



Prof. Dr. S. Manian
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Prof. Dr. S. Manian former Vice-Chancellor of Annamalai University (2015-2018), Dean-Research, Bharathiar University (2009-2011), Director- School of Life Sciences and Head, Department of Botany, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore (2005-2013). He was instrumental in introducing M.Sc. Bioinformatics for the first time in the country by initiating it in Bharathiar University in 2001 and served as its founder Course Director (2001-2005). He completed his Ph.D. in University of Madras, Chennai (1981) on Plant Pathology and Post Doctorate in Horticulture Research International, Wellesborne, Warwick, UK (1995-1996) on Microbial Biotechnology. He was a specialist in herbal science and plant pathology, had his higher education in St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli and Centre for Advanced Studies in Botany, University of Madras, Chennai. In the past three decades, he has built an illustrious research and teaching career with 130 research articles and reviews published in reputed journals, 5 Books, produced 24 Ph.D. and 32 M.Phil., scholars. He has received many funded major projects which includes application oriented industrial projects and has patented the novel inventions.

Prof. Dr. S. Manian has widely travelled to USA, Europe and East Asian countries. He was a Commonwealth Academic Staff Fellow to Horticultural Research International, UK (1995-96), INSA-JSPS Visiting Professor to Kyushu University, Japan (1998) and INSA-CAS International Visiting Scientist to Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden, Chinese academy of Sciences, China (2005). He has also acted as an expert member in National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) and various government funding agencies. To his credit, he served as Chairman of Human Ethics Committee, Convenor of Ethics Committee, Member of Advisory Committee to DRDO- BU Center for Life Sciences to advice its director. He initiated an innovative M.Sc. programme in Textiles and Apparel Design in the Department of Botany and got UGC assistance to the tune of Rupees 60 lakhs. He established research collaboration between Department of Botany, Bharathiar University and Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden (XTBG), Chinese Academy of Sciences, Mengla, China. Further, he also a Life member in Indian Science Congress Association, Society for Advancement of Botany, Academy of Environmental Biology, and Mycological Society of India. Besides, he contributed to the development of a software for forecasting Blister blight disease in tea in collaboration with UPASI Tea research Foundation, a Microbial Biopesticide for the management of foliar fungal diseases in tea in collaboration with Parry Agro Industries Ltd., and a feed supplement (deodourizer) for poultry industry in collaboration with Suguna Poultry Farm Ltd. To his excellence, he received Patent rights for Anti-inflammatory activity of *Heracleum rigens* Wall. ex. *Heracleum rigens* extract with anticancer activity.



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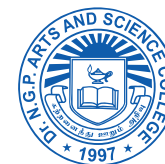
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Invitation

23rd GRADUATION DAY (Session 2)

November 18, 2023

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Programme

- Invocation
- Declaring the Graduation Day Open
- Welcome Address and Report by the Principal
- Introduction of the Chief Guest
- Graduation Day address by the Chief Guest
- Presentation of Candidates
- Administration of the Pledge
- Conferment of the Degrees
- Dissolution of the Graduation Day
- National Anthem

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November 18, 2023, Saturday, 10.00 am

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Chief Guest

Prof. Dr. S. Manian

Former Vice-Chancellor

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Dr. Nalla G Palaniswami

Chairman

Kovai Medical Center and Hospital, Coimbatore

will preside over the function

Dr.Thavamani D Palaniswami

Secretary

Dr.N.G.P. Arts and Science College, Coimbatore

will grace the function

Prof. Dr. K. Ramamurthi

Principal

Dr.N.G.P. Arts and Science College, Coimbatore

will administer the pledge