	Guyana	Botany
9	Dr.Mohad Raziff Jamaludding, Deputy Dean	University Teknologi MARA	Malaysia	Tourism and Hotel Management
10	Dr.Zillur Rahman, Professor	Department of Management Studies, IIT, Roorkee	India	International Business

3.1.4. Purchase of Reference Books and Subscription to International / National Journals

- Rs. 125 lakhs have been provided to the University Departments in the First installment for the purchase of Reference books as prescribed in the enhanced revised curriculum.
- During this period, latest edition of reference books to the tune of Rs. 85 lakhs are purchased and subscriptions made for 18 International Journals and 118 National journals.

3.1.5. International Conferences with Top-ranked Universities:

Rs.250 lakhs has been earmarked to organize International Conferences in collaboration with top ranked overseas Universities. Twenty one Departments have organized the International Conferences.

3.1.6. Travel Support to present Papers in the International Conferences:

With the financial support to the tune of Rs.250 lakhs, 101 faculty members participated and presented their research papers in the International Conferences held in the countries such as USA, Japan, Korea, New York, Dubai, Thailand, Taiwan, Italy, China, France, Greece, South Africa, Singapore and Malaysia.

p.No. 15 from Achievement Faculty visit abroad

3.2. MHRD Initiatives

3.2.1. e-Governance Initiatives

Online Programmes

- Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) has identified Alagappa University as one of the twenty institutions to offer on-line academic programmes.
- Alagappa University has established a separate **Directorate for Online Programmes** to offer initially 19 programmes through **online mode** in collaboration with the partnering Institutions identified by the Participating countries. Alagappa University is also in consultation with MEA to offer on-line programmes exclusively in Tamil literature, Fine Arts and Culture to Tamil Diaspora in the Asian countries like Sri Lanka, Malaysia, Singapore.

Massive Online Open Courses

- The SWAYAM/MOOCs (Digital Education) Cell was formed in the month of November 2017 at Alagappa University, Karaikudi.
- The UGC Credit Framework for online courses through SWAYAM regulation 2016 has been approved in the meeting of the Standing Committee on the Academic Affairs of the University held on 13.11.2017.
- 1123 students selected the MOOCs courses in the SWAYAM Platform and these MOOCs courses were approved in the Standing Committee meeting held on 13.03.2018.
- The installation of SWAYAM Prabha DTHs for 37 Departments under RUSA Phase 2.0 was completed at a cost of Rs. 1.70 Lakhs.
- SWAYAM Prabha DTHs Orientation Programmes for Department Co-ordinators of all the four faculties were organized from 05-03-18 to 09-03-2018.
- During July 2018 session, 2367 students selected the MOOCs courses in the SWAYAM platform in the University.
- Dr. C. Baskaran, SWAYAM Co-ordinator and Dr. N. Johnson, Deputy Co-ordinator of SWAYAM were permitted to attend the UGC Orientation Workshop on MOOCs held at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad on 31.08.2018.
- A One-day Workshop on Design and Development of MOOCs was organized on 30.10.2018 at Alagappa University.
- Under the RUSA Phase 2.0 revised credit plan for the PG students, they need to select MOOCs courses in their Second and Third semester of their regular programme. Similarly, the UG students also should select the MOOCs courses in the Third and Fourth semesters.
- During Jan 2019 session, a total of 1833 students (the Second semester (PG) and fourth semester (UG)) selected MOOCs in the SWAYAM platform.

- During July 2019 session, totally 1635 enrolled the MOOCs courses by the Students (only third semester) from University Departments in the SWAYAM portal.
- Three Day International workshop E-Content Development for MOOCs for the faculty members to be organized during 11th, 12th and 13th September by Digital Education cell, Alagappa University, the workshop sponsored under RUSA 2.0 scheme,

National Academic Depository (NAD)

Alagappa University has been uploaded three lakh data in National Academic Depository (NAD) portal.

Establishment of Management Information System (MIS)

In order to integrate the University data under one common platform, University has established the Management Information System (MIS) under RUSA phase 1.0.

An exclusive building at a cost of Rs.215 lakhs was constructed for this purpose. Special efforts are taken in this venture to integrate all the administrative segments, viz. Admission, Establishment, Examination, Research and Finance to ensure complete e-governance.

Recently, one Intranet application developed by the faculty and students of Alagappa Institute of Skill Development has been launched on 1st July 2019 for paperless administrative communications.

Automation in Examination Wing

Examination wing has been fully automated. All students can submit the examination application online, pay the examination fee online, print the hall ticket online and view the results online. Answer booklets have been prepared with Barcode and QR code technology. **Digital Evaluation** of answer scripts is introduced for the University Departments and PG valuation of Affiliated Colleges. The same will be extended to all affiliated colleges and Distance Education also for the ensuing examinations.

e-Governance initiatives in Research Wing

- Several initiatives have been taken for the conduct of Entrance Examinations, speedy Publication of results and Issuance of certificates through on-line.
- e-copy of the Ph.D. Thesis and Synopsis are sent to the External Examiners and the reports are also accepted as soft copy. This greatly helps to save the processing time and minimize the paper usage.

Surveillance System

In order to ensure safety and security to the students, **112 CCTV have been installed in the campus** and proposal has been sent to the Government of India under Nirbhaya Fund scheme seeking the financial support of Rs. 81 lakhs to install the additional 68 CCTV cameras in the campus.

Biometric System

Biometric system of attendance has been introduced initially to the outsourcing employees (about 400) and the same will be introduced shortly to the Teaching and Administrative staff of Alagappa University.

3.2. 2. University Society Linkage:

Keeping the tradition of societal involvement, University has been conducting Village Extension Programmes (VEP) every year. All the second year Post Graduate students are rendering their services in the neighbouring villages.

The University has adopted 81 villages (University Departments : 39, Affiliated Colleges : 42) and provided various services such as Health Awareness, Cleaning and painting the water tank and public places, Survey on rural unemployed youth, Life Skill Education Programme and Total Sanitation Campaign – Open Defecation Free (ODF) villages by involving students and faculty.

Category 4.2 : Towards University-Society Linkage

Swachhta activities through Village Extension Programme

(11th – 13th October 2018)

39 Villages Adopted (One Department and One Village)

No. of Villages Adopted
University Departments

2017-'18	7
2018-'19	39

No. of Villages Adopted
Affiliated Colleges

2017-'18	--
2018-'19	45

Activities carried out in Village Extension Programme

- Awareness on ODF
- Environmental Campaign
- Swaachh Bharat Awareness Camp
- Tree Plantation & Saplings Distributing to the Villagers
- Dengu, Malaria and Chikungunya Awareness Camp
- Socio Economic and Health Survey
- Medical Camp
- Blood Donation Camp
- Tank and Temple Cleaning
- Cleaning the Tank, Temple and School Premises
- Nilavembu Kashayam Distribution Camp
- Yoga and art of Living Training
- English Coaching and Soft Skill Training to School Students
- Women Empowerment Training Programme

No. of University Students Participated in VEP

2017-'18	625
2018-'19	1125

Category 4.2 : Towards University-Society Linkage

Swachhta activities – Village Extension Programme

(11th – 13th October 2018)

39 Villages Adopted (One Department and One Village)

No.	Name of the Department	Name of the Adopted Village
1.	Tamil	Maruthangudi
2.	English and Foreign Languages	Siravayal
3.	Fine Arts	K. Aththangudi
4.	Women's studies	Gandhi Nagar
5.	Social Work	Sali
6.	Economics and Rural Development	Ariyakudi
7.	History	Aenathipatti
8.	Library and Information Science	Kandanur
9.	Mathematics	Chockalingam Pudur
10.	Physics	Velankudi
11.	Energy Science	S.R. Pattinam
12.	Industrial Chemistry	Kundrakkudi
13.	Nano Science and Technology	Viravanpatti
14.	Computer Applications	Sirukoodaipatti
15.	Computer Science	O. Siravayal
16.	Computational Logistics	Thiruvellankudi
17.	Biotechnology	Soorakkudi
18.	Animal Health and Management	Sankarapuram
19.	Bioelectronics and Biosensors	Managiri
20.	Bioinformatics	Azhagapuri

Average Population : 2187

No.	Name of the Department	Name of the Adopted Village
21.	Botany	Kendramankam
22.	Microbiology	Pattamangalam
23.	Oceanography and Coastal Area studies	Kanadukathan
24.	Geology	Manatchai
25.	Biomedical Sciences	Kothadi
26.	Education	Nerpugappatti
27.	Physical Education	Koththamangalam
28.	Special Education and Rehabilitation Sciences	Periyakottai
29.	Life Long Learning	Vadagudi
30.	Alagappa Institute of Skill Development	Kalathur (Amanapatti)
31.	Alagappa Institute of Management	Sakkavayal
32.	Logistics Management	Melamanakkudi
33.	International Business	Veerasekarapuram
34.	Bank Management	Nattucher
35.	Commerce	Acanmani Siravayal
36.	Corporate Secretaryship	Ilankudi
37.	Tourism and Hotel Management	Kurunthampattu
38.	Alagappa University College of Education	Aravayal
39.	Alagappa University College of Physical Education	Thanavayal

Population in Adopted Villages

Men	42,492
Women	42,817
Total	85,309

Category 4.2 : Towards University-Society Linkage

Swachhta activities – Village Extension Programme

(11th – 13th October 2018)

39 Villages Adopted (One Department and One Village)



Awareness Paintings in the Walls



Cleaning Campaigns



Yoga Training at Schools

100% ODF Achievement in Adopted Village 'Ariyakudi'



Healthcare Camps



Before our Service



After our Service

- This adopted Village 'Ariyakudi' has been announced as 100% ODF Village on 02.10.2018

Centre for Swachh Bharat & Swasth Bharat

Swachhta Hi Seva-2018 Activities (15th Sep. – Oct. 2nd 2018)

1. Street cleaning
2. Drains and back alleys cleaning
3. Village level rally
4. Door to door campaign
5. Waste collection drives at households and public places
6. Segregation of Solid Waste
7. Drawing at Public places
8. Awareness of sanitation practices
9. Awareness through Folk songs and dance
10. Waste into organic matter
11. Estimation of toilet construction activity



Segregation of Solid Waste

Drawing at Public places



Street cleaning

Village level rally



Drains and back alleys cleaning

Door to Door Campaign

3.3. Student Centric Quality Enhancement Initiatives

3.3.1. Stipend to PG students

- **317 PG students** were selected on Merit basis through Department Research Committee (DRC) and Rs 2000 per month per candidate are being disbursed from August 2018. This fellowship is for a period of one year.
- **Faculty-wise break up of students details are given below:**

Arts - 37	Management -83	Science - 128	Education - 69
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3.3.2. conduct of National conference by Scholars

Rs.. 10 lakhs has been earmarked to provide financial support to the Research scholars to organize National conferences

- One National Seminar has been organized by the Scholars of Management.
- One proposal has been approved to organize national Conference by the Scholars of Mathematical Science
- Other Faculty scholars are preparing their proposals for organisation of seminar / workshop.

3.3.2. Ph.D. Fellowship to Scholars -

To provide financial support to meritorious Ph.D. Research Scholars, Rs. 300 lakhs is allocated. In first phase, **163 Ph.D scholars**, selected through Research Committee, are being disbursed fellowship @ 25,000 for NET/SLET qualified candidates and INR 20,000 for non NET/SLET with effect from 17th September 2018

during the RUSA phase 2.0 period. This will be continued for two years. **Special drive of Pre-PhD entrance examination was conducted to attract more Ph.D. scholars. The result of eligibility for Ph.D. registration was declared and 100 more fellowships will be disbursed to the meritorious entrance qualifiers.**

- **Faculty-wise break up of students details:**

Arts -23	Management -35	Science - 71	Education - 34
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3.3.3. Travel support to Research Scholars to present papers in International Conferences

Financial assistance to the **maximum of Rs.50,000/- each** have been given to **22 Scholars** from various Departments to present their Research papers in the International Conferences

1.	Dr. S. Saravanan DST-SERB Young Scientist	Second Propolis Conference – Propolis in Human and Bee Health – Sofia 2018	Bulgaria	28 th & 29 th September 2018
2.	T. Sundararasan , M. Mani , K. Sathyaraj. F Saravaran, Ph.D Scholar Education.	“Recent Trends in Humanities and Science (ICRTHS- 2018)”	Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman, Malaysia	25 th to 27 th October 2018
3.	Ms.B. Jansi Rani, Ph.D. Scholar, Dept. of Physics	International Conference on “Advanced Materials for Clean Energy and Health Applications (AMCEHA 2019)”	University of Jaffina, Sri Lanka	06 th - 08 th February 2019.
4.	Ms.A. Alagu, S. Muthuvennila K. Ayyanar Ph.D.Scholar, LIS	International Research Conference 2019 on “Sustainable Business Transition through Technology and Innovation	Sri Lanka	07 th to 09 th February 2019
5.	Dr. C. Muthurasu, Teaching Asst.-LIS	International Research Conference 2019 on “Sustainable Business Transition through Technology and Innovation”	Sri Lanka	07 th to 09 th February 2019.
6.	Ms. N. Annalakshmi, Ph.D. Scholar, Education	International Research Conference 2019 on “Sustainable Business Transition through Technology and Innovation”	Sri Lanka	07 th & 08 th February 2019.

7.	Ms. K.P. Divya, DST-INSPIRE SRF, BEBS	“69 th Annual meeting of International Society of Electrochemistry” to be held at Boologna, Italy,	Italy	02 nd – 07 th September 2018
8.	Dr.R. Ragupathi Raja Kannan, DST-SERB NPDF, Biotech.	“International Symposium on Phytochemicals is Food and Medicine (3-ISPMF)”	China	24 th to 30 th August 2018
9.	Ms. S. Lavanya Ms.T. Deepa Ms. K. Gangadevi Ms.V. Meenakshi Ms. A.R. Banupriya Ph.D Scholar	“International Conference on Cultural Records in Tamil Literature (CRTL - 2018)”	Sri Lanka	17 th October 2018
10	Mrs. P. Jayanthi Nirmala Ph.D. Scholar, Education	“International Conference on Recent Trends in Humanities and Science (ICRTHS- 2018)”	Malaysia	25 th & 27 th October018,

3.4. Travel support to Scholars to work in foreign Research Laboratories

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3.4. Theme Based Research Projects

Sl. No.	Title of the Theme Based Research project	Amt. Sanctioned (Rs. Crore)
1.	Advanced Nanomaterials for Sustainable Energy and Enviroinment Conservation	600
2.	Translational Health Research for Human, Animal and Plant systems	800
3.	Rural Informatics of Sivaganga District (RICE)	100
4.	Mathematics Modelling and Computational Intelligence, Bio-metric based Security	240
5.	Micro irrigation, Energy use and CO2 Reduction nexus: Study of different crops from selected states in India	25

6.	Advanced Linguistics and Societal studies	245
7.	Transition in Cognitive, Affective and Psychomotor domains of Learners	210
8.	Integrated Management approach for Sustainable Social Development	280
		2500

3.5. Collaboration with Foreign Universities:

Among **13 top US Universities** identified by MHRD, New Delhi for overseas research collaboration, Alagappa University has signed **MoU** with **Cornell University-USA** and **Prof. Anthony Hay** has visited Alagappa University. We have started the process of executing MoU with **Drexel University-USA** (contact established with Prof. David L. Unruh, Sr. Vice-President to identify the areas of collaboration and on mutual consent, the MoU will be executed shortly) **North Eastern University-USA** (communicated with Dunton Family Dean, Prof. Raj Echambadi, to have an agreement on entrepreneurship ecosystem in Alagappa University and awaiting his personal visit to Alagappa University for further process) and **Stanford University-USA**, for undertaking research and exchange of Faculty and Students in the areas of Biotechnology, Nanotechnology, Material Science, Humanities and Management.

Further, steps initiated for International Collaboration with 13 US Universities identified by the MHRD - Theme Based Research Works

- **Prof. V Jo Davisson**, Professor of Medicinal Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology, **Purdue University**,
 - Area of Research - Intersection of chemical and systems Biology
- **Prof. Ruma Banerjee**, Collegiate Professor, Associate Chair, Biological Chemistry, **University of Michigan**
 - Area of Research - Structural Enzymology of human B12 trafficking proteins.
- **Prof. Anthony Hay**, Associate Professor, Department of Microbiology, **Cornell University**
 - Area of Research - Works on bacterial research and this collaboration requires modeling studies of the bacterial targets
- **Prof. Deepak Nagrath**, Associate Professor, Biomedical Engineering, **University of Michigan**
 - Area of Research - Cell culture experiments for growth and invasion
- **Prof. Gopal Thinakaran**, Department of Neurobiology, **The University of Chicago**
 - Area of Research - Cellular and Molecular Biology of Alzheimer's disease



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A. Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub

To scale up the Skill Development activities of the University by focusing on the futuristic skill requirements, **Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub** has been established under RUSA Phase-2.0 to serve as for offering University recognized, National Occupational Standards (NOS) mapped, placement / startup linked Skill Development programmes to the youth.

As per the directions of MHRD, Alagappa University has established an **Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub** (Centre of Excellence for Skill Development) under RUSA 2.0 scheme towards sustainable empowerment of youth on skills for Entrepreneurial ventures, Innovation and Industrial employment in one roof.

As per the directions of MHRD, apportion of Rs. 15 Cr. grant has been done. Rs. 6 Cr. has been allotted for Hard Components (Rs. 2.00 Cr. for the building, Rs. 4 Cr. for Non-recurring expenditure related to establishment of the learning infrastructure) and Rs. 9 Cr. for Soft Components (recurring expenditure for skill training and innovation, incubation support)

In continuation to the Digital Launch of this Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India on 3rd February 2019, few of the existing short-term skill training programmes, such as, Solar P.V. Technician, CNC Machine Technician, Soft skills and B.Voc. and M.Voc. Software Development programmes are being housed in the new building from 4th February 2019 onwards.

The following components are identified for this Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Career Hub:

- Skill Development Training
- Facilities for Innovation
- Startup / Incubation Support
- Placement and Career Guidance

S.No.	Head	Total Allocation (Rs. Lakhs)	Allocation in First Installment / Phase (Rs. Lakhs)	Spent (Rs. Lakhs) (As on 31.8.2019)	Committed (Rs. Lakhs) (During Sep. – Oct. 2019)	Total Expenditure (Rs. Lakhs) (Spent + Committed)
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1	Hard Component (Non-Recurring)	600.00	400.00*	209.57	190.43	400.00
2	Soft Component (Recurring)	900.00	600.00	3.44	596.56	600.00
Total in Rs.		1500.00	1000.00	213.01	786.98	1000.00

1.7. ACHIEVEMENTS IN EXTENSION ACADEMIA

Extension activities create synergic interactions among the students, faculty, industry experts and administrators. The University does lot more activities on this score.

i. Conferences/ Seminars/ Workshops organized by the College/ Department

53 National Seminars / Conferences/ Workshops, 13 International Conferences, 95 Guest/ Endowment Lectures and 171 Training / Extension activities / Orientations were organized by different Schools of learning bringing intellectual confluence to enhance, enlighten and enrich knowledge quotient ascendance and to provide stimulus for learning through interactive activities reaping the benefit of synergy. The campus was really agog with many experts from, USA, UK, Australia, Canada, France, Singapore, Taiwan, Japan, Muscat and Malaysia, and almost every part of India frequenting and fruitfully engaging in collaborative research works, interaction with scholars/students, enjoying the Chettinad Culture.

ii. Alagappa University Study Circle:

Alagappa University Study Circle (AUSC) has been created with the objectives of imparting capacity building training to the students to enhance their employability skills and coaching for UPSC / NET /SET / TNPSC and competitive examinations. Within a period of two years, it has conducted 285 activities and 11,150 students were benefitted by the programmes.

1.8. STATUS OF THE SCHEMES ANNOUNCED BY THE GOVT. OF TAMILNADU

Status Report on the implementation of 110 announcements

1. Establishment of Centre for Vivekananda Studies

- Sanctioned vide G.O. No. 114, Higher Education (K2) Section, Dt. 01.07.2013
- Total amount sanctioned (from University fund) - Rs. 25.00 lakhs
- Co-ordinator - Mrs. S. Chellam

- Deputy Co-ordinator – Dr. M. Vasimalairaja
- Centre for Swamy Vivekanandha Studies for Higher Research was established in Alagappa University in the year 2013.
- A full-time co-ordinator has been appointed to carry out the following activities of this Centre
- Expenditure incurred so far - Rs. 11.47 lakhs
- Arranged Awareness, Orientation and Capacity Building programmes to the faculty and students as detailed below:

Activities carried out in the last four years:

Year	No. of Awareness / Orientation programmes organized	No. of Participants
2016	17	3000
2017	13	3150
2018	08	2640

Status Report on the implementation of announcements made by the Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education

Present Status of Announcements made in 2017-18

Name of the Scheme (Announced in 2017-18)	Amount sanctioned (from the University own source) (Rs. in lakhs)	Amount Spent as on 31.05.18 (Rs. in lakhs)	% of project completion (Rs. in lakhs)
1. Waste treatment Technology for sustainable and eco friendly environment in Alagappa University	125 .00	46.48	37%

Status in brief

This project work has been commenced in the month of July 2017. Bio-Gas generating equipment and Fuel Free solid waste disposal units (laboratory incinerator) were purchased. The solid waste management through the solid disposal units are functioning in the University campus.

Details of functioning of the Scheme

- Four Numbers of Bio-Gas Generating equipment at a cost of Rs. 3.29 lakhs each have been purchased and installed in the Four Hostels, viz. PG Men's Hostel, PG Women's hostel, Science Block hostel and Research Scholar hostel.
- Four units of Fuel Free Solid Waste disposal unit (incinerator) at a cost of Rs. 4.90 lakhs has been purchased for degradation of Bio-waste, Hostel wastes and Laboratory waste.
- Three units of Dual Shaft Shredder purchased at a cost of Rs.5.80 lakhs for the preparation of vermicomposting.
- Shed with platform at three places at a cost of Rs.13.50 lakhs have been constructed to house the disposal units.
- Purchase order was issued to procure two more units of Fuel free solid waste disposal unit.
- Two field assistants and two shredder operators have been appointed for this scheme
- More than 20 orientation and Awareness programmes were conducted for the staff, students, sweepers and the public.

Nature of Disposal of wastes and outcome

1. Solid waste management through the use of fuel free solid disposal unit (Lab incinerator)

- Waste treatment technology for sustainable and eco-friendly environment has been established in the form of "Fuel free solid waste disposal unit (Lab Incinerator)" in four different places of Alagappa University viz., Science Campus, Management Block, Alumni Garden and Industrial Chemistry to efficiently dispose solid wastes including wastes from the laboratory, cafeteria, other wastes such as paper and litters.
- This fuel free solid waste disposal unit helps to routinely dispose solid wastes in an eco-friendly manner without any fuel requirement. This technology helps to prevent environmental pollution and the byproducts can also be used as a fertilizer.
- Through this technology, solid wastes such as degradable and non-degradable are routinely collected from the University campus and dispose off as listed below:
 - Green Recycle bins: Degradable wastes (Food and vegetable wastes)
 - Blue Recycle bins: non-degradable wastes (metals, plastic and glass)
 - Red Recycle bins: Bio-hazard (Laboratory wastes such as microbial culture, chemicals, culture media and dyes)
- Around 900 kg of solid waste was efficiently disposed off and 200 kg of the ash generated was better utilized as fertilizers in the gardens for enhancing the growth of herbs and shrubs.

2. Solid waste management through vermicomposting and biofertilizer production

- Vermi-composting is the process of conversion of organic wastes by earthworms to valuable humus like material which is used as a natural soil conditioner.
- Vermi-composting is environment friendly and cost effective technique for solid waste management. About 400kg of stock was maintained for vermin-compost.
- Approximately 100kg of good quality compost was harvested. The harvested compost was utilized as bio-fertilizers in the gardens for enhancing the growth of herbs and shrubs.

3. Solid waste Management through mushroom cultivation

- Mushroom was cultivated in 10 polythene bags and each bag was seeded with 1.25kg of fungi. About 4kg of mushroom was harvested of which 2kg was kept for research purposes and the other 2kg was distributed to the staff.

Bio-Gas plant installed in the University Hostels



Orientation / Awareness programmes to the students & staff





Present Status of Announcements made in 2017-18

Name of the Scheme (Announced in 2017-18)	Amount sanctioned (from the University own source) (Rs. in lakhs)	Amount Spent as on 31.05.18 (Rs. in lakhs)	% of project completion (Rs. in lakhs)
2. Establishment of Talent Bank Centre	210.00	42.55	21%

Status in brief

This project work has been commenced in the month of July 2017. Talent students were identified from the University Departments and Affiliated Colleges and they have been taught with application oriented skill set training, intensive training to prepare CV, Interview, writing skills, Communication skill, Group discussion and also exploring self employment and Entrepreneurship opportunities.

Details of functioning of the Scheme

- 50 computers at a cost of Rs. 18.99 lakhs were purchased from M/s ELCOT, Chennai for establishing the Computer Laboratory. The computer laboratory was established in Alagappa Institute of Skill Development.
- Steps are taken for the purchase of software and computers for setting up of Language Laboratory at two venues in the University premises at the estimated cost of Rs.40 lakhs.
- One full time Director and three supportive staff were appointed in this Centre.
- **More than 100 number of special Training / orientation programmes to Students are arranged during this year.**

1.8. OUTREACH ACHIEVEMENTS

i. National Service Scheme The **National Service Scheme** of the University organized many programs. NSS Volunteer students of the University donated blood. All Colleges conducted NSS, Camp during June 2019 to February 2020.

ii. YRC / RRC: The **Youth Red Cross** and the **Red Ribbon Clubs** carried out out-reach activities to create awareness on AIDS control, blood donation, etc. Blood donation camps were organized.

iii. Centres: The **Centre for Rural Development, Centre for Gandhian studies, Centre for Nehru studies,** organized many programs on Skill development The **Centre for Women Studies** organized programs to uplift the Rural Women through formation of SHGs, EDPs and SDPs. The **Science Departments** did few extension services like imparting modern education to School students, developing faculty of affiliating institutions.

iv. Village Placement Program (VPP) is an enthusiastic volunteering by students to stay in villages for 3-4 days to learn the rural socio-economic milieu through interaction and carrying out certain Health Education and Value Orientation exercises for the benefit of rural children, youth, men and women. During the year 2019-20, the students did their VPP, a non-credit curriculum requirement. to 7 villages, **Amaravathipudur, Mathur, Kothari, Illuppakkudi, Ariyakudi, Kundrakkudi and Surakudi** the students went, stayed, studied and engaged in social-asset creation activities, besides cultural programs. **Alagappa University remains connected with the real India**, thus.

v. Student Industry Visits / Study Tours

It is good students travel widely to see the actual world of business or research or simply the country side, as such exposure builds their knowledge and expands their vistas. Many tours and industrial visits are arranged.

1.10. LAB EQUIPMENT

University Science Instrumentation Centre (USIC) has been established to house high-end research equipments worth more than Rs.25 lakhs each. Besides, the laboratories of the Science Departments and Computer laboratory of all Departments are equipped fully with latest equipment to ensure that the University is on par with global standards.

S.No.	Department	Name of the Equipment
1.	Physics	Vibrating sample magnetometer
2.		Atomic Force Microscope
3.		Solar Cell simulator

4.	Industrial Chemistry	Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer (Perkin Elmer)
5.		TG/DTA & DSC Perkin-Elmer Diamond N5350010
6.		CHNS/O Elemental analyser
7.		High Resolution Scanning Electron Microscope
8.	Biotechnology	MALDI ToF-ToF Mass Spectrometer
9.		FPLC
10.	Animal Health Management	Real time PCR
11.		Confocal Microscope –LSM 710
12.	Bioinformatics	High Performance Computer Cluster (HPCC)
13.		AKTA Pure Protein purifier with Unichromat Cold cabinet
14.		Sonicator
15.		Multiskan GO Multiplate Reader
16.		Denovix Nano Spectrophotometer

1.11. AWARDS, RECOGNITION AND HONOURS

Awards /Prizes /Medals won by Staff Members during 2019-20

Name of the Departments	Name of the Faculty	Name of Award /Prize	Sponsoring Institution	Cash Reward, if any, in Rs.
Dept. of Tamil	Dr. M. Sutha	பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை	பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை, பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை, பெரியசாலை, பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை-பெரியசாலை, பெரியசாலை, பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை பெரியசாலை	-

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Dept. of Economics	A. Narayanamoorthy	ISAE Fellow 2019	Indian Society of Agricultural Economics (ISAE), Mumbai, India.	--
	A. Narayanamoorthy	Appointed as Member (Official)	Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices (CACP), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi.	--
	A. Narayanamoorthy	Completed Leadership for Academicians Programme (LEAP)	IIT-BHU, Varanasi and University of Cambridge, United Kingdom.	--
	A. Narayanamoorthy	Member, Editorial Board	The Indian Society of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad.	--
Dept. of History	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	International Quality Award	Scientific Researcher, Karaikudi	--
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Faculty Award (DKIRF)	DK International Research Foundation, Perambalur	--
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Outstanding Scientist Award	VD Good Professional Association, Visakhapatnam, India.	--
Dept. of Politics & Public Administration	Dr. K. Senthilkumar	Best Educationist-front page coverage-AMUTHASURABI Magazine	AMUTHASURABI	-
Dept. of Journalism & Mass Communication	Dr.P.Paul Devanesan	International Education Excellence Award with Gold Medal	Indian Solidarity Council	-
Dept. of Maths	Dr. N. Anbazhagan	Best Paper Award (2019)	International Conference on Mathematical Engineering Applications for Sustainable Development", held during August 16-18, 2019, University of Malaya, Meeting room 18-1, Wisma R&D, Kualalampur, Malaysia.	--
	Dr. S. Amutha	Eminent Mathematician Award (2019)	International Conference on Mathematical Engineering Applications for Sustainable Development", held during August 16-18, 2019, University of Malaya, Meeting room 18-1, Wisma R&D, Kualalampur, Malaysia jointly	--

			organized with the International Multidisciplinary Research Foundation.	
Dept. of Nano Science&Tech.	Dr.K.Gurunathan	Participated for Academic Leadership Development Programme (LEAP)	National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA), New Delhi- 110016	-
	Dr.K.Gurunathan	Lifetime Achievement Award	VDGOOD Professional Association, Chennai	-
	Dr.C.Balalakshmi	Dronacharya Award, 28, July,2019	Indian institute of Global Brotherhood, NewDelhi	-
	Dr.C.Balalakshmi	Nelson Mandela international Award, 28, july,2019	greater friendship and IndiaInternational Co-operation,New Delhi 12.	-
	Dr.C.Balalakshmi	Marvel Women of India, Award	Friendship forum , New Delhi, 2019	-
	Dr.C.Balalakshmi	Mother Teresa foundation Award	Friendship forum , New Delhi, July 2020	-
Dept. of Energy Science	Dr. S. KARUPPUCHAMY	Invited Researcher Award	SPD Laboratory, Japan 2019/04-2019/06.	-
	Dr. S. KARUPPUCHAMY	Scientific Advisor (Honorary Position) till 2024	SPD Laboratory, Japan	-
Dept. of Biotechnology	Dr. A. Veera Ravi	Distinguished Professor Award	DK international Research Foundation (DKIRF Awards - 2019)	-
Dept. of Bioinformatics	Dr. P. Boomi	Young Visiting Research Award (25.10.02019)	School of Biological and Food Engineering, Anyang Institute of Technology, Henan province, China	25000 /-
	Dr. V. K. Langeswaran	Received Har Gobind Khorana Best Young Scientist Award from Bose Science Society.	Tamil Nadu Scientific Research Organization, Tamil Nadu, India.	-
		Received Dr. A.P.J Abdul Kalam Award for Scientific Excellence for the Year 2019 from Marina Labs, Chennai.	Marina Labs, Chennai.	-

Dept. of Microbiology	Dr. A. Arun	Travel grant (Rs.1,00,000/-) by Alagappa University under RUSA 2.0 scheme to present a research paper in Sixth International Symposium Frontiers in Polymer Science organized by Elsevier Publications and Materials today at Budapest, Hungary on 05-08 th May, 2019	Alagappa University, Karaikudi	1,00,000.00
	Dr. A. Arun	Travel grant (Rs.1,95,400/-) by Alagappa University under RUSA 2.0 scheme to for visiting the collaborating SPARC PI Institution and to give Invited lecture at Tianjin University, Tianjin, China from 25 th Oct, 2019 to 4 th Nov, 2019	Alagappa University, Karaikudi	1,95,400.00
	Dr. T. Kavitha	Travel grant (Rs.1,00,000/-) by Alagappa University under RUSA 2.0 scheme to present a research paper in International Conference on Recent Trends in Agriculture, Environmental Sustainability & Climate Change 2019 organized by University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on 16 th – 18 th Aug, 2019	Alagappa University, Karaikudi	1,00,000.00
Dept. of Biomedical Sciences	Prof.S. Ravikumar	Award	Indian Association of Applied Microbiologists	Nil
Dept. of Education	Dr.A.Selvan	International Education Excellence Award with Gold Medal	Indian Solidarity Council	Award
	Dr.A.Selvan	Mother Teresa Foundation Award	Friendship Forum	Award

	Dr. K. Govindarajan	Dr. Radhakrishnan Award	Puducherry Tamil Sangam & Kanchipuram Arts Association and Kumara rani Meena Muthaiah Ars and Science College, Tamilnadu	---
Dept. of Phy.Edn.& HS	Dr.D.Maniazhagu	Dr.M.Robson Award, foe young researcher award for Innovative Research in Physical Education.	Physical Education Foundation of India, Newdelhi on 29-09-2019	
	Dr.V.A.Manickam	Best Noble Prize, National Agency	Praba Ilakkiya Pathibagam & Bharathiar Ilakkiya Mandram	
Dept. of LifeLong Learning	Dr.P.Paul Devanesan	International Education Excellence Award with Gold Medal	Indian Solidarity Council	-
	Dr.N.Johnson	Global Goodwill Ambassador	GGA	-
Dept.of Special Edn.&R.Sci.	Dr. J. Sujathamalini	Excellence Award for Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities(2020)	Yellow Cross Volunteer Group	---
AISD	Dr.B.Dharmalingam	Adarsh Vidya Saraswati Rastriya Puraskar	Global Management Council (National Award of Excellence 2019)	Award
Dept. of Logistics Mgt.	Prof.M.Senthil	AMITY EXCELLENCE AWARD for the "Best HoD in the area of Operations Management"	Amity University, Noida	Citation, Certificate
	Dr.V.A.Anand	2 nd Prize Online Yoga Competition	Centre for Yoga education Alagappa University	-
Dept. of International Business	Dr.K.Uthayasuriyan	Excellence in Academic and Administration Award in 2020		-
	Dr.K.Uthayasuriyan	Lifetime Achiever Award for Academic and Administration Excellence in 2020		-
	Dr.K.Uthayasuriyan	Amity Excellence Award for Best Professor in the area of International Business in 2020	Amity University, Jaipur	-
	Dr.S.Gopalsamy	Certificate of Academic Excellence (Excellent contribution to the	EAST (Environmental Advisory for Sustainable Trust)	-

		Society in Management)		
Dept. of Commerce	-	-	-	-
Dept. of Corporate Secretaryship	Dr.C.Vethirajan	Best Doctoral Research Award 2019	Tumakuru, Karnataka	-
	Dr. A. Morarji	Adarsh Vidya Saraswati Rashtriya Puraskar-Best Teacher 2019	Global Management Council, Ahmedabad	-
	Dr.K.Ganesamurthy	Adarsh Vidya Saraswati Rashtriya Puraskar-Best Teacher 2019	Global Management Council, Ahmedabad	-
AUCE	Dr,J.E MERLIN SASIKALA	Young Researcher	IMRF ,August 2019 26th	-
	Dr.M.ParimalaFathima	Teaching and Research Excellence Award 03.02.2019	GRABS Educational Charitable Trust .	
	Dr.M.ParimalaFathima	Best paper award meta cognition : An effective strategy for teaching learning process 26.04.2019-27.04.2019	IMRF Dubai Academic Chapter,Hotel Omega , Bur Dubai,Dubai, UAE	
	Dr.M.Suganthi	Perasiriyarkalammani award – 2019	KaviyarasarKalaitamilsangam, Namakkal	
	Dr.M.Suganthi	TiruvalluvurViruthu	Tamilayvusankamam, Trichy	
	Dr.G.Sivakumar	F632/BSS/2019- Fellow of Bose Science Society.	Bose Science Society	-
	Dr.G.Sivakumar	Dr.A.B.J. ABDULKALAM BEST EDUCATOR AWARD	BOSE Science Society-TNSRO.	
	Dr.G. Rajeswari	Outstanding Woman in the field of Educational Psychology	Venus International Foundation	
DDE	Dr. E. Kannapiran	Distinguished Professor award for	DK International Research Foundation, Perambalur.	-

		the year of 2019		
	Dr.M. Vasimalairaja	GMRAF Awards 2020 – Best Research Supervisor Award	GMRAF Awards- 2020	-
	Dr.P.Kaleeswaran	Faculty Member Appreciation Award-2019		-
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Outstanding Scientist Award	VDGOOD Professional Association,	-
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Leading Educationist of India	DK International Research Foundation DKIRF - 2019	-
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Most Promising journal of Scientific Researcher in Karaikudi	SDF International	-
	Dr.AR.Saravanakumar	Outstanding Achievement	DK International Research Foundation DKIRF - 2019	-
	Dr. P. Rameshthangam	Swayam Achiever	Digital Education cell, Alagappa University, Karaikudi	-
	Dr. P. Rameshthangam	Young Achiever Award	Institute of Scholars, Significant contribution for the publication of Indian Patent	-
	Dr. M. Jothi Basu	Guardian of Tamil Folk and Folk Artists,	Loyola Student Support Services, Loyola College, Chennai and Alternate Media Centre, Chennai.	-
	Dr.S.Malathy	Adarsh Vidya saraswathi Rashtriya Puraskar	Global Management Council, Glacier Journal Research Foundation	-
	Dr.M.Mullai	Best Article Award	Neutrosophic Science International Association(NSIA), University of New Mexico, Maths and Science Department, 705, Gurley Ave, Gallup NM 87301, USA	-
	Dr.S.Subeeena Begum	Distinguished Professor	Arunai International Research Foundation	-

Centre for Tamil Culture	Dr.S.Senthamizhpavai	1. Appreciation for Best Library User Award - 11.11.2019 2.lhf;lu; ,uhjhfpU~;zd; tpUJ	ALU Fkhuhzp kPdh Kj;ijah fiy kw;Wk; mwptpay; fy;Y}hp> GJitj; jkpo;r; rq;fk;> GJr;NrhP	-
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1.12. PERFORMANCE OF SPORTS AND GAMES

SOUTH ZONE & ALL INDIA INTER UNIVERSITY PARTICIPANTS DETAILS 2019-2020

Activity	Level	Participants
11	South Zone	267
5	All India	68

S.NO	Game	Level	No. of Participants
1.	Athletics (Men & Women)	All India	19
2.	Cross Country (Men & Women)	All India	12
3.	Ball Badminton (Men & Women)	All India	20
4.	Boxing (Men)	All India	5
5.	Yoga(Men & Women)	All India	12
6.	Chess (Men & Women)	South Zone	12
7.	Basket Ball(Men and Women)	South Zone	24
8.	Football (Men & Women)	South Zone	40
9.	Badminton (Men & Women)	South Zone	10
10.	Handball (Men & Women)	South Zone	32
11.	Hockey (Men & Women)	South Zone	36
12.	Kabaddi (Men & Women)	South Zone	24
13.	Kho-Kho (Men & Women)	South Zone	24
14.	Table Tennis (Men & Women)	South Zone	10
15.	Volleyball (Men & Women)	South Zone	23
16.	Cricket (Men & Women)	South Zone	32

Sports Activities Organized by Alagappa University

1. Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu- Tamil Nadu State Inter University **Football Men** Tournament 2019-2020.
2. Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu- Tamil Nadu State Inter University **Football women** Tournament 2019-2020.

Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports activities at state level (award for a team event should be counted as one)

Year	Name of the Award/ Medal	State Level Tournament	No.of awards for Sports	Student ID number	Name of the Student
2019-2020	SDAT TamilNadu State Inter University Hockey Women Tournament 2019-2020	SDAT- Sports Developme nt Authority of Tamil Nadu Inter University Tournament	Third Position (Cash Prize: Rs.5000 /- per head)	-	K.VIJAYALAKSHMI N.KARPAGAJOTHI PS.ATHIRA S.ARCHANA B.PRINCIYA T.ABINA PK.AKSHAYA ANAKHA S.NAIR KOCHUTHRESIA M.A.ANIGHA M.P.VARSHINI K.MICHAEL CLARA K.ANUSUYA P.NANTHINI B.SAKTHI M.SARANYA M.ARCHANA DEVI A.DHANALAKSHMI

2019-2020	SDAT Tamil Nadu State Inter University Football Men Tournament 2019-2020	SDAT- Sports Developme nt Authority of Tamil Nadu Inter University Tournament	Third Position (Cash Prize: Rs.5000 /- per head)	-	T.DHEEPAK M.NIWIN VIGNESH M.SHANTHA MUKILAN K.ESHWARAN S.SANTHOSH KUMAR G.PRITHIVIRAJ R.AJITHKUMAR E.VIGNESH K.SUNDHARESWARAN S.NANTHEESWARAN P.JOHNSON N.PRATHEEP T.AJITHBABU A.VALLARASU K.SATHISH S.VEERASEKAR M.SRIDHAR S.AJITHPANDIAN
2019-2020	SDAT Tamil Nadu State Inter University Football Women Tournament 2019-2020	SDAT- Sports Developme nt Authority of Tamil Nadu Inter University Tournament	Fourth Position (Trophy only)		E.BHUVANESHWARI M.KIRTHIKA M.MAHISHA S.PRABHA V.GAYATHRI SARATHAPRIYA KANITHA D.PRINCY M.DIVYA G.MADHUMITHA M.BAVITHRA R.VINITHA R.JEEVITHA K.JENCY K.ANUSUYA C.ISHWARYA PS.CUBA G.MAHESHWARI T.DHANABACKIYAM R.KANMANI

SDAT TOURNAMENTS

S.NO	EVENT	ORGANIZING UNIVERSITY	RESULTS
1	Table Tennis(W)	Alagappa University	3 rd Position
2	Table Tennis(M)	Alagappa University	First Round

3	Hockey(W)	SRM University, Chennai	1 st Position
4	Hockey(M)	SRM University, Chennai	First Round
5	Football(M)	Sathyabama University, Chennai	Quarter Finals
6	Handball(M &W)	SIMATS, Chennai	First Round
7	Badminton (M &W)	TNPES &University, Chennai	First Round
8	Kabaddi (M&W)	Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore	First Round
9	Volleyball (w)	Tamilnadu Veterinary & Animal Science University, Chennai	Pre Quarters
10	Football (W)	Sathyabama University, Chennai	Pre Quarters

**Members of Authorities and Board of Studies covering the period between
June 2018 and May 2019**

2.0.GOVERNANCE

2.1	Chancellor	Hon'ble Shri. BANWARILAL PUROHIT Governor of Tamil Nadu and Chancellor of Alagappa University Raj Bhavan Chennai – 600 022
2.2	Pro-Chancellor	Thiru K.P. ANBALAGAN Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education Government of Tamil Nadu
2.3	Vice-Chancellor	Prof. S. SUBBIAH (upto 04.06.2018) Prof. N. RAJENDRAN (From 05.06.2018)
2.4	Registrar	Prof. H. GURUMALLESH PRABU
2.5	The Senate	List of Members is given separately
2.6	The Syndicate	List of Members is given separately The Syndicate, the executive authority of the University met five times during the academic year as follows: 03.08.2018, 01.11.2018, 03.12.2018, 20.03.2019 and 25.04.2019
2.7	The Planning Board	List of Members is given separately
2.8	Faculties	During 2018-2019, there were four Faculties, viz., Arts, Science, Education and Management
2.9	Board of Studies	The total number of Board of Studies in the University Departments as on 31 st May 2019 was Forty Four (44)
	Broad Based Board of Studies	Broad Based Board of Studies constituted for revising the curriculum on par with Global standard under RUSA phase 2.0 scheme.
2.10	The Standing Committee on Academic Affairs	The Standing Committee on Academic Affairs met on 29.11.2018 during the academic year 2018-2019.

3. UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

3.1 MEMBERS OF THE SYNDICATE

Chairman	Prof. S. Subbiah (Upto 04.06.2018) Vice-Chancellor, Alagappa University Prof. N. Rajendran (From 05.06.2018) Vice-Chancellor, Alagappa University
Class I : Life Member	Dr. (Mrs.) Umayal Ramanathan 1076, Poonamallee High Road Chennai - 600 084
Class II : Ex-Officio Members	The Principal Secretary to Government Higher Education Department Fort St. George Chennai - 600 009
	The Principal Secretary to Government Department of Health and Family Welfare Government of Tamil Nadu Fort St. George Chennai - 600 009
	The Director of Collegiate Education E.V.K. Sampath Building, 9th Floor Government of Tamil Nadu College Road, Nungambakkam Chennai - 600 006
	The Commissioner of Technical Education Government of Tamil Nadu Guindy Chennai - 600 025
	The Director of Medical Education Government of Tamil Nadu 162, E.V.R. Periyar Salai Kilpauk, Chennai - 600 010

<p>Class III : Other Members a) Two members elected by the Senate from among its members</p>	<p>Dr. S.M. Ramasamy (Upto 25.06.2018) (Former Vice-Chancellor, Gandhigram Rural University) Centre for Remote Sensing Bharathidasan University Khajamalai Campus, Tiruchirappalli - 620 024</p>
	<p>Dr. P. Subas Chandra Bose (Upto 12.11.2018) (Former Controller of Examinations, Bharathidasan University) No.15, Banker's Colony Kumaran Nagar Tiruchirappalli – 620 017</p>
<p>b) Three members from among the Academic Experts (Nominated by the Chancellor)</p>	<p>Dr. R. Swaminathan Principal Vidhyaa Giri College of Arts and Science Puduvayal, Sivaganga District.</p>
	<p>Dr. M. Selvam Res.No.8, First Street Ayyanarpuram, Sekkalai Karaikudi – 630 002</p>
	<p>Dr. G. Baskaran, Professor of English, School of English & Foreign Languages, Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram – 624 302</p>

c) One University Professor for ten Departments to be nominated by the Chancellor on the recommendation of the Vice-Chancellor (under Sec.25 (b))	<p>Dr. A. Narayanamoorthy (Upto 20.08.2018) Professor and Head Department of Economics and Rural Development Alagappa University Karaikudi - 630 003</p>
	<p>Dr. K. Gurunathan (Upto 28.02.2019) Professor and Head Department of Nanoscience and Technology Alagappa University Karaikudi - 630 003</p>
	<p>Dr. J. Jeyakanthan (Upto 08.09.2019) Professor and Head Department of Bioinformatics Alagappa University Karaikudi - 630 003</p>
	<p>Dr. T.R.Gurumoorthy (w.e.f. 29.09.2018) Member of the Syndicate Senior Professor and Head Department of Commerce Alagappa University Karaikudi-630 003</p>

3.2 MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

Class I : Ex-Officio Members:		
1	The Chancellor	Hon'ble Shri. BANWARILAL PUROHIT Governor of Tamil Nadu and Chancellor of Alagappa University Raj Bhavan Chennai – 600 022
2	The Pro-Chancellor	Thiru K.P. ANBALAGAN Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education Government of Tamil Nadu
3	The Vice-Chancellor	Prof. S. SUBBIAH (upto 04.06.2018) Prof. N. RAJENDRAN (From 05.06.2018)
4	The Secretary to Government In-charge of Higher Education	The Principal Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department , Fort St. George, Chennai - 600 009
5	The Secretary to Government in-charge of Health and Family Welfare	The Principal Secretary to Government, Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St. George, Chennai - 600 009
6	The Director of Collegiate Education	The Director of Collegiate Education, E.V.K. Sampath Building, 9th Floor, Government of Tamil Nadu, College Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600 006
7	The Director of Technical Education	The Commissioner of Technical Education, Government of Tamil Nadu, Guindy, Chennai - 600 025
8	The Director of Medical Education	The Director of Medical Education, Government of Tamil Nadu, 162, E.V.R. Periyar Salai, Kilpauk, Chennai - 600 010
9	Heads of University Departments of Study and Research	
	Dr. V. Manickavasagam	Dr. S. Kaliyamoorthy

	Head, Department of Corporate Secretaryship	Head, Alagappa Institute of Management
	Dr. S. Karutha Pandian, Head, Department of Biotechnology	Dr. T.R. Gurumoorthy, Head, Department of Commerce
	Dr. G. Paruthimal Kalaignan, Head, Department of Industrial Chemistry	Dr. A. Narayanamoorthy Head, Department of Economics and Rural Development
	Dr. K. Gurunathan, Head, Department of Nanoscience and Technology	Dr. M. Pandi, Head, Department of Tamil
	Dr. E. Ramaraj, Head, Department of Computer Science	Dr. P. Sivakumar, Head, Department of Education (DDE)
	Dr. K. Uthayasuriyan, Head, Department of International Business	Dr. K. Manimekalai, Head, Department of Women's Studies
	Dr. V. Palanisamy, Head, Department of Computer Applications	Dr. M. Senthil, Head, Department of Logistics Management
	Dr. J. Jeyakanthan, Head, Department of Bioinformatics	Dr. G. Jayabal, Head, Department of Banking Management
	Dr. C. Sekar, Head, Department of Bioelectronics and Biosensors	Dr. G. Ravi, Head, Department of Physics
	Dr. C. Stella, Head, Dept. of Oceanography and Coastal Area Studies	Dr. B. Vaseeharan, Head, Department of Animal Health and Management
	Dr. N. Anbazhagan, Head, Department of Mathematics	Dr. K. Balasubramanian, Head, Dept. of Physical Education and Health Sciences
	Dr. K.R. Murugan, Head, Department of Social Work	Dr. S. Thanuskodi, Head, Dept. of Library and Information Science
	Dr. P. Paul Devanesan, Head, Department of Lifelong Learning	Dr. S. Karuppuchamy Head, Department of Energy Science
	Dr. A. Thirunavukkarasu Librarian, Central Library	Dr. M. Sundar, Principal, Alagappa University College of Physical Education

10.	Members of the Syndicate who are not otherwise members of the Senate	Dr. (Mrs.) Umayal Ramanathan, 1076, Poonamallee High Road, Chennai – 600 084
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Class II : Other Members

1.	One member elected by the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly	Thiru S. Mariappan Kennady, M.L.A., 101/B, Maravar Street, Melkarai, Manamadurai Post and Taluk, Sivaganga District.
2.	To represent the Research Institutions of National Importance (Nominated by the Chancellor)	<p>Dr. Suresh Kumar Rayala, (Upto 25.06.2018) Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, Room No. BT 306, Chennai - 600 036</p> <p>Dr. Vijayamohanan K. Pillai, (Upto 25.06.2018) Director, Central Electro Chemical Research Institute (CECRI), Karaikudi - 630 006</p>
		<p>Dr. A. Shivashanmugam, (w.e.f.27.09.2018) Chief Scientist, Electrochemical Power Systems Division, Central Electro Chemical Research Institute (CECRI), Karaikudi - 630 006.</p> <p>Dr. P. Periasamy, (w.e.f.27.09.2018) Chief Scientist, HOD, Electrochemical Power Systems Division, Central Electro Chemical Research Institute (CECRI), Karaikudi - 630 006.</p>

3.	To represent Academic Experts (Nominated by the Chancellor)	<p>Dr. S.M. Ramasamy, (Upto 25.06.2018) (Former Vice-Chancellor, Gandhigram Rural University), Centre for Remote Sensing, Bharathidasan University, Khajamalai Campus, Tiruchirappalli - 620 024</p>
		<p>Dr. M.S. Deenadayalan (Upto 25.06.2018) Professor and Head P.G. & Research Department of Chemistry Research Centre for Energy and Environment, Research Supervisor G.T.N. Arts College, Dindigul-5</p>
		<p>Dr. M. Chidambaram, (w.e.f.27.09.2018) Associate Professor, Centre for Tamil Research, Alagappa Government Arts College, Karaikudi – 630 003.</p>
		<p>Dr. S. Ganesan, (w.e.f.27.09.2018) (Assistant Professor and Head, Government Arts College, Sivagangai) Res: 1-217/17 Malligai Malar, Meenakshi Amman Nagar East, Surya Nagar K -Pudur, Madurai – 625017.</p>

4.	Three members nominated by the Pro-Chancellor	Dr. V. Sethuramalingam, (Upto 12.11.2018) Professor, Department of Social Work, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli - 620 023
		Dr. G.V. Uma, (Upto 12.11.2018) Controller of Examinations, Anna University, Chennai - 600 022
		Dr. P. Subas Chandra Bose, (Upto 12.11.2018) Former Controller of Examinations, Bharathidasan University, No.15, Bankers' Colony, Kumaran Nagar, Tiruchirappalli-620 017

3.3 STANDING COMMITTEE ON ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

1	Class I - Ex-Officio Members	The Director of Collegiate Education, E.V.K. Sampath Building, 9th Floor, Government of Tamil Nadu, College Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600 006
		The Commissioner of Technical Education, Government of Tamil Nadu, Guindy, Chennai - 600 025
		The Director of Medical Education, Government of Tamil Nadu, 162, E.V.R. Periyar Salai, Kilpauk, Chennai - 600 010
		All Heads of University Departments
2	Class II – Other Members (Two members nominated by the Vice-Chancellor)	Dr.M.Ramesh, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.
		Dr.K.Pandimadevi, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.

3.4. MEMBERS OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman:

Prof. S. Subbiah (Upto 04.06.2018)
Vice-Chancellor
Alagappa University

Prof. N. Rajendran (From 05.06.2018)
Vice-Chancellor
Alagappa University

Members:

The Secretary to Government
Finance Department
Fort St. George
Chennai - 600 009

The Principal Secretary to Government
Higher Education Department
Fort St. George
Chennai - 600 009

Dr. A. Narayanamoorthy
(Upto 20.08.2018)
Professor and Head
Department of Economics and Rural Development
Alagappa University
Karaikudi-630 003

Dr. P. Subas Chandra Bose
(Upto 12.11.2018)
(Former Controller of Examinations,
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No.15, Banker's Colony
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Dr. S.M. Ramasamy,
(Upto 25.06.2018)
(Former Vice-Chancellor,
Gandhigram Rural Institute (Deemed University)),
Distinguished Professor,
Alagappa University,
Karaikudi.

Dr. J. Jeyakanthan
Professor and Head

Department of Bioinformatics
Alagappa University
Karaikudi - 630 003

Dr. K. Gurunathan,
(Upto 28.02.2019)
Professor and Head,
Department of Nanoscience & Technology,
Alagappa University,
Karaikudi

Dr. R. Swaminathan
(w.e.f. 03.12.2018)
Principal
Vidhyaa Giri College of Arts and Science
Puduvayal, Sivaganga District.

Dr. T.R.Gurumoorthy
(w.e.f. 20.03.2019)
Senior Professor and Head
Department of Commerce
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Ex-officio Secretary:

Dr. T.R. Gurumoorthy (w.e.f. 1.3.2018 to 03.10.2018)
Finance Officer i/c.
Alagappa University
Karaikudi

Dr. V. Balachandran (w.e.f. 04.10.2018)
Finance Officer i/c.
Alagappa University
Karaikudi

3.5. PLANNING BOARD MEMBERS (w.e.f. 15.12.2018)

1. Dr. R. Sevel
(Associate Professor and Head (Retd.)
PG & Research Department of Chemistry,
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639, Karpaga Nagar
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2. Dr. S. Raja
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4. Thiru Ramamoorthy Balakrishnan
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5. Thiru Rajendran Palaniswami
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6. Dr. T. Rajasekar
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7. Dr. S. David Amirtha Rajan
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PG & Research Department of Commerce,
The American College)
“REHOBOTH”, 5-7-2/50, Seethalakshmi Nagar
Kalai Nagar West, Madurai – 625 017

3.6. BOARD OF STUDIES

Broad Based Board of Studies for the University Departments

S.NO	Name of the Department	List of BOS	Reconstitution Date
1.	Department of Tamil	M.A., Tamil	04.05.2019
2.	Department of English and Foreign Languages	M.A., English	04.05.2019
3.	Department of Fine Arts	BFA (Painting), BPA (Music), BPA (Bharathanatyam), MPA (Music), MPA (Bharathanatyam)	13.05.2019
4.	Department of Women Studies	M.A., (Gender Studies), M.A., Integrated Home Science	25.03.2019 & 13.05.2019
5.	Department of Social Work	M.S.W., (Social Work)	17.05.2019
6.	Department of Economics and Rural Development	M.A., Economics	18.03.2019
7.	Department of History	M.A., History	04.05.2019
8.	Department of Library and Information Science	M.Lib.I.Sc	25.03.2019
9.	Department of Politics and Public Administration	M.A., Public Administration	04.12.2019
10.	Department of Journalism and Mass Communication	M.A., Journalism and Mass communication	24.06.2019
11.	Department of Theatre and Film studies	M.A., Theatre and Film Studies	25.06.2019
12.	Department of Mathematics	M.Sc., Maths	28.03.2019
13.	Department of Physics	M.Sc., Physics	05.03.2019
14.	Department of Bioelectronics and Biosensors	M.Sc., Material Science	28.11.2019
15.	Department of Industrial Chemistry	M.Sc., Chemistry	06.03.2019
16.	Department of Nanoscience and Technology	M.Sc., Nanoscience, M.Sc., Chemistry (specialization Nanoscience & Technology)	13.05.2019 & 15.05.2019
17.	Department of Energy Science	M.Sc Energy Science	05.04.2019
18.	Department of Computer Science	M.Sc., Computer Science	04.05.2019
19.	Department of Computer Application	M.C.A	22.04.2019
20.	Department of Computational Logistics	M.Sc (Information Technology)	05.04.2019
21.	Department of Biotechnology	M.Sc., Biotechnology	05.04.2019
22.	Department of Animal Health and Management	M.Sc., Zoology	05.04.2019
23.	Department of Bioinformatics	M.Sc., Bioinformatics	06.05.2019

24.	Department of Botany	M.Sc., Botany	05.04.2019
25.	Department of Microbiology	M.Sc., Microbiology	08.03.2019
26.	Department of Biomedical Sciences	M.Sc., Biomedical Science	02.05.2019
27.	Department of Oceanography and Coastal Area Studies	M.Sc., Oceanography and Coastal Area Studies, M.Sc., Marine Biology (5 years Integrated)	13.05.2019
28.	Department of Geology	M.Sc., Applied Geology	31.05.2019
29.	Department of Fisheries Science	M.Sc., Fishery Science	13.05.2019
30.	Alagappa Institute of Management	M.B.A., General	18.03.2019
31.	Department of Logistics Management	M.B.A., Logistics Management	17.05.2019
32.	Department of International Business	M.B.A., International Business	23.04.2019
33.	Department of Commerce	M.Com	13.05.2019
34.	Department of Corporate Secretaryship	M.B.A., Corporate Secretaryship	23.05.2019
35.	Department of Banking Management	M.B.A., Banking and Insurance	31.05.2019
36.	Department of Tourism and Hotel Management	B.Sc., Catering Science & Hotel Management, MBA., Tourism Management	13.05.2019
37.	Department of Disaster Management	M.B.A., Disaster Management	27.09.2019
38.	Department of Education	M.Ed., Education	04.05.2019
39.	Alagappa University College of Education	B.Ed., M.Ed., Education	13.06.2019
40.	Department of Physical Education and Health Sciences	M.Sc., Yoga	24.06.2019
41.	Alagappa University College of Physical Education	B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed., B.Sc., Physical Education	24.06.2019
42.	Department of Special Education and Rehabilitation Science	B.Ed Special Education & Visual Impairment B.Ed., Special Education & Mental Retardation M.Ed., Special Education & Visual Impairment M.SC., Applied Psychology	17.05.2019
43.	Alagappa Institute of Skill Development	B.Voc., Fashion Technology, B.Voc., Software Development, M.Voc., Fashion Technology, M.Voc., Software Development	13.05.2019
44.	Centre for Yoga Education	B.Sc., Yoga	29.11.2019

Board of Studies in M.A., Tamil

S. No.	Name and Address of the Member	Designation
1.	Dr. S. Rajaram, Professor & Head, Department of Tamil, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9442815567 Email.id: rajarams@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Chairperson / Convener
3.	Mr. M. Natesan, Associate Professor, Department of Tamil,Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9787828284 natesanm@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
4.	Dr. M.Sutha, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil,Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9524118573 sutham@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
5.	Dr. C. Suresh, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil,Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9942207600 sureshc@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
6.	Dr. R. Araventhana, Professor and Head, Department of Tamil, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. Mobile No:9013350496 aravendan66@gmail.com	Subject Expert
7.	Prof. Dr. M. Tamilmaran, Professor and Head, Department of Tamil, Periyar University, Salem. Mobile No:9486741793 Mtamilmaran1960@gmail.com	Subject Expert
8.	Dr.Pon Sasikumar, Teaching Fellow, Asian Languages and Cultures Academic Group National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. Mobile No:0065 98549494 Sasikumar.p@nie.edu.sg	Foreign Subject Expert
9.	Dr. Andal Priyadharshini, Director, TV Station,	Co-opted Member from the Industry

	Programme Director, TV Station,Puducherry. Mobile No:9444017044 ddkpondy@gmail.com	
10.	Prof. Dr. S. Chidamparam, Faculty of Tamil, Gandhigirama Gram University Gandhigiram,Dindugul. Mobile No:9843295951 mudalvaa@gmail.com	Student Alumni

Board of Studies in M.A., English

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1.	Dr.P.Madhan, Associate Professor and Head i/c, Department of English and Foreign Language, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Mobile No:7339276791 madhanp@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Chairperson / Convener
2.	Dr.S.Valliammai, Assistant Professor, Department of English and Foreign Language, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Mobile No:9600328600 valliammais@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
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4.	Dr.SP.M.Kanimozhi, Assistant Professor, Department of English and Foreign Language, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Mobile No:9442969404 kanimozhism@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
5.	Dr.S.Sudha, Assistant Professor, Department of English and Foreign Language, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Mobile No:9944762183 sudhas@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
6.	Dr.S.Chelliah, Professor and Head,	Subject Expert

	Department of English, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai Ph:9442621106 schelliah62@gmail.com	
7.	Dr.C.Issac Jebastine, Professor, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Bharathidasan University, Trichy Ph:9443409271 isaac_jebastine@yahoo.co.in	Subject Expert
8.	Dr.Anitha Devi Pillai, Assistant Professor, English Language and Literature Academic Group, National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University (NIE/NTU), Nanyang Walk, Singapore. Ph: 0065-67903393 anitha.pillai@nie.edu.sg	Foreign Subject Expert
9.	Dr.G.Rajeshkumar, Assistant Professor, Department of English (DDE), Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai. Ph:9790119790 Lukesh21kumar@gmail.com	Student Alumni
10.	Prof.K.Chellappan, Former Professor and Head, Department of English, Bharathidasan University, Trichy. Ph:9380532522	Special Invitee
11.	Dr.P.Marudanayagam, Fellow Central Institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai. Ph:9442787727	Special Invitee

Department of Fine arts

S. No.	Name and Address of the Member	Designation
1.	Dr.S.Senthamizh Pavai Professor & Head i/c Department of Fine arts, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Mobile No:9486550725 Email.id: spavais@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Chairperson / Convener
2.	Dr. M. Sarala, Academic Co-ordinator Department of Fine arts, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.	Member

3.	Dr. J. Sankar Ganesh Assistant Professor (Music) Department of Performing Arts Sri Venkateswara University Tirupati	Subject Expert
4.	Sr. M. Subbiah Assistant Professor (Folk Dance & Music) Department of Performing Arts school of Performing Arts Pondicherry University, Pondicherry.	Subject Expert
5.	Dr. S. K. Rajasekaran Associate Professor (Painting) Anna University Chennai	Subject Expert
6.	Dr. Ushanthy Nesakanthan Senior Lecturer, (Bharathanatyam) Department of Dance, Drama & Theatre Swami Vipulananda Institute of Aesthetic Studies, Eastern University Kallady, Srilanka	Foreign Subject Expert
7.	Dr. Virgine Jasica Antonet (Bharathanatyam) Jasica dance house, Horamavu, Bangalore.	Co-opted Member from the Industry
8.	Mr. R. Robinson (Painting) Aerovative Technologie, Kozhikode, Kerala.	Co-opted Member from the Industry
9.	Dr. M.S. Kanagathara, Teaching Assistant, Department of Fine Arts, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No: 8825501082	Student Alumni

Board of Studies in M.A Integrated Home Science

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14.	Dr.T.P.Yokesh, Assistant Professor, Alagappa University College of Physical Education, Karaikudi. Ph:9965401718 yokeshtp@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
15.	Dr.K.P. Manoj, Professor, Assistant Director, University of Calicut,Kerala, India. Ph:91-494240750 drkpmanoj@gmail.com	Subject Expert
16.	Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Department of Physical Education, Osmania University, Hyderabad, Telangana-500 007,India. Ph:09849112367 Drvsn.sport@gmail.com	Subject Expert
17.	Dr.Victor Selvarajah A/L Selvanayagam, Centre for Sports and Exercise Sciences, Senior Lecturer, University of Malaya Ph:03 79672485 victors@um.edu.my	Foreign Subject Expert
18.	Prof. Dr. R. Thirumalai Samy, Former Vice Chancellor, Sports University, Chennai.	Co-opted Member from the Industry
19.	Dr.N. Srinivasan, Assistant Professor, Maruthi College of Physical Education, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India	Student Alumni
20.	Dr. P.Paul Devanesan, Dean, Faculty of Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.	Special Invitee

**Board of Studies in B.Ed Special Education (Visual Impairment),
M.Ed., Special Education(Visual Impairment), B.Ed., Special
Education (Mental Retardation) and M.Sc Applied Psychology**

S. No.	Name and Address of the Member	Designation
1.	Dr. J. Sujathamalini, Associate Professor & Head i/c, Department of Special Education and Rehabilitation Science, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Ph:9894960171 smalinij@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Chairperson / Convener
2.	Dr. K. Gunasekaran, Assistant Professor,	Member

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3.	<p>Dr. R. Ranganathan, Professor, Department of Special Education, Andhra University, Vishkhapatnam. Ph:Ph:0891-2844131/2844325 santha_rang@yahoo.co.in</p>	<p>Subject Expert (Visual Impairment)</p>
4.	<p>Dr. Jayanthi Pujari, Professor, Amity Institute of Rehabilitation Science Amity University, Noida Campus, Sector-125, Noida-201313(U.P) Ph:0120-4586898, 09871003519</p>	<p>Subject Expert (Mental Retardation & Psychology)</p>
5.	<p>Dr. K.P. Meera, Professor, Department of Education, University of Calicut, Kerala. meera_jayaprakash@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Subject Expert (Pedagogy)</p>
6.	<p>Dr. Robert Urban, Department of Personality and Health Psychology, Edvos Lorard University, Hungary</p>	<p>Foreign Subject Expert</p>
7.	<p>Mr. G. Ramesh, Principal, Chettinad Public School, Managiri, Karaikudi Ph:9442350444 g.r.ramesh@hotmail.com</p>	<p>Co-opted Member from the Industry (Expert in School Placement Level)</p>
8.	<p>Dr. Bala Baskar, Assistant Professor, National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities, Muttukadu, Chennai. Ph:09382934157 baskarcherry@gmail.com</p>	<p>Co-opted Member from the Industry (Expert in Teacher Education Level)</p>
9.	<p>Mr. P. Prabhu, M.Ed Scholar2015-17 Batch</p>	<p>Student Alumni</p>

**Board of Studies in B.Voc., Fashion Technology, B.Voc., Software Development,
M.Voc., Fashion Technology, M.Voc., Software Development**

S. No.	Name and Address of the Member	Designation
1.	Dr.G.IIankumaran, Assistant Professor & Director i/c, Alagappa Institute of Skill Development, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9600371511 Email.id: ilankumarang@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Chairperson / Convener
2.	Dr. G. Mahesh, Assistant Professor (Fashion Technology), Alagappa Institute of Skill Development, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.	Member
3.	Dr. C. Balakrishnan Assistant Professor (Software Development), Alagappa Institute of Skill Development, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.	Member
4.	Dr. J. Hayavadana, Professor & Head, Department of Textile Technology, Osmania University, Amberpet, Hyderabad, Telangana-500007.	Subject Expert (Fashion Technology)
5.	Dr. K. Sangeetha, Professor & Head, Department of Textiles and Apparel Design, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore-641046	Subject Expert (Fashion Technology)
6.	Dr. S. Nickolas, Associate Professor in Computer Application, National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.	Subject Expert (Software Development)
7.	Dr. D. Muhammad Noorul Mubarak, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, University of Kerala,Senate House Campus, Palayam, Thiruvananthapuram-34, Kerala	Subject Expert (Software Development)

8.	Dr. Anand Bhojan, Senior Faculty, Department of Computer Science, National University of Singapore, Singapore. Ph:0065 65167351 bhojan@comp.nus.edu.sg	Foreign Subject Expert
9.	Dr. K. J. Sivagnanam, Head-Skill Development Initiatives, NIFT TEA, Mudalipalayam, Tirupur-641 606	Co-opted Member from the Industry (Fashion Technology)
10.	Mr. A. Arockia Arulnathan, Senior Automation Developer, K7 Computing Pvt. Ltd, Chennai	Co-opted Member from the Industry (Software Development)
11.	Dr. KM. Pachiyappan, Head, Department of Costume Design & Fashion, PSG College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore-14	Special Invitee (Fashion Technology)
12.	Dr. A. Senthilrajan, Professor & Director, Department of Computational Logistics, Alagappa University, Karaikudi Ph:9443192176 senthilrajana@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Special Invitee (Software Development)
13.	Ms. J. Jenita Mary, No.3/436, Vairavapuram 3 rd Street, Karaikudi	Student Alumini
14.	Prof. S. Rajaram, Professor, Department of Tamil & Head i/c, Department of Fine Arts, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9442815567 Email.id: rajarams@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Special Invitee
15.	Dr. P.Madhan, Associate Professor & Head i/c, Department of English & Foreign Languages, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9698142675 Email.id: madhanp@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Special Invitee

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16.	Dr. T.R. Gurumoorthy, Senior Professor & Head, Department of Commerce, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Mobile No:9442043535 Email.id: trgmoorthy@alagappauniversity.ac.in kirthigurum@yahoo.co.in	Special Invitee

Board of Studies in B.Sc., Yoga

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2.	Dr.P.Yoga, Deputy Co-ordinator, Centre for Yoga Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Ph:7373632007 yogap@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
3.	Dr.S.Dhanaraj, Assistant Professor, Centre for Yoga Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Ph:8903453517 dhanarajs@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Member
4.	Dr.R.Elangovan, (Former Professor & Head Department of Yoga, TNPE&SU,Chennai) Professor and Head, Department of Yoga Science and Therapy, Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, K.K.Nagar, Chennai - 78. Cell: 9443121920	Member
5.	Dr.Puneeth Raghavendra (BNYS,MD Yoga), Assistant Professor & Deputy Director, Swami Vivekananda Yoga Anusandhana Samsthana, S-VYASA, (Deemed to be University), Jigni, Bengaluru, Karnataka. Cell: 9901722763	Member
6.	Dr.K.Venkatachalapathy,	Member

	Assistant Professor, Centre for Yoga Studies, Annamalai University, Chidambaram. TamilNadu. Cell: 9944118491	
7.	Dr.M.Senthilkumar, Head of the Department, Physical Education Sports and Science, SRMIST, Kattankulathur 603203, Kanchepuram District, Chennai. Cell: 9940418484	Member
8.	Dr.R.Senthil Kumaran, Director-Sports, Directorate of Physical Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Cell: 9952222253 senthilkumarar@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Special Invitee
9.	Dr.M. Sundar, Principal, Alagappa University College of Physical Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi. Cell: 9486959185 sundarm@alagappauniversity.ac.in	Special Invitee

3.7. Administrative and Technical Staff in the University as on 31.05.2020

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Deputy Registrars	Dr. M. Jayabharathi
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	Mr. M. Balasubramaniam
	Mr. S. Sekaran (DR cum LO) (U)
	Mr. S. Sornamoorthy
Deputy Directors	Mr. S. Gopalakrishnan
	Dr. N. Rajakumar Mr. Pari Raman Palani (U)
Assistant Registrars (U)	Mr. Durai. Selvam
	Mrs. SP. Geetha
	Mr. K. Karuppiah
	Mrs. B. Lakshmi
	Mr. P. Manickam
	Mr. P. Sivasankaran
	Mrs. K. Alamelu (U)
	Mrs. T. Kamalambal (U)
Superintendents	Mrs. V. Jeyamangalam (U)
	Mr. R. Ganesan
	Mrs. C. Meena
	Mrs. S. Alagu
	Mr. P. Chinniah
	Mr. K. Subramanian
	Mr. M. Murugesan
	Mrs. S. Premadevi
	Mrs. N. Chitra
	Dr. B. Jayamala
	Mr. N. Karthikeyan
	Mr. S. Mohandoss
	Mrs. SP. Pappathi
Mrs. R. Padmavathi – AR (U)	
Mr. R. Pandi – AR (u)	
Assistant Executive Engineer	Er. B. Seetharam Ragupathy
Assistant Engineer	Er. A. Jeyashree
Junior Engineers	Er. P. Govindarajan
	Er. K. Balamurugan
Master Technician	Dr. R. Ravichandran
	Mrs. Sangeetha Vidhya

	Dr. C. Sumathi
	Mr. M. Thayanithi
	Mrs. P. Vasumathi
System Programmer & Engineer	Dr. S. Rajagopalan, Sr. Sys. Engineer (U)
	Dr. R. Ramesh Babu, Sr. Sys. Engineer (U)
	Mr. K. Anbazhagan, Sr. Sys. Programmer
	Mrs. S. Maheswari, System Programmer
	Mr. C. Pandimuthu, System Programmer
	Mrs. G. Shanthi, System Programmer
	Mr. S. Sathish, System Programmer

4. CITIZEN'S CHARTER

The Citizens including Students, Parents, Management and others are to be bestowed with the following rights, which shall be ensured by the University.

A. Right to Information

On various Courses of Study:- Institutions offering the courses, availability of seats/vacancies, admission procedures, fee particulars, facilities available for the courses etc.

On academic calendar indicating the dates of various academic activities. On Syllabi, Regulations, objectives of different Courses of Study, Job/Career prospects, scope for further study etc.

On course equivalence and eligibility for the purpose of inter-university, inter-state and international mobility for further studies / employment. For transparency in regulations / procedures of all areas of administration with little room for discretionary and discriminatory practices.

II. Right to Access

The University and its Constituent Colleges shall lay down clear and specific norms / procedures for admission to various courses of study and strictly adhere to the specified norms / procedures without any individual discrimination.

Any candidate subject to the fulfillment of the prescribed norms/ procedures, shall have right to admission without any personal discrimination.

Any student shall have right to access to campus facilities such as library, computation facility, hostels, playgrounds etc. without any personal discrimination.

III. Right to response

Any letter requesting for information / clarification/ certificates etc. shall be duly acknowledged and attended to within the prescribed time limit.

Every letter shall be replied to or acknowledged, if it is under consideration, within a maximum time limit of 15 days from the receipt of the same by the University. On urgent / emergency requests, action shall be taken expeditiously.

Request form Marks statement, Provisional Certificates and Degree Certificates shall be responded within a month from the declaration of examination results or the conduct of Convocation as the case may be.

Request for admission norms, vacancy position, syllabi / regulations, eligibility and Migration Certificates, course equivalence certificate etc. shall be responded within a fortnight.

IV. Right to Redressal of Grievance

Any grievance regarding matters pertaining to admission, conduct of course, examination and others incidental to educational administration shall be got redressed within a prescribed time-limit

V. Right to Quality of Service

Right to insist on the quality of education, regularity in the conduct of classes, proper examination system, the quality and relevance of syllabi and proper campus facilities conducive for academic work.

The University / Colleges shall have the duty to provide facilities for ensuring quality and value based education.

The University shall have the duty to monitor and ensure quality of education in its Departments and the Constituent Colleges.

5. EXAMINATION

Due to COVID-19 pandemic, the Examinations for the University Departments, Affiliated Colleges and Distance Education programmes were not conducted during the May – June 2020.

6. CONVOCATION

The Thirty Second Convocation of Alagappa University was held on 1st October 2019. The Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu and Chancellor of Alagappa University Shri Banwarilal Purohit conferred degrees and presented medals to 325 graduates in person which includes 169 Ph.Ds, 1 D.Sc., and 155 Rankholders. A total of 26,808 candidates received their degrees in person and in-absentia.

A Renowned Cardiologist, Devoted medical teacher and Productive clinical researcher, Dr. J.S. Satyanarayana Murthy delivered convocation address.

7. CENTRAL LIBRARY

The University has modernized the learning resources for providing quality education. The University Library system has been modernized and strengthened at a cost of Rs.175 lakhs during 2016-17. The Central Library and four Faculty Libraries have been automated with a new state-of-the-art, web-based Library system with Radio Frequency Identification Device (RFID) interface for security and service. High-end servers, 40 numbers of latest computer terminals, printers, UPS backups, self-checkout kiosks and drop-box for circulation of books, information kiosks, CCTV surveillance, multifunction copiers, ergonomically designed furniture, air-conditioners, audio and video equipment have been added. A modern Seminar Hall with a Server Room, a Property Room, a Help-desk, a status of Goddess Saraswathi have been established. 1002 e-books worth Rs.16.70 lakhs have been added in addition to other conventional reading resources during the year 2017-18.

Besides, Faculty Library in four faculties, viz. Faculties of Arts, Science, Education and Management of the University, have been created for easy access to the students. The Library has emerged as a Knowledge Learning Resource Centre, mainly catering to the information needs of the Faculty, Research Scholars and Students of the University. The Library is open throughout the year from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m excepts Sundays and Government Holidays. Now, the library is housed with nearly one lakh of Reference and Reading books and subscribed with about 150 International and National journals.

Library Services

1. Reference
2. Online Information Service
3. Journals (Subscribed for both physical and online)
4. Theses (online browsing through INFLIBNET)
5. Photocopying
6. Net corner

8. PUBLICATION DIVISION

Publication Officer is appointed to run the Publication Division of Alagappa University. This Publication division undertook the following activities:

1. Publication of quarterly multi-colour Newsletter, 'AZHALU'
2. Printing of Calendar and Prospectus
3. Publication of Dr. Alagappar Book in Hindi, French version of "Alagappar – the Beautiful Mind" written by Mr. Ramanathan Vairavan
4. Publication of Dr. Alagappar – A Living Legend – in English
5. Preparation and publication of Welcome Address, Chief Guest address during the Convocation
6. Other books

9. HOSTELS

Three P.G. Hostels are available for men with an intake capacity of 542 students. Four P.G. Hostels are available for women with an intake capacity of 766 students. All the hostels are provided with:

- Adequate Exhaust and Air vents in Toilets
- Using modernized cleaning Equipment
- Maintenance – two times in a day
- Modernized and purified quality water supply and sufficient storage capacity for water
- Safe handling and storage of chemicals

Note: 1. PG Men's Hostels – 2 Nos. (i. PG hostel for Men, ii. M.A. hostel for Research scholars)
2. PG Women's Hostels – 4 Nos. (PG hostels for women – i. Visalakshi Hostel, ii. Umayal Hostel, iii. Vallal Alagappan Hostel and iv. Research Scholars hostel)
3. Science Campus Women's Hostels - 3 Nos. (i. Lotus Hostel, ii. Rose Hostel and iii. Jasmine Hostel)
4. AUCPE Men Hostel - 3 Nos. (i. PG Men's Hostels (2), ii. Research Scholar Hostel)
5. AUCPE Women hostel – 1 No.
6. Thondi Hostels – 2 Nos. (i. Hostel for Men ii. Hostel for Women)

10. MEDICAL CARE CENTRE

The University Medical Care Centre is functioning in the new Building amidst the Students' hostel area. The Students, Scholars, Teaching staff and Administrative staff of the Alagappa University visit the centre for various ailments like Diabetics, Hyper Tension, Heart Disease, Fever etc., The Medical Care Center also provides Medications for the employees for various diseases and is managed by a Medical Officer.

11. SPECIAL CELL FOR THE WELFARE OF SC/ST

The Special Cell for the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes was set up in the University main administrative building as per the suggestion of the University Grants Commission with an approval of the Syndicate.

12. INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell at Alagappa University was constituted on 12-03-2005. The purposes of the IQAC are to ensure continuous improvement in the entire operations of the institution, and to assure stakeholders connected with higher education – namely, students, parents, teachers, staff, would-be employers, funding

agencies and society in general – or the accountability of the institution for its own quality and probity.

MEMBERS OF IQAC

S.No.	Name of the Member	Position
1	Prof. N. Rajendran, Vice-Chancellor, Alagappa University	Chairperson
2	Dr. H. Gurumallesh Prabu , Registrar.	Member
3	Dr. K. Uthayasuriyan, Controller of Examinations i/c	Member
4	Dr.. S. Chandramohan, , Finance Officer i/c	Member
5	Dr. A. Veera Ravi, SO (Planning & Development)	Member
6	Dr. K.R. Murugan, Dean of Arts	Member
7	Dr. K. Sankaranarayanan, Dean of Science	Member
8	Dr. P. Paul Devanesan, Dean of Education	Member
9	Dr. G. Ravi, Dean of Industry and Consultancy	Member
10	Dr. C. Sekar, Dean of Research	Member
11	E. Kannapiran Dean i/c, CDC	Member
12	Dr. M. Selvam, Syndicate Member, Alagappa University	Member
13	Dr. N. Kalaiselvi, Director, CECRI, Karaikudi	Member
14	Dr. K. Balakrishnan, Chairman, Jan Shikshan Sansthan, Kundrakudi	Member
15	Ms. B.C. Muthubharathi, Research Scholar, Dept. of Biotechnology	Member
16	Ms. D. Bharathi, Research Scholar, Dept. of Social Work	Member
17	Dr. D. Bakkiyaraj, Senior Scientist, Bio Pharma Division, Appasamy Ocular devices Pvt Ltd, Chennai	Member
18	Mr. C.V. Madhusudhanan, Practicing Company secretary in KSR &Co, Company Secretaries LLP, Coimbatore	Member
19	Dr. Krishnan Venkateswaran, Chief Scientist, Research & Technology Innovation ITC Limited, Life Sciences &	Member

	Technology Centre, Bengaluru	
20	Dr. P.M. Murali, Chairman of Jananom Private Ltd., Bengaluru	Member

1. Orienting and motivating Members of the Staff for applying for projects with external funding agencies of all types. Orient the faculty members to promote the external collaborative research projects, collaborative publications and Consultancy works.
2. Quality Research is given a thrust with measures like quality publications, orientation in writing Research Papers, Workshops on Quantitative and qualitative Research Methodologies, etc.
3. The Recently introduced Innovative Practice, **ACT NExT**, Six Nobel Prize Talks on the Nobel Awards organized inviting reputed research scientists/experts from relevant disciplines, involving as many students/scholars/faculty as possible from all/relevant faculty departments. This is being practiced every year since 2016.
4. Supported the University in Preparing the details / data for NIRF Ranking every year, QS Ranking (QS India Ranking, QS BRICS Ranking and QS ASIA Ranking), Swasthra Ranking status every year.
5. The Academic Audit sensitized the Faculty members and Departments to remain more committed in terms of Research/Patents/Publications.
6. The faculty members of Affiliated Colleges encouraged to apply for extra-mural funded research projects as well generate own-resources from their college management/ students/faculty/private bodies for funding research.
7. Facilitates the affiliated colleges to go for NAAC Accreditation / Re-Accreditation by providing suitable in-puts in consolidating the quantifiable quality indicators.
8. Arrange to file the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) to the NAAC office.

12. FINANCE

i. Grants From State Government:

The University has received the following grants during the year 2019-20:

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| i) Block Grant | : | 6,26,19,000 |
| ii) Other Grants | : | 15,44,75,111 |

ii .Government Scholarship

693 students belonging to SC / ST were given Post Matric On-line Scholarship through the Department of Adi Dravidar Welfare office to the tune of Rs.91.27 lakhs and 2131 students belonging to BC / MBC / DNC were given Post Matric On-line

Scholarship through the Department of Backward Class & Minority Welfare office to the tune of Rs. 133.83 lakhs.

PART - I
SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS (GENERAL FUND) 2019-20

Sl. No.	Heads of Account	Actual 2018-19 (Rs.)	Budget Estimate 2019-2020 (Rs.)	Revised Estimate 2019-2020 (Rs.)	Actual 2019-20 (Rs.)
	a. GENERAL				
I.	Grants				
	Block Grant	6,26,19,000.00	6,26,19,000.00	6,26,19,000.00	6,26,19,000.00
	Other Grants	14,38,44,246.00	15,86,18,900.00	15,44,75,200.00	15,44,75,111.00
II	Fee from Students				
	Academic Fees	5,04,60,023.10	4,30,86,100.00	4,34,10,300.00	4,27,44,790.86
	Examination Fees (including Affiliated colleges Exam. Fee)	8,89,10,606.50	7,25,00,000.00	8,76,00,000.00	8,46,42,822.50
	Ph.D. fees	1,66,62,157.00	1,42,90,000.00	1,77,99,600.00	2,09,21,698.00
III	Income from Land and Buildings	69,79,911.00	58,29,900.00	69,37,800.00	60,53,231.00
IV	Contribution / Transfer from DDE receipts	5,35,990.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
V. A	Miscellaneous RECEIPTS	98,08,348.32	1,15,96,500.00	1,10,42,000.00	99,14,737.99
V.B.	Income from Affiliated Colleges	1,17,72,276.00	1,03,19,000.00	97,90,000.00	97,45,638.87
	TOTAL	39,15,92,557.92	37,88,59,400.00	39,36,73,900.00	39,11,17,030.22
	B. Deposit	58,80,677.00	6,30,000.00	13,50,000.00	20,53,809.30
	C. Advance	2,44,16,794.00	3,44,01,000.00	4,05,82,500.00	3,17,86,308.00
	D. Transfer of Fund	26,11,98,762.00	23,00,00,000.00	27,80,00,000.00	28,48,43,568.00
	Grand Total	68,30,88,790.92	64,38,90,400.00	71,36,06,400.00	70,98,00,715.52

Summary of Expenditure – 2019-20
GENERAL FUND

Sl. No.	Heads of Account	Actual 2018-2019 (Rs.)	Budget Estimate 2019-2020 (Rs.)	Revised Estimate 2019-2020 (Rs.)	Actual 2019-2020 (Rs.)
	REVENUE ACCOUNT				
I.	<u>Administration</u>				
	Vice-Chancellor's section	44,89,185.00	38,57,000.00	38,65,000.00	38,63,402.00
	Registrar Section	2,67,51,403.00	2,80,22,000.00	2,86,29,100.00	2,83,66,344.00

	Finance Section	1,02,19,314.00	1,06,32,000.00	98,21,400.00	1,06,75,139.00
	Common Services and General charges	3,44,44,937.00	3,79,91,000.00	3,71,66,200.00	3,57,96,191.00
II	<u>Examinations:</u>				
	Exam. Section pay and allowances	2,02,69,523.00	2,31,15,100.00	1,83,00,900.00	1,81,74,539.00
	Exam. Other expenditure	4,66,70,997.00	3,45,82,000.00	4,60,97,200.00	4,33,39,401.49
III	<u>Academic Departments</u>				
	Tamil	1,54,96,713.00	1,49,71,900.00	1,61,62,500.00	1,58,75,102.00
	English and Foreign Languages	68,74,018.00	62,05,700.00	65,14,300.00	69,34,386.00
	Fine Arts	1,00,770.00	1,74,000.00	70,000.00	12,324.00
	Women's studies	51,82,478.00	51,21,400.00	58,79,100.00	57,54,976.00
	Social Work	22,77,117.00	36,13,800.00	23,69,000.00	23,42,751.00
	Economics and Rural Development	54,37,644.00	43,68,900.00	73,90,000.00	66,38,132.00
	History	8,78,838.00	9,94,100.00	12,04,900.00	10,99,662.00
	Library and Information Science	21,80,757.00	37,61,800.00	39,35,900.00	37,02,424.00
	Mathematics	95,76,106.00	1,06,94,300.00	92,80,800.00	92,40,806.00
	Physics	1,74,03,444.00	1,87,69,500.00	1,73,68,900.00	1,71,45,108.00
	Energy Science	24,74,862.00	23,11,400.00	25,63,300.00	23,80,260.00
	Industrial Chemistry	1,51,03,497.00	1,61,83,100.00	1,54,43,300.00	1,48,14,922.00
	Nano Science and Technology	70,43,741.00	80,37,000.00	84,18,900.00	83,52,481.00
	Computer Applications	65,69,743.00	91,50,800.00	69,10,400.00	45,87,233.00
	Computer Science	1,87,40,624.00	2,39,36,700.00	2,03,64,800.00	2,01,78,837.00
	Computational Logistics	3,26,152.00	1,60,000.00	2,75,000.00	2,30,881.00
	Biotechnology	1,65,00,198.00	1,45,11,200.00	1,69,70,600.00	1,64,56,897.00
	Animal Health and Management	1,03,58,858.00	93,14,300.00	95,58,000.00	94,08,675.00
	Biosensors and Bioelectronics	64,80,783.00	65,83,800.00	71,08,800.00	68,43,276.00
	Bioinformatics	77,53,019.00	1,03,80,100.00	99,45,400.00	98,01,832.00
	Botany	46,33,802.00	31,10,100.00	25,46,300.00	24,26,950.00
	Microbiology	48,51,206.00	64,30,600.00	47,04,800.00	46,64,304.00
	O & CAS	1,51,70,487.00	95,22,800.00	1,59,12,400.00	1,58,54,862.00
	Geology	1,75,188.00	1,80,000.00	2,25,000.00	1,24,430.00
	Education	1,37,84,367.00	96,12,800.00	1,46,67,100.00	1,44,91,616.00
	Physical Education and Health Science	96,13,937.00	97,68,900.00	1,02,47,800.00	1,01,53,154.001,44
	Life Long Learning	28,36,004.00	12,70,400.00	21,27,100.00	20,17,151.00
	Special Education and Rehabilitation Science	32,99,438.00	30,57,800.00	34,33,200.00	33,75,070.00
	Alagappa Institute of Skill Development	25,703.00	11,20,400.00	20,000.00	2,184.00
	Alagappa University College of Education	2,00,33,576.00	2,03,71,800.00	2,11,78,300.00	2,06,15,190.00

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	Alagappa University College of Physical Education (AUCPE)	2,34,38,807.00	1,83,24,600.00	2,44,10,500.00	2,39,61,985.00
	Alagappa Institute of Management	1,93,92,523.00	1,58,67,000.00	1,80,88,400.00	1,77,94,226.00
	Logistics Management	68,67,653.00	39,92,600.00	71,70,100.00	70,99,984.00
	International Business	92,51,053.00	64,83,500.00	1,05,66,400.00	1,00,12,197.00
	Commerce	1,12,86,806.00	1,11,76,600.00	1,15,72,800.00	1,15,80,658.00
	Corporate Secretaryship	1,59,87,283.00	98,47,300.00	1,36,00,300.00	1,36,69,663.00
	Banking Management	1,59,97,999.00	1,60,27,500.00	1,69,71,300.00	1,70,65,046.00
	Tourism and Hotel Management	12,48,658	9,91,200.00	10,58,300	11,40,237.00
	Biomedical Sciences	23,795.00	30,000.00	40,500.00	40,361.00
	Central Library	1,75,49,328.00	1,76,41,700.00	1,67,82,800.00	1,82,58,352.00
	Ramanujan Centre for Higher Mathematics	25,16,106.00	23,68,200.00	26,03,800.00	25,51,534.00
	Centre for Tamil Culture	3,000.00	2,000.00	55,000.00	2,000.00
	Director of Physical Education	30,46,734.00	43,32,600.00	68,19,300.00	56,66,134.00
	College Development Council	3,68,353.00	24,48,100.00	5,37,600.00	4,27,752.00
	Centre for Technical and Academic Writings	0.00	5,00,000.00	2,00,000.00	0.00
	Centre for Multi Model Materials production for differently abled	14,22,842.00	20,10,000.00	6,00,000.00	1,37,025.00
	Centre for University Business collaboration	1,02,145.00	9,55,000.00	2,17,300.00	2,08,107.00
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	Incubation and Technology Transfer Centre	5,99,623.00	11,20,000.00	0.00	0.00
	Centre for Swamy Vivekanantha Higher Research studies	5,90,776.00	10,55,500.00	6,57,300.00	6,21,265.00
	Para Sports Centre	3,05,366.00	16,50,000.00	8,56,300.00	6,38,397.00
	AU Student Talent Bank	1,99,918.00	24,80,000.00	2,99,200.00	2,98,920.00
	Waste Treatment Tech. For Sustainable and eco friendly environment	28,284.00	50,000.00	2,00,000.00	0.00
	University Science Instrumentation Centre (USIC)	13,94,721.00	25,60,00,000.00	6,86,000.00	4,79,830.00
	Estate Development and Maintenance	1,87,85,844.00	2,56,01,600.00	1,82,73,700.00	1,71,08,741.00

Miscellaneous Expenditure	39,68,013.00	48,56,000.00	43,17,700.00	40,65,947.00
Contribution Expenses	2,34,93,391.00	2,40,81,000.00	2,33,00,000.00	232,60,506.0
TOTAL (1)	55,19,27,450.00	54,84,25,50.00	56,68,95,700.00	55,24,91,319.00
Non Recurring Expenditure: Capital Account	1,20,38,340.00	50,00,000.00	80,00,000.00	70,67,283.00
TOTAL (2)	1,20,38,340.00	50,00,000.00	80,00,000.00	70,67,283.00
TOTAL (1) + (2)	56,39,65,790.00	55,34,25,500.00	57,48,95,700.00	55,95,58,602.49
Deposits - Charges	58,03,643.00	7,75,000.00	12,86,100.00	12,16,020.00
Advances - Charges	3,35,38,322.00	3,83,64,000.00	4,77,62,500.00	3,62,36,672.00
Transfer of Funds – Charges	2,94,00,000.00	50,00,000.00	7,50,10,000.00	7,60,10,000.00
Grand Total	63,27,07,755.00	59,75,61,500.00	69,89,54,300.00	67,30,21,294.00

SCHOLARSHIP – CHARGES – 2019-20

Head of Account	Actual 2018 - 2019	Budget Estimate 2019 - 2020	Revised Estimate 2019 - 2020	Actual 2019– 2020
Adi Dravida welfare Hr. Edn. Scholarship	19,06,000.00	38,25,000.00	20,28,500.00	0.00
Govt. of India SC/ST Scholarship	49,07,100.00	52,21,000.00	95,42,200.00	77,52,975.00
BC/MBC/DNC Scholarship	1,26,63,746.00	59,82,000.00	1,30,84,700.00	1,33,82,525.00
Scholarship for cost of application for SC/ST students	1,73,900.00	1,74,000.00	1,74,000.00	0.00
Students Bank Loan	2,81,509.00	2,36,400.00	2,76,900.00	2,26,900.00
Refund of Uncashed Scholarship amount to Govt.	7,56,395.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Prize Money Award to SC / ST students	0.00	70,000.00	1,10,000.00	1,10,000.00
Miscellaneous	0.00	6,000.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	2,06,88,650.00	1,55,14,400.00	2,52,16,300.00	2,14,72,400.00

FELLOWSHIP CHARGES 2019-2020
(against the funds received from UGC / DST / other funding agencies)

Head of Account	Actual 2018 - 2019	Budget Estimate 2019- 2020	Revised Estimate 2019- 2020	Actual 2019- 2020
DST – SERB – YSS Dr. S. Saravanakumar	7,16,290.00	0.00	5,04,700.00	5,04,625.00
DST – SERB – YSS Dr. S. Saravanan	7,15,205.00	0.00	1,99,200.00	1,99,167.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. P. Prabakaran	90,736.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. C. Parthiban	1,49,322.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. C. Rajthilak	2,08,512.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. K. Mahendraprabhu	5,02,335.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. R. Raghupathy Rajakannan	6,01,333.00	7,00,000.00	3,58,700.00	3,58,667.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. T. Maruthupandi	6,88,785.00	7,00,000.00	9,63,300.0.	8,69,423.00
DST – SERB – NPDF Dr. Vasanthi Rajkumar	4,33,167.00	7,00,000.00	9,65,000.00	9,65,000.00
CSIR Grant – JRF/SRF	18,301.00	1,00,000.00	35,500.00	35,907.00
ICSSR Fellowship	10,19,919.00	10,00,000.00	10,00,000.00	8,25,000.00
UGC – RFSMS – Research Fellowship in Science for Meritorius students	1,77,530.00	0.00	3,57,600.00	3,57,581.00
UGC – Dr. D.S. Kothari Post Doctoral Fellowship	1,00,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
DST – INSPIRE Fellowship	42,61,587.00	30,00,000.00	50,00,000.00	41,24,949.00
DST – Women Scientist A	8,60,485.00	9,00,000.00	7,35,000.00	7,32,695.00
ICMR – Dr. Prabhu	2,79,285.00	3,00, 000.00	4,35,800.00	4,22,340.00
ICMR – Umesh Panwar	1,84,800.00	2,00,000.00	2,04,800.00	2,04,800.00
DST – SERB International Travel support scheme	2,89,374.00	0.00	97,500.00	1,72,131.00
ICSSR Post Doctoral	0.00	0.00	3,74,500.00	5,28,500.00
ICMR – J.Jhan Marshal	0.00	0.00	2,90,000.00	3,22,400.00
ICMR – Puja Patel	0.00	0.00	2,26,400	2,99,133.00
TOTAL	1,13,17,966.00	76,00,000.00	1,32,33,400.00	1,25,87,776.00

14. NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

The Alagappa University has been continuously in NSS since its inception with the major objective of providing ample opportunities to the youth to involve themselves in social activities and ultimately developing their personality. The 9800 NSS volunteers from Affiliated Colleges and University Departments are actively participating in all NSS activities. The University NSS Cell takes strenuous efforts to inculcate the voluntary participation of community service while the students are studying in educational institutions. The actual enrolment of NSS volunteers in Alagappa University is 9800 (Boys 4046 and Girls 5754).

Details of Students Strength in NSS

	Campus/ College	Male	Female	Total
a.	University Departments	558	742	1300
b.	Constituent	173	227	400
c.	Government	922	1278	2200
d.	Government Aided	745	1255	2000
e.	Self-financing (including evening colleges)	1557	2343	3900
	Total	4046	5754	9800

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