



CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA

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*Shri Mallikarjun Kharge, Hon'ble Union Minister for Labuor and Employment, conferring the degree of **Honoris Causa** (D.Sc.) to **Prof. Goverdhan Mehta**, at the first Convocation of the University held on 28th January 2012. Prof. A M Pathan, Hon'ble V C and Prof. S. Chandrashekhar, Hon'ble Pro-V C are also seen.*

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ABOUT OUR LOGO



CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA

The logo represents the universal motif of the 'Tree of Life' which is found across Asiatic traditions as a mystical concept alluding to the interconnectedness of all life on our planet. It is a central symbol on Indian culture as a metaphor for enlightenment. It is also an enduring symbol of Sufism signifying the endless process of human evolution towards self-realization through knowledge and oneness with the creator.

Visitor
Shri Pranab Mukharji
Hon'ble President of India

Vice Chancellor
Prof. S. S. Murthy

Pro Vice-Chancellor
Prof. M N Sudheendra Rao

Registrar
Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi

Finance Officer
Shri P. Sreeramulu

**Controller of Examinations (I/c) &
Dean, Student's Welfare**
Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi

FROM THE VICE CHANCELLOR

Welcome to the Central University of Karnataka (CUK), which has been established by the Parliament vide the Central Universities Act 2009 (No. 3-C of 2009) at Gulbarga. It is one of the 16 new Central Universities established by the Government of India during the UGC XI Plan Period to address to the concerns of 'equity and access' and as per the policy of the government to increase the access to quality higher education by people in less educationally developed regions which have a Graduate Enrollment Ratio of less than the national average.



The Central University of Karnataka (CUK) conducted its first convocation on 28th January 2012 at Gulbarga where 42 students were awarded post graduate and research degrees including the award of a gold medal. The honorary degrees of Honoris Causa were awarded to Prof. Goverdhan Mehta (Eminent Scientist and National Professor), Prof. U.R. Anantmurthy (Jnanapeeth Awardee and Eminent Litterateur) and Shri Nandan Nilekani (Chairman - UID Project, Govt. of India) by Shri. Mallikarjun Khargeji, (*Hon'ble Union Minister for Labour & Employment, Government of India*) who graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.

The degree of Master of Arts (MA) in English was awarded to 25 students while 17 students received Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) degree in disciplines such as English (10), Psychology (5) and Economics (2). Ms. Rantnabai Patil from Gulbarga became the first recipient of the CUK gold medal for securing highest marks in MA English. These students represent the first batch of students graduating from this newly established Central University in the year 2009 and it was indeed a memorable day of joy and pride for all of us.

The university added the Departments of Geology, Social Work and Hindi which will offer M.Sc. and Ph.D., MSW and MA and Ph.D. respectively from the next academic year. 29 teaching colleagues and 34 non-teaching members joined the university this year making our family more complete. We have had distinguished invitees like Girish Karnad and Chandrashekar Kambhar, both *Gjnynpeeth* awardees and eminent litterateurs, visit us and interact with the students. The first student's festival, Ankur too was celebrated this year and our community has gained a new vibrancy with all these developments.

As we progress from year to year, there is a deep sense of commitment to provide the students with as challenging and as complete an academic experience as possible by adopting the choice based credit system, patterning academics on the Schools of Study system which encourages inter and multi-disciplinary studies and research and having in place progressive and friendly academic initiatives like continuous internal assessment, flexible and up to date syllabi, internet connectivity and access to online journals.

The University is presently functioning from its temporary location in the Gulbarga University campus. Work on the construction of the University's own campus is in full swing at the 650 acres site at Kadaganchi village (Aland Taluka, about 20 kms west of Gulbarga) where we expect to shift by next year. Our new upcoming campus is planned and designed on being an environment friendly and green campus with all buildings built on a gold rating green building concept with seamless wi-fi connectivity and classrooms fully equipped with modern teaching and technological aids. I and my colleagues hope that these initiatives help our students to build a solid academic foundation that will drive their careers to greater heights. It is my pleasure to present to you the activities of the university (from April 2011 – March 2012) in its fourth year of existence as we re-commit ourselves to attain greater heights in excellence in the years to come.



Prof. A.M. Pathan

STATUTORY BODIES

The **first Executive Council** of the University has been constituted by the Central Government, (vide letter No. F.42-4/2009-Desk (U), dt. 20th July 2009) in exercise of the powers conferred on it vide Section 44 of the Act, comprising of the following members for a period of three years with immediate effect:

Prof. A.M. Pathan <i>Vice Chancellor - Central University of Karnataka</i>	Chairman
Secretary - Department of Higher Education <i>Ministry of Human Resource Development, GOI</i>	Member
Principal Secretary to Govt. (Higher Education) <i>Government of Karnataka</i>	Member
Dr. Mahmood-ur-Rahman, IAS (Retd.) <i>Chairman – Bombay Mercantile Bank</i>	Member
Prof. K.B. Powar <i>Former VC, Shivaji University</i>	Member
Prof. U.B. Bhoite <i>Former Vice Chancellor – YCMOU</i>	Member
Prof. Furqan Qamar <i>Vice chancellor - Central University of Himachal Pradesh</i>	Member
Prof. Amitabh Mattoo <i>Former Vice Chancellor – Jammu University</i>	Member
Prof. Y.D. Prasad <i>Former Director - ANSISS</i>	Member
Prof. Vasant Gowariker <i>Former Vice chancellor, University of Pune</i>	Member
Shri Anup K Pujari <i>Registrar -Central University of Karnataka</i>	Ex-Officio Secretary

The **first Academic Council** of the University has been constituted by the Central Government, (vide letter No. F.42-4/2009-Desk (U), dt. 20th July 2009) in exercise of the powers conferred on it vide Section 44 of the Act, comprising of the following members for a period of three years with immediate effect:

Prof. A.M. Pathan

Vice Chancellor – Central University of Karnataka (Chairman)

Prof. H. A.Ranganath

Director - NAAC

Prof. R. K. Kale

*Vice Chancellor
Central University of Gujarat*

Prof. N.R. Madhava Menon

Former Vice Chancellor – NLS

Prof. V.S. Prasad

Former Director – NAAC

Prof. S. K. Saidapur

*Former Vice Chancellor
Karnatak University*

Prof. K.R. Iqbal Ahamed

*Director, Directorate of Distance Education,
MANUU, Hyderabad*

Prof. C. Naganna

Emeritus Professor of Geology (BU)

Prof. P. Jogdand

University of Mumbai

Prof. K.N. Pathak

Prof. V.S. Ramamurthy

Director - NIAS

Prof. L.K. Maheshwari

Vice Chancellor & Director, BITS

Prof. N Sathyamurthy

Director - IISER Mohali

Dr. B.K. Gairola

Director General - NIC

Prof. A.S. Narang

Indira Gandhi National Open University

Prof. Sunil Gupta

Vice Chancellor - Himachal Pradesh University

Dr. Manju Sharma

Former Secretary - DBT

Prof. Sujit K. Basu

Former VC – Shnatiniketan

Prof. Vir Singh

IIT - Roorke

Dr. Sandeep Sancheti

Director NIT - Suratkal

Shri Ramesh. N. Navale

Gulbarga

Shri Anup K Pujari

Registrar – Central University of Karnataka – (Ex-Officio Secretary)

The first **Finance Committee** of the University is constituted with the following members:

Prof. A.M. Pathan , Vice Chancellor, CUK	Chairman
Prof. S. Chandrashekar , Pro Vice Chancellor, CUK	Member
Shri. Sunil Kumar, IAS , Additional Secretary, MHRD-GOI	Member
Shri. S.V. Prabhath, IAS , Chairman – NCRI	Member
Prof. K.B. Powar , Former Secretary General (AIU)	Member
Prof. Furqan Qamar , VC, Central University of Himachal Pradesh	Member
Dr. (Mrs.) Renu Batra , Joint Secretary (CU) – UGC	Member
Shri. Anup K. Pujari , Registrar, CUK	Special Invitee
Shri. P. Sreeramulu , Finance Officer	Member-Secretary

BUILDING COMMITTEE:

Prof. A M Pathan <i>Vice-Chancellor - Central University of Karnataka</i>	Chairman
Prof. S Chandrashekar <i>Pro Vice-Chancellor - Central University of Karnataka</i>	Member
Superintending Engineer <i>PWD, Govt. of Karnataka</i>	Member
Prof. Rajnalkar Laxman <i>Dean, School of Business Studies; Central University of Karnataka</i>	Member
Chief Principal Architect <i>Govt. of Karnataka</i>	Member
Principal <i>PDA Engineering College, Gulbarga</i>	Member
Shir Anup K Pujari <i>Registrar - Central University of Karnataka</i>	Member Secretary
Mr. D Manoj Kumar <i>Managing Partner - M/s. Mukesh and Associates</i>	Special Invitee

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL AND BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES

ABOUT THE SCHOOL:

The School of Social and Behavioural Sciences is distinguished by excellence and innovation at the forefront of teaching, research, and extension services addressing the existing challenges of our societies. This School presently comprises the departments of Psychology, History, and Social Work and offers five-year integrated Master's degree, two year Master's degree, Diploma, and Doctoral programmes in the above-mentioned disciplines. This school provides an outstanding student experience by equipping students with knowledge, skills and the ability to participate globally.

Dean of the School: Prof. S Chandrashakar

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

FACULTY DETAILS:

Prof. S. Chandrashakar,

Pro Vice-Chancellor, Dean, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences &
Head, Dept. of History

Dr. Mohammad Nazrul Bari,

Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department has launched Integrated M.A. (with exit option after three years with B.A. (Hons.) degree) and Ph.D. programme in History with an annual intake of 30 and 06 students respectively. The faculty teaching History, contrary to popular perception that History deals with only the past, believes that History is dynamic and the past is perceived in the context of the present and interpreted to make the society, the nation and the world a better place to live in harmony and co-existence. The Department imparts instruction in a holistic manner, integrating and contextualizing it with the socio-political economy. The emphasis is on shared living, the strengths and shortcomings of our ancestors an understanding of which could help us to analyze our own situation in a better light.

ACTIVITIES OF THE FACULTY:

Prof. S Chandrashekhar

SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS:

1. Delivered the Inaugural Address and two lectures at the Refresher Course of UGC Academic Staff College at Mysore University Mysore, on 10th July 2011.
2. Delivered the Key Note Address at the Seminar on Krishnaraja Wodeyar IV jointly organised by the Kannada University Hampi and Mythic Society Bangalore on March 21st, 2012.

3. Delivered the valedictory address at 'Exploiters Convention' at the Gulbarga University Gulbarga in February 2011.

PUBLICATIONS, ARTICLES:

1. Gandhi and Ambedkar, Treaders of the same path?
2. Gandhi – Ambedkar encounter : Its impact

Both the above articles published in Kannada Book Authority, Govt. of Karnataka publication 'Lokamitrara Naduve' (ed) by Prof. Hanumanth P 2011.

3. Study of Social Sciences in India : Concerns and prospects in K.B Powar and Ali Raza Moosvi (ed) Random Harvest; 2012.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

The faculty focused its attention on designing course curricula for M.A integrated programme and Ph.D. in History. In addition, the faculty also contributed immensely to the unique social orientation course by coordinating its programs. Individual research programs have been taken up by the faculty members and are progressing well.

SOCIAL ORIENTATION COURSE

(A CUMPULSORY PAPER TO ALL U.G. (I & II SEM) AND P.G (I & II SEM) STUDENTS)

An innovative and unique course that sets the Central University of Karnataka apart from its counterparts in other regions is the Social Orientation Course. It has generally been observed that many students, including the meritorious ones, generally lack some basic understanding of the world around us even though they could be knowledgeable in their respective disciplines. For all-round personality development of the students, the SOC course has been introduced for each and every student of the university at both post-graduate and undergraduate levels. The course consists of a carefully-designed syllabus that covers important concepts in the history of humankind like humanism and the rekindling of the finer elements of social consciousness in the form of different ideologies preached by great personalities like Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Jyothiba Phule and Swami Narayana Guru in 19th and 20th century India. The students will also be kept abreast of concepts like multi-culturalism, an important ingredient of Indian way of life today, and the sheet-anchors of today's globalization and liberalization.

The other important aspects of the course include rationalism, feminism, environmentalism, ethics, corporate social responsibility, nationalism, liberalism, secularism and inter-faith harmony.

In short the Central University of Karnataka plans to help the student into evolve as a responsible citizen wherein he/she will appreciate the country's working, law, resources, culture and develop a sprit that is constructive.

The efficacy of the course can be gauged by the fact that it received tremendous positive response from the students in the first year of its introduction itself. And the course is never static. From time to time, it will be revised to be more relevant to the students and their career.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

FACULTY DETAILS:

Dr. Romate John, Associate Professor & Coordinator, Dept. of Psychology

Dr. Jeyavel S., Assistant Professor

Mr. Mamman Joseph C., Assistant Professor

Dr. Vijyendra Pandey, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Psychology offers the following programmes:

1. Integrated BSc-MSc (with exit option after three years by award of
2. M.Sc.
3. Ph.D.
4. Diploma in Educational Counselling

The Department besieges the active participation, association, and involvement of a multi-disciplinary group of psychologists, social workers, rehabilitation professionals, social scientists, scholars, and researchers who contribute to the field of behavioural sciences in a holistic manner. The Department, through education and research, targets to nurture manifold areas of behavioural sciences and attempt to improve the quality of life of individuals as well as the society. The Department helps students to develop an understanding of the complexity of human behaviour by undertaking a critical analysis of biological, intra-psychic, interpersonal, social, political, cultural and economic forces that influence human behaviour. The students and the faculty alike are encouraged to become empathically involved in efforts that lead to greater social justice and the achievement of humankind's full potential.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES OF THE FACULTY:

Dr. Romate John

Paper published in international journals during 2011-12

- a. Is There a Relationship between Child Rights Awareness and Peer Relations? , International Review of Comparative Sociology (Vol.2 No.1 2011), Pages: 1-6, ISSN: 0975-1149 With Varsha Sreevatsa.
- b. Relationship between Child Rights Awareness and Children's Perceived Self- Indian Journal of Millennium Development Studies (An International Journal) , Control (Vol.6 No.1-2, 2011), Page: 169- 174 , ISSN: 0973-3981, With Varsha Sreevatsa.
- c. Relationship between Adolescents' Health Beliefs and Health Behavior, International Journal of Medicine and Public Health JCRSCI, Volt 1, Issue 3, 2011, 55-61 , ISSN: 2230–8598 , With Gayathri Shabaraya, and Sudha Bhogle.

Outreach activities

i. Team building and human relations Training Programme

Dr. Romate John conducted a one- day skills building training programme for Class III employees of the KPTCL on 28 th January 2012. This programme was designed to develop team building skills, interpersonal communication skills, and leadership skills among the fifty three employees deputed by the Regional office of the KPTCL. The outcome evaluation of the programme revealed that the workshop could enable the participants to experientially learn the importance of team building skills, styles and effective interpersonal skills which are required to manage time and increase productivity.

ii. Clinical Hypnosis for self-healing

A three- day workshop on clinical hypnosis was conducted by Mrs. Leona Fernandas , Hypnotherapist from Mind tree foundation India from Goa from 18—20 January, 2012 at the Department of Psychology CUK. Fifty six students and five teachers attended the workshop. The workshop aimed at developing basic sensitivity and skills for employing self -hypnosis skills for the management of personal and socio- emotional issues of the students.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department aims to prepare students with professional knowledge, values, and skills required for extensive social work practice. The Department is committed to craft an environment that offers value-oriented learning that emphasizes self-assessment, service to community, self-determination, social justice, and respect for diversity. Through its various programmes students achieve competence in problem identification, assessment, development of intervention plans, and evaluation of practice. Students are also equipped with knowledge and skills necessary to provide direct services, consultation, training, programme development, practice evaluation, social service research and community development.

The department of Social work has instituted a two-year Master's degree programme in social work. The department is well- equipped to commence the MSW course from the forth coming academic year.

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND LANGUAGES

DEPARTMENT OF KANNADA

FACULTY DETAILS:

Prof. Shivaganga Rumma, Coordinator, Dept. of Kannada

Dr. Vikram Visaji, Associate Professor

Dr. Basavaraj Kodagunti, Assistant Professor

Dr. T.D. Rajanna, Assistant Professor

Dr. Appagere Somashekar, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Kannada is part of the School of Humanities and Languages. The major objectives of the department constitute undertaking original research in Kannada Language, Literature, Culture and Society incorporating innovative research approaches, and imparting such training to our students as would enable them to succeed in the present day knowledge-based society. The Department also strives to develop methods focusing on promotion of Kannada Studies at the National and International level. This is the Second Annual Report of Kannada Department.

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

Special Lectures arranged at the Department:

2011	
August-2011	Prof. H.S. Raghavend Rao: of Karnataka Culture Many faces.
September-2011	Prof. Basavaraj Kalgudi: Literary theories
November-2011	Dr. Shamsundar Bidarkundi: Kannada Navya Novels.
November-2011	Shri Appagere Timmaraju: Folk Songs
November-2011	Gangavati Sahitya Samalana: Literary event.
November-2011	Dr. Chandrashekhara Nangali: Kuempu's Novels
November-2011	Kannada Rajyotsava
November-2011	Prof. Lakshminarayana: Shakespeare and his works
2012	
February-2012	Dr. M.D. Vakkunda: Gopalkrishna Adiga's Poetry
February-2012	Shri Lakshman: A Dalit Autobiography
February-2012	Shri Lakkur Anand: Dalit Poetry.
10 th February-2012	Dr. Sidhalingaya: Interaction with students.
14 th February-2012	Dr. A. Mohana Kuntar, : Malayalam Literature
	Shri Naganna Kilari: of P. Lankesh Writings
	Prof. B. Mallikarjun: Kannada as a Classical Language
February-2012	Dr. Chadrashekhara Kambar: Interaction with students.

ACTIVITIES OF FACULTY:

Dr.Vikram Visaji

Publications:

Book:

- 1) Naou Pankhudiya (translation) (Bharatiya bhasha parishad kolkota-2012)
- 2) Vachanagalalli Saamajika Vyaktitvada parikalpane
Vachana-Vyaktitva, Ed:by Dr. Veeranna Dande, Basava Patha, prakashan,
Bangalore, 2011

Papers/Articles

Published:

- 1) Lohiya bareda pustaka vimarshegalu
Smarana sanchike, akhila bharata kannada sahitya sammelana Gangavati, Nov
2011
- 2) Kannada balliya kaanutta
Saaptahika Puravani, Prajavaani Bangalore, 2011

Papers Presented in Various /Seminars/Conferences/Workshops during 2011-12

- 1) Vachanasaahitya mattu shantiya nelegalu
UGC National seminar, Govt. First Grade College, kamalnagar-2011
- 2) Karnataka Odu
Workshop on Karnataka Odu, Karnataka Odina Balaga, Bangalore-2011
- 3) Kannada kathegalu - Karnataka Odu
Workshop on Karnataka Odu, Kuvempu adhyayana peeta, Hampi University,
2011.
- 4) **Desiyate mattu kannada sahitya sanshodhane**, Jilla kannada sahitya
parishattu, Dharawad, 2011
- 5) **My views on Poetry**, Bharatiya bhasha Parishad, Kolkota, 2012
- 6) **Kannada Poetry today**,North-East and Southern Poetry Festival, Kendriya
Sahitya Akademi New Delhi, Coimbatore, 2012
- 7) **Kannadada Adhunika Sanshodhanegalu**, Kaavyamandala, Bangalore,
2012

- 8) **Kannadada Ghajalugalu**, Kendriya Sahitya Academy New Delhi, Gulbarga, 2012
- 9) **Kambarara Kavya**, Karnataka University, Dharwad, 2012

Award:

1. Shree vijaya saahitya prashasti: Kannada saahitya parishattu, Bangalore, 2011.

Dr. Basavaraj Kodagunti

Publications:

I. Books: (In Kannada)

1. *Kannada vibaktir Upaga Laaytih Asikabe Lava Nige*. Bandara Prakashana, Maski, 2011. **ISBN No.: 978-81-920111-3-4**
2. *Maski kannadadaga vibakti rupagalu*. (Case Markers in Maski Kannada), Kannada University, Hampi. 2011. **ISBN No.: 978-93-81645-06-2**

Edited Books (In English)

3. Tradition of Kannada Grammar. Dravidian University, Kuppam. (Under Print)
ISBN No. is given Edited in the Research Thesis Series of Bandara Prakashana, Maski:
4. *Immadi nagavarmana shastra saahitya*. By *Ahmad Basha Gulyam*. Bandara Prakashana, Maski, 2011. **ISBN No.: 978-81-920111-7-2**

PAPERS:

International Journal: (English)

1. Deictic as a Source of Case markers in Dravidian: A Study of *a/*ā (Distal). *Indian Linguistics*. Vol.72 No.1-4, Dec. 2011. **ISSN: 0378-0759**.

National Journal: (English)

1. Instrumental Case Markers in Maski Kannada. Dravidian Studies. Vol. VIII, No. 1-2. Jan 2011. **ISSN: 0976-5182**
2. Locative Case Markers in South Dravidian. Appeared in the proceeding of the 35th Conference of Linguistics Society of India, Held at Punjab University, Chandigarh, Oct. 2011.

SUBMITTED IN NATIONAL SEMINARS/CONFERENCES: (IN ENGLISH)

1. Instrumental Case Markers in South Dravidian. 39thAll India Conference of Dravidian Linguists held at Patiyala, Punjab on June 2011.
2. Case Markers of Classical Tamil: A Study. Submitted in A National Seminar on Morphological Study of Classical Tamil, Held at Dravidian University, Kuppam on Feb. 2012.
3. Multilingualism and Social Justice in India. Submitted in A National Seminar on Multiculturalism and Social Justice, Held at Dravidian University, Kuppam on Feb. 2012.
4. Instrumental Case Markers in Early Dravidian Grammars: A Comparative Study. Submitted in a National Seminar on Origin and Development of Grammars in Dravidian Languages, held at PS Telugu University, Hyderabad on Mar. 2012.

Participated as a Respondent:

5. A National Seminar on *Sahitya mattu prabutva*. held at Alnavara, on Aug. 2011.

Project Ongoing: (To be Submitted)

6. Translation of S.N. Sridhar's Papers in to Kannada, supported by Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga 03/10/2011.

Dr. T.D. Rajanna**Publications:**➤ **Books:**

1. *Appana Pratiroopa mattu itara Kategalu* (Short stories) Translated from English to Kannada, Srusti Publications, Vijayanagara, Bangalore, 2011

➤ **Articles:****Seminars/Conference/workshops:**➤ **International Seminar:**

1. Presented a paper on *Yashodhara Charitemattu Hittina Hunja* :
JainadharamadaTatvika Nelegalu, at International Seminar on Influence of Jainism on Art, Literature and Culture, at Jain University, Bangalore, Jan 2012

➤ **National Seminar:**

1. Presented a paper on '*Madhyamika Shaleya Kannada Bhasha Patya Pustakagalalli Olanudigala Balake*' at National seminar on 'Usage of Kannada Dialects in the preparation of Kannada Text for School of Primary and Higher Primary' at (CIIL), Chithradurga, November 2011.
2. Presented a paper on '*Jagathikaranahagu Kannadigarige Udyogavakashagalu*', Dharwad Jilla Sahitya sammelana, Dharwad, Dec – 2011
3. Presented a paper on '*Kalika Prakriyeyalli Kannada Bhasheya Balake*' at MS Irani Degree College, Gubarga, February 2012
4. Attended a National Seminar on '*Kavirajamarga: Shastreeya Shrota*', Nrupatunga Degree College, Sedam, September 2011
5. Attended a National Seminar on *Janapada Sahitya* at Bidar District Folk Conference, Aurad, Bidar, February 2012

Project:

1. '*A Lexicon of Gulbarga District*' under Central University of Karnataka, project is in progress on 03/10/2011.

Dr. Appagere Somashekar

❖ **Ongoing Research Projects:**

1. Honnakogile: A Project of autobiography of Dalits, University of Mysore-April 2011
2. Work is in progress on the topic "Literary History of Dalits in Gulbarga District" under the Seed Money programme of Central University of Karnataka- 03/10/2011.

• **Submitted in Various Seminars / Conferences / Workshops (National and International):**

1. Kavithe 'Talemaru': In memory of Mulluru Nagaraja : Poetry Recitation : 26.05.2011/
2. 'Mallepuram Vaicharika Bharahagalu' : 60th birthday Celebration of Prof. Mallepuram : 05.06.2011/
3. 'Sahitya Kshetrakke Dr. Mudnakudu Chinnaswamy Avara Koduge': 3rd All India Conference on Dalit Literature : 18.06.2011
4. 'Jagatikaran : Sahitigala Patra' : Kalaburugi District 12th Conference on Kannada Literature, Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Gulbarga : 20.06.2011

5. 'Adhunika Kata Sahityadlli Dlita Samvedane': Dalit Consciousness in Modern Hindi and Kannada Prose : Two days UGC sponsored National Seminar, SPM Arts and Commerce College Raybhag, Belagum : 17.09.2011
6. 'Kannadigara Bhavishyada Tallanagalu': Dharavada District 7th Conference on Kannada Literature, Kannada Sahitya Parishat : 28.12.2011.
7. 'Jaina Dharmada Tatvika Nele : Vaddaradhaneya Hosa Odu' : 'Sanmarga' International Seminar, Jain University, Bangalore : 02.01.2012
8. 'Dalita Mattu Bandaya Sahityada Swarupa Mattu Parampare' : UGC Sponsered State Level Conference, ShriGavisiddeswara Arts and science College, Koppala : 04.03.2012
9. 'Samajika Nyaya Mattu Ambedkar' : 7 days Special Lecture Series, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar study Center, Karnataka State Womens University, Bijapur : 17.03.2012

CENTRE FOR CLASSICAL KANNADA

FACULTY DETAILS:

Prof. B. Mallikarjun,

Director, Centre for Classical Kannada

ABOUT THE CENTRE:

The Government of India on 12th October 2004 created a new category of languages called 'Classical Languages'. The language belonging to this category has to satisfy the following criteria.

1. High antiquity of its early texts/record history over a period of 1500-2000 years.
2. A body of ancient literature/texts which is considered a valuable heritage by generations of speakers.
3. The literary tradition is original and not borrowed from another speech community.
4. The classical language and literature being distinct from modern there may also be a discontinuity between the classical language and its later forms or its offshoots.

The Govt. of India declared Kannada as a classical language (vide Ministry of culture Notification No.2-16/2004-Academis dated October 31, 2008). As a consequence, the MHRD asked the University Grants Commission to take follow up action. The UGC set up a Committee to look the modalities for establishment of the Centres of Classical Languages. The committee suggested that instead of professional chairs Centres of Classical languages be established in the select Central Universities. In pursuance of this decision at the Central University of Karnataka, the Centre for Classical Language-

Kannada is setup. The work of the Centre is visualised as on-going process. Initially the Centre is established for five years and further continuity depends upon the success of the model process. The Centre shall not act in isolation with the other Indian Classical Languages. The Centre shall draw human resources from within and even outside the education system by interacting with the Pandits / Scholars who are well versed with the classical languages but are not necessarily a part of mainstream education system.

On March 15, 2011 the University Grants Commission approved setting up of the Centre for Classical Language-Kannada at the Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga. On April 11, 2011 the MHRD communicated the assent of the Visitor for Statute of Establishment of the Centre.

The work of the Centre commenced with the nomination of **Dr. Vikram Visaji**, Associate Professor, Department of Kannada as the Director in charge of the Centre on 26th September, 2011. Prof. Chandrashekhar Kambara, Jnanapeetha Awardee and Prof. Purushotham Bilimale, Director of American Institute of Indian Studies, were the first invitees of the Centre to interact with the faculty and students of the University. Further, on 1st March 2011, Prof. B. Mallikarjun joined the Centre as the Professor and Director.

MAIN THRUST AREAS

Linguistics, Epigraphy, Manuscriptology, History of Kannada and Karnataka, Religion Studies, Shastra Granthas, Classical Literature and Comparative Literature and Translation of Kannada Classical Texts.

OBJECTIVES AND ACADEMIC FUNCTIONS

- a. Conduct short term courses in the concerned disciplines and ensure training of future generation of scholars in the classical language for sustenance and continuity
- b. Develop corpus of the texts of classical period including texts of inscriptions
- c. Facilitate teaching and learning Kannada using modern equipment and evolve methods of application of information and communication technology.
- d. Hold seminars / workshops / conferences etc.
- e. Focus on unpublished manuscripts / inscriptions and epigraphic literature available in Oriental libraries and other repositories.
- f. Publish rare written works.
- g. Have a regular course leading to Ph.D.
- h. Coordinate and provide a think tank in the areas of studies.
- i. Provide a veritable archive for the studies in the Classical Kannada
- j. Take up any other programmes / projects as suggested by the advisory committee from time to time.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

a. Chairperson

1. Vice Chancellor, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga

b. One UGC nominee as Member

1. Prof. U R Ananthamurthy, Jnanpith Awardee and Former VC, MG University, Kottayam

c. Two outside Experts as Members

1. Prof. A. Murigeppa, Former VC, Kannada University, Hampi
2. Prof. Siddhalingaiah, Chairperson, Kannada PustakaPradhikara, Bangalore

d. Three Internal Members from the Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga

1. Prof. S. Chandrashekar, Pro Vice Chancellor
2. Prof. N. Nagaraju, Dean, School of Humanities and Languages
3. Dr. VikramVisaji, Associate Professor, Department of Kannada

e. Member Secretary, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga

1. Prof. B. Mallikarjun, Professor and Director, Centre for Classical Kannada

CENTRE LEVEL ACTIVITIES

The Road Map for the Centre is prepared and is scheduled to be placed before the First Advisory Committee meeting scheduled to be held on June 10, 2012 at Bangalore. After the meeting, the recommendations of the Advisory Committee shall be implemented.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of English has conducted curricular and extra-curricular activities during the academic year 2011-12. The Department became a center of attraction on the Central University of Karnataka campus for arranging a few unique programmes including “Meet the Author” programme with Dr. Girish Karnad. The Department also caught the attention of the public by the academic excellence scaled by its staff members. The details of the activities conducted by the Department as well as the achievements of its staff members are given hereunder:

FACULTY:

Prof. Nagaraju, Dean, School of Humanities & Languages
Dr. Basavaraj P. Donur, Associate Prof. & Coordinator, Dept. of English
Ms. Renuka L. Nayak, Assistant Professor
Dr. Vijayalexmi R. Assistant Professor
Dr. Paroma Sanyal, Assistant Professor
Mr. Mahendra M. Assistant Professor
Ms. Sreebita P.V. Assistant Professor

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES:

The Department conducted “Meet the author” programme with the Jnanpith Awardee, major Indian playwright, actor and director Dr. Girish Karnad on 6-1-2012 at Mahatma Gandhi Hall wherein Dr. Girish Karnad read some parts of his autobiography *Aadatta Aayushya* and interacted with the audience.

The Department arranged special talks by eminent scholars from different universities for the students. Prof. Nataraj Hulyar, Prof. C. Naganna, Dr. Tharakeshwar, Prof. Nageshwar Rao are some of the well-known scholars who delivered talks on different aspects of British, American and African literatures as well as on literary theory and criticism.

MA IV Semester students were sent on a three-day Study Tour to Hyderabad from 2nd to 4th April 2012. Ms. Shreebitha and Dr. Paroma Sanyal accompanied them on their trip.

ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE FACULTY:

Prof. N. Nagaraju,

1. Attended National Conference on “Towards Indian Ecocriticism” organized by Central University of Tamil Nadu on 2-3 December 2011 at Thiruvavur and addressed the inaugural session as the Keynote Speaker.
2. Attended a one day National workshop on, “Trends in Higher Education: Problems and Prospects” on 5-4-2012 at National College, Bangalore organised by Prof. A.M. Pathan Felicitation Committee.

Dr. Basavaraj P. Donur,

PAPER PRESENTATION

- Presented a paper titled *Government Primary Schools: Responsibilities of the Government and the Kannadigaas* at All India Kannada Literary Meet at Gangavathi on 10-02-2012.
- Inaugurated Humanabad Taluka 3rd Kannada Sahitya Sammelana at Hallikhed on 26-12-2012.
- Presented a paper titled *Gokak Movement* at Zilla Kannada Sahitya Sammelana at Dharwad on 10-02-2012.
- Presented a paper on *Chandrasekhar Kambar's contribution to Children Theatre* at a seminar organized by Rangayana at Dharwad on 27-11-2011.
- Participated at the "Writers Meet" organized by Kendriya Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi on 12-8-2011 in Kolkata.

PROJECT

- Got a project from Central University of Karnataka under Seed Money Scheme for the proposal "The Influences of the Western Theatre on Modern Kannada Drama and Theatre" on 3/10/ 2011 and the work is in progress.

PUBLICATION

- Published an article titled *Different Perspectives on the English Poetry of Buddanna Hingmire* in Janapara edited by Dr. Shivanad Gali and Dr. H. V. Parshvanath in 2011.
- Published an article titled *Karnataka and Kannada Language* in "Anushilana" edited by Dr. Sujata Jangamashetty in 2011.
- Published an article titled *Rao Bahaddur's Tabbaligalu and Dhomaketu* in "Rao Bahaddua Sahittyada Olanotagalu" edited by Dr. Balasaheb Lokapur in 2011.
- Published an article on "Humanism in Western Literature" in Shivalingeshwar Mahaswami Felicitation Volume in 2012.
- Published a story *Water Master Water* in "Bogase Tumba Bayalu" edited by A.S. Makandar in 2012.

Mrs. Renuka L. Nayak

NATIONAL CONFERENCES

1. Presented a paper on *Mrinal Pande's A Woman's Farewell Song – An attempt to establish peace and harmony in woman's life* at National Conference organized by Nehru College, Hubli on 7th and 8th February 2012.
2. Presented a paper on *The Role of Modern Technology in Comprehensive and Effective Teaching of English Language: A Practical Approach*, at National Seminar SSK Basaveshwar College of Arts and Science at Basava Kalyan, on 4th March 2012.

RESEARCH PAPERS PUBLISHED

1. Published a paper on *Mrinal Pande's A Woman's Farewell Song – An attempt*

to establish peace and harmony in woman's life in Deccan Literary Journal ISSN.2249-1910.Vol-II, I SSUE-II, January, 2012.

2. Published a paper on *The Role of Modern Technology in Comprehensive and Effective Teaching of English Language: A Practical Approach*, in Thematic Journal of English Language Teaching, March -2012.
3. Published a paper on *Relevance of Arun Joshi's The Strange Case of Billy Biswas in the Present Context* in Research Analysis and Evaluation Vol.-II, Issue 24, September 2011.
4. Published a paper on *Women and Corruption in Chinua Achebe's A Man of the people*-Thematic Journal of Commonwealth literature, 2012.

Dr. Paroma Sanyal,

PUBLICATION

- Prosodic Well-formedness in Bangla Disyllables. Proceeding of GLOW in Asia 2010, Beijing Language and Culture University, Beijing. This volume titled, Universals and Variation, edited by Gao Ming-le came out in March 2012.

Mr. Mahendra M.

- 1. Presented a paper entitled "Paradigm of Post- Colonial Subalternity: A Reading of Aravind Adiga's *The White Tiger*" at Veerashaiva College, Bellary on 24 &25 February-2012

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

FACULTY DETAILS:

Dr. Sunitha Anil Manjanbail, Professor & Coordinator

Dr. Ganesh Pawar, Associate Professor

Sri. Suraj Kumar, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Hindi offers M.A and Ph.D Courses Keeping in view the present challenges both at the national and global levels. The Master's programme is designed to give a more inclusive and expansive approach to Hindi literature and functional aspects of Hindi language. The programme includes allied, supportive, elective and social orientation courses along with the core subjects. It also envisages to carry out meaningful and relevant research programme (Ph.D.) in Medieval Hindi literature, Comparative Studies, Cultural Studies, Dalit Literature, Interdisciplinary Studies, Linguistics, Literary Theories, Modern Hindi Literature, poetics, Hindi Drama and Theater Studies, Translation Studies, Women Studies.

FACULTY ENGAGEMENTS:

Dr. Ganesh B. Pawar

AWARD

1. "500 Saal Jhira Pragat Samagam Samman" by Gurdwara Shri Nanak Jhira sahib, Bidar-Karnataka, 2012. On 26th April, 2012.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS STUDIES
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC STUDIES AND PLANNING

FACULTY DETAILS:

Dr. Jayaprakash Pradhan

Associate Professor & Coordinator, Dept. of Economics

Dr. Suma Scaria

Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

As a premier branch in the School of Business Studies, the Department of Economic Studies and Planning (DESP) started its academic programmes in the year 2010 with the twin basic objectives of imparting quality education in economics and promoting higher research that seeks to provide policy solutions for economic problems faced by businesses, consumers and economics over space and time. DESP's vision is to become a leading centre of economics learning in India and the world. It is committed to provide specialized training, skills and expertise to our students to become leaders of change for furthering the objectives of the social, market and governmental institutions they choose to serve.

DESP emphasizes about an integrated structure of economics education encompassing Integrated M.A., M.A, and Ph.D. programmes of study. As the department started very recently, its syllabus is evolving and innovatively embedded in the accumulated knowledge base and emerging fields of study. Along with the rigorous teaching programmes, it constantly strives to promote cutting-edge research and scholarship.

While keeping the global and national focus of its research activities, the department would actively address regional needs by encouraging research on regional development and industrialization, rural entrepreneurship, small and medium enterprises, agricultural advancement, etc.

DEPARTMENT LEVEL ACTIVITIES:

Research Activities by the faculty

Dr. Jaya Prakash Pradhan

Research Project (No. 1)

Completion and submission of the final report of the research project namely, ***Exploring regional patterns of internationalization of Indian firms: learning for policy*** in December 2012. This project was funded by the Indian Council of Social Science

Research and co-directed by Jaya Prakash Pradhan and Prof. Keshab Das of the Gujarat Institute of Development Research, Ahmedabad.

RESEARCH CONTRIBUTION:

i. Guest Edited/Co-edited Special Journal Issue (No. 2)

Guest edited the TNCR Special Issue on *Foreign Direct Investment and Development in India*, *Transnational Corporations Review*, 3(2), 2011.

Principal guest editor for the EMFM Special Issue on *Rise of Emerging Economies, Economics, Management, & Financial Markets*, 6(1), 2011.

ii. Refereed Journal Articles (Nos. 8)

Pradhan, J.P. (2011) 'R&D Strategy of Small and Medium Enterprises in India', *Science, Technology & Society*, 16(3), pp. 373–395, Publisher: **SAGE Publications**.

Pradhan, J.P. (2011) 'Regional heterogeneity and firms' R&D in India', *Innovation and Development*, 1(2), pp. 259–282, Publisher: **Taylor & Francis**.

Pradhan, J.P. (2011) 'Foreign Direct Investment and Development in India', *Transnational Corporations Review*, 3(2), pp. I–VI, Publisher: **Denfar Transnational Development & Ottawa United Learning Academy**.

Pradhan, J.P. (2011) 'Non-equity Operations of Multinational Enterprises in India: Focus on Outsourcing', *Transnational Corporations Review*, 3(2), pp. 1–11, Publisher: **Denfar Transnational Development & Ottawa United Learning Academy**.

Pradhan, J.P., K. Das and M. Paul (2011) 'Export-orientation of Foreign Manufacturing Affiliates in India: Factors, Tendencies and Implications', *Eurasian Journal of Business and Economics*, 4(7), pp. 99–127, Publisher: **International Ataturk Alatoo University**.

Pradhan, J.P. and G. Lazaroiu (2011) 'Rise of Emerging Economies: An Introduction', *Economics, Management, and Financial Markets*, 6(1), pp.8–18, Publisher: **Addleton Academic Publisher**.

Pradhan, J.P. (2011) 'Firm Performance during Global Economic Slowdown: A View from India', *Economics, Management, and Financial Markets*, 6(1), pp.57–81, Publisher: **Addleton Academic Publisher**.

Dr. Suma Scaria

Presented a paper on 'Education and Inequality: Some Reflections based on the study of a village in Kerala', Young Scholars Conference, Centre for Human Rights, University of Hyderabad, February 2012.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

FACULTY:

Dr. Rajnalkar Laxman, Professor & Coordinator
Dr. K. Padmasree, Associate Professor
Dr. Pandurnaga V, Assistant Professor
Dr. Shivakumar Deene, Assistant Professor
Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari. D, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Commerce started functioning from the academic year 2010-11 as a constituent department of the School of Business Studies. It offers two year (four semesters) Post Graduate Degree in Commerce with specialization in Finance, Accounting & Taxation and Banking & Insurance. The course is being designed, updated and imparted to develop conceptual and analytical skills of the students in line with the industry requirements. The course structure has a judicious mix of conceptual, analytical and quantitative reasoning to meet the requirement of industry. The department has experienced faculty and invites experts from industry and as academicians from reputed institutions on need basis. The course is enriched with in-plant training and research project to inculcate research culture and get an exposure to the working of corporate environment. The Department promotes faculty research, consultancy, training and outreach activities. The Department is offering full time Ph.D Programme from this academic year.

DEPARTMENT LEVEL ACTIVITIES IN THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS STUDIES:

TRAINING SESSIONS/PLACEMENT TRAINING/ INDUSTRIAL VISIT:

During the year 2011-12, the department has conducted various Training Sessions/ Placement Training/ Industrial Visit for the benefit of the students and gets exposure to the market. The details of which are as under:

- a. ERP Training is being provided to M.Com final year students during year 2011-12.
- b. Placement training is given to M.Com. final year students during the year 2011-12.
- c. During the year, the students are offered to the industrial visit at different places of North Karnataka namely Hubli, Dharwad and Belgaum to get the first hand Information by visiting the top most industries available in the North Karnataka.

PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY:

The department faculties have published various research papers in National and International Journals of repute which are mentioned below in order

Prof. Rajnalkar Laxman:

1. **“Entrepreneurship in India: The changing paradigm”**, Published Thematic journal of Business Management, A Peer-reviewed International Research Journal, Vol 1, issue-1 Jan. 2012,.
2. **“E-Recruitment: the changing face of recruitment in India”**, Published in International Journal of Exclusive Management Research, vol-1, issue 4 sept-2011,
3. **“Women entrepreneurs in India: Opportunities & challenges”**, Published in International journal of Research in commerce, Economics & Management, Vol. 1 issue 7 Nov 2011
4. **“Retailing in India: Opportunities & challenges”**, Published in International journal of Research in commerce IT & Management, Vol 1, issue 6 nov-2011.
5. **“The Microfinance Entrepreneurship and Sustainability as Effective Tools for Reducing Poverty in India”**, Published in International journal of Research in Commerce, Economics & Management, Vol. No.3, Issue No.1 Page No,44, Jan.,2012.
6. **“Educated Unemployment Problem in Karnataka: A Study”**, Published International Journal Research in Commerce, Economics and Management, Vol.2, Issue.5, May,2012.
7. **“Microfinance: Ray of Hope for Rural India”**, Published Thematic journal of Business Management, A Peer-reviewed International Research Journal, Vol.2, Issue 1, March 2012,
8. Implementation and Impact of PMEGP Scheme in Hyderabad Karnataka Region-A Study Journal: SEDME Volume:38 Issue No. 2 June 2011. Publisher: National Institute for Micro Small and Medium Enterprise(ni-msme):

NATIONAL CONFERENCES:

Participated and presented paper on “Corporate Social Reporting (CSR) practices in India” in the 3 days 64th All India Commerce Conference on 13th-15th December 2011.

Dr. Panduranga V. Patti**PUBLICATIONS:**

1. **“An Overview of Crop Insurance in India”**, in an edited book titled Development of Agriculture in the Era of Climate Change, Oxford Book Company, New Delhi, Jan.2012. January 2012, pp.187-193, ISBN:978-93-5030-087-09.
2. **“Profitability of Options Trading Strategies for Volatile Market Conditions- A Study of Select IT Stock Options”**, International Journal of Finance and Bank, Vol.1, Issue1, Jan,2012.

Dr. Panduranga V. Patti**SEMINAR/WORKSHOPS:**

1. Participated in **“One Day Tax Awareness Seminar (Kara Pragne)”** on Sunday, August 07, 2011, organized by the Karnataka State Chartered Accountants Association at S M Pandit Ranga Mandir, Gulbarga.

Dr. Panduranga V. Patti**RESOURCE PERSON:**

1. Resource Person for two sessions in Accounting area in a Five- Day District Level “Orientation Workshop, organized for the Junior College Lecturers of Gulbarga District, by the Department of PU Education, Karnataka, during October 10 and 14, 2011.
2. Key note address delivered on Micro Finance for Women Empowerment in an UGC Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on the theme **“Micro Finance and Women Empowerment”** organized Nrupatunga First Grade College, Sedam, Gulbarga District on October 21, 2011.

LECTURES DELIVERED BY THE EXTERNAL FACULTY:

The department involved in conducting special lecture series for the benefits of the student community and invited various academicians and administrative people to deliver a lecture. During the year 2011-12 the following resource person is being invited to deliver a lecture.

Prof. P. S. Hiremath, Professor, Department of Computer Science, Gulbarga University Gulbarga engaged the classes to the students of M.Com. II Semester.

NOMINATIONS TO THE BOARD:

The following faculty members have been put on the boards of different association/Committees/journals.

Dr. Shivakumar Deene

1. Nominated as a **Chief Editor** for Thematic International Journal of Business Management on 20th February 2012.
2. Nominated as a **Chief Editor** for Arth Praband: Journal of Economics and Management on 20th February 2012.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

FACULTY MEMBERS:

Prof. Mallikarjun V Alagawadi, Coordinator, Department Of Management Studies

Dr. Mohammad Zohair, Assistant Professor

Shri Ganapati B. Sinnor, Assistant Professor

Ms. Shushma H, Assistant Professor

Ms. Safia Parveen, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Management Studies under the School of Business Studies has been established with a vision to strive to achieve excellence in the field of Business studies through multi-disciplinary approach and foster entrepreneurial & managerial talent among students who, with their core competence, can carve their own niche in the highly competitive world. The mission of the department is to nurture and shape positive attitude, competencies and capabilities among the students who can apply entrepreneurial skills, management concepts, tools & techniques, and ethical principles in sustaining / creating socially responsive organizations / institutions/ enterprises that are vital for the growth and development of the region, nation and the world at large.

The department offers Ph.D. programme and a two year four semesters MBA with specialization in Marketing, Finance and Human Resource Management and a three year six semesters stand-alone BBA programmes. The courses are dynamic in nature and are modified from time to time to address the requirements of the corporate and industries. In order to equip the students to assume the diverse roles of business executives to entrepreneurs the pedagogy adopted by the department comprises of games, role plays, quiz, industrial visits, and group exercises in addition to lectures, seminars and case methods. The department also arranges interaction with industry/business executives, renowned management consultants, leaders from NGOs and civil societies and reputed academicians for the benefit of students to impart practical orientation. Students are evaluated through continuous internal components of class tests, presentations and assignments; and the end term exams.

DEPARTMENT LEVEL ACTIVITIES:

SPECIAL LECTURES BY INVITED EXPERTS:

- (i) Dr. Harish Hande Magsaysay Award Winner delivered lecture on “**Social Entrepreneurship**” & interacted with the students & faculty under the banner “Interaction with Scholars” on 18/02/2012.
- (ii) Shri V.N. Salimath, Managing Trustee, IDF Financial Services Pvt. Ltd delivered special lecture on “**Micro finance & financial inclusion**” to the students on 3rd April and 4th April 2012.
- (iii) Dr. Chetan Srivastava Associate Professor, Hyderabad Central University delivered special lectures on **E-Business** to students on 17th and 18th February 2012.

- (iv) Prof. A.K.Mukharjee, Allahabad Central University delivered special lecture on **“Challenges faced by younger generations”** to students on 29th and 30th September 2011.

SPECIAL TRAINING FOR SKILL UPGRADATION OF STUDENTS:

- (i) ERP Training in Finance, Marketing & HR of 92 hours to the students by Micro-Pro Ltd, Kolkata in 2011-12.
- (ii) Personality Development & Placement service by Loratis Career School, Bangalore of 74 hours to the students in 2011-12.

INDUSTRIAL VISIT:

- (i) Students visited Bidar on Industrial /field tour on 9th November 2011 for practical exposure.

COMPETITION WON BY STUDENTS:

Students participated in “**gravitas**” 2011 an International Knowledge Carnival competition” organized by VIT University, Vellore. The students won first prize in Product Launch competition.

IN HOUSE DISCUSSION:

The discussion on Union Budge 2012-13 among faculty & students was organized on 19/03/2012 two MBA students from Swedan attend & participated.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES:**PUBLICATIONS BY THE FACULTY:**

The department faculties have published various research papers in National and International Journals of repute which are mentioned below in order:

Prof. M. V. Alagawadi**PUBLICATIONS:**

- a. **Alagawadi M.V. & Tekki. S.** (2011), “A Study of SHGs demographics analysis, microfinance loan utilization pattern and socio-economic performance of MFIs in India”, International Journal of Education Economics and Development 2011 – Vol.2; ISSN 1759-5681.
- b. **Alagawadi M.V. & Savadatti P.M.** (2011), “Performance Evaluation of Malaprabha Grameen Bank in Karnataka during Pre and Post WTO Period- Principal Component Analysis”, Karnataka Journal of Agricultural Sciences(ISSN 0972-1061).
- c. **Alagawadi M.V.** (2011), “Financial Performance of Micro Financial Institutions: A Case Study of IDF FSPL”, Journal of Public Financial Management, Vol-III, Jan 2011, No.1.

ABROAD VISITS:

Tanzania: Represented the Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga in Dar-es-Salaam International Trade Fair, Tanzania, from 29th June 2011 to 8th July 2011.

SEMINAR/WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION:

Chaired technical session and delivered key note address in National Level Seminar on “Entrepreneurship and Business Development: Issues and Cases” on 4th& 5th Nov, 2011 at KIMS, KUD.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES:

Holding the additional Charge of the **Chief Vigilance Officer** of CUK

Dr. Mohammad Zohair

PUBLICATIONS:

“**Issues in Supply Chain Management of Handloom Industry**”, Thematics Journal of Business Management (A Peer Reviewed international Research Journal) Volume 1, issue 1, ISSN-2277-3002.-Jan 2012.

Mr. Ganapati B.Sinnoor

PUBLICATIONS:

“**Redefining the Point of Purchase**” Thematics Journal of Business Management (A Peer-Reviewed International Research Journal) Vol I, Issue-I, Jan 2012 ISSN 2277-3002

Ms. Shushma H.

PUBLICATIONS:

“**Positioning Karnataka as Agri Tourism Destination**”, Thematics Journal of Commerce & Management (A Peer-Reviewed International Research Journal) Volume 2, Issue-1, March 2012, ISSN 2231-4881.

Ms. Safia Parveen

PAPER PRESENTATION:

Presented a paper on the topic "**A Revolution in Knowledge Management - Lessons from the Japanese Companies**" at the National Conference on "**Contemporary Management Practices and Just Society**" on 30th and 31st March 2012 at Vijayanagara Institute of Management Studies, Vijayanagara Sri Krishnadevaraya University, (VSKU), Bellary.

SCHOOL OF EARTH SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FACULTY DETAILS:

Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi,
Dean, School of Earth Sciences & Coordinator, Dept. of Geography
Dr. Sulochana Shekhar, Associate Professor
Dr. Priya Narayanan, Assistant Professor
Ms. Archana Kujur, Assistant Professor

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Geography, the first department in the School of Earth Sciences at Central University of Karnataka was established in the year 2010. The department believes that Geography is a multi-disciplinary subject that not only attempts to describe the earth in all its complexity but also to understand the various levels of human earth interactions that take place in economic, social, environmental, cultural, political and demographic terms and their effects on human endeavours.

The Department is offering Integrated M.Sc. Geography (05 yrs), M.Sc. Applied Geography and Geoinformatics (02 yrs) and PhD courses.

ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

The department has co-organised with Department of Geology a National Seminar on the “**Frontiers of Earth Science Research**” on 5th and 6th May 2012. About 150 delegates from all over India participated in the deliberations. The seminar was inaugurated by **Shri P.S. Parihar**, Director of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, Department of Atomic Energy, Govt. of India. The seminar was attended by many dignitaries and experts like Prof. C. Naganna, Prof. K. B. Powar, Prof. B. Mahabaleswar, Prof. Chandrashekar Dubey etc.

A proceedings volume edited by Prof. Syed Ashfaq Ahmed and Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi was released by the then Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. A. M. Pathan. This volume is a collection of 70 odd articles and extended abstracts drawn from papers received for the two-day National Seminar on “Frontiers of Earth Science Research”. The themes of the seminar and the subsequent papers have an exhaustive range on various facets of the subject of Geology to Natural Resources Management, Physical Geography, and remote sensing and GIS.

Participation in the Seminars/Conferences/symposia by Faculty Member:

Faculty	Event	Date	Organised by	Title of Presentation
Dr. Ali Raza Moosvi	Co-Edited National Seminar proceedings volume entitled "Frontiers of Earth Science Research" conducted on 5-6 May 2012			
	Presented Paper at National Symposium	28-29 Nov 2011	Jamia Millia Islamia University New Delhi	Paradigm Shift and the expansion of Knowledge-A preliminary study of Geography
Dr. Sulochana Shekhar	11 th Asian Urbanization Conference	10-13 th Dec 2011	Osmania University, Hyderabad	Modeling the growth of slums by using Geoinformatics
Dr. Sulochana Shekhar	Presented the Research Proposal to DST	17 th Dec 2011	Aurangabad University	DST Research Proposal
Dr. Sulochana Shekhar	Presented Research paper in Geoterm-2012	16 th - 18 th Feb. 2012	Madurai Kamraj University	Application of Geospatial Science in Urban Management
Dr. Sulochana Shekhar	Participated in International Conference-Planet under pressure	26 th - 29 th March 2012	Organized by Oxford university	Integration of Poor for better Urban Governance.
Dr. Sulochana & Dr. Priya Narayanan	Participated in the work shop- Hyperspectra-2011	11 th - 19 th Nov. 2011	Department of Earth Science, IIT, Bombay	DST Sponsored National Workshop on Hyperspectral Imaging in National Resource Management
Dr. Sulochana & Dr. Priya Narayanan	Participated in the work shop- Globalizing Geography Education	11 th – 16 th March 2012	Association of American Geographers and The Institute of Indian Geographers	Prepared study modules for International Geography education
Dr. Priya Narayanan	Technical Consultation	26 th Sep- 1 st oct- 2011	Bangalore university	ISRO –Respond sponsored project on Modelling Peri-urbanization of Bangalore city
Dr. Priya Narayanan	11 th Asian Urbanization Conference	10-13 th Dec 2011	Osmania University, Hyderabad	Urban Growth of Bangalore: A Question of Sustainability?

Dr. Priya Narayanan	Presented Research paper in Geoterm-2012	16 th - 18 th Feb. 2012	Madurai Kamraj University	Gravity model in predicting the urban growth of Gulbarga City
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DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY

FACULTY DETAILS:

Prof. Syed Ashfaq Ahmed, Coordinator, Dept. of Geology

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT:

The Department of Geology at Central University of Karnataka was established in the year 2012 with an aim to manage Earth and its resources for the future. The department strives to provide an encouraging environment to the students to learn and achieve success in a diverse and challenging global economy. The Department is geared to offer UG, PG and PhD courses in Applied Geology and Geoinformatics in the forthcoming academic year.

ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT:

The department has organized 12th convention of Mineralogical Society of India and a National Seminar on the Frontiers of Earth Science Research on **5th and 6th** May 2012. About 150 delegates from all over India participated in the deliberations. The seminar was inaugurated by **Shri P.S. Parihar**, Director, Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, Department of Atomic Energy, Govt. of India. The seminar was attended by many dignitaries and subject experts like Prof. C. Naganna, Prof. K.B. Powar, Prof. B. Mahabaleswar, Prof. Chandrashekar Dubey and so on.

A proceedings volume edited by Prof. Syed Ashfaq Ahmed and Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi was released by the then Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. A. M. Pathan. This volume is a collection of 70 odd articles and extended abstracts drawn from papers received for the two days National Seminar on "Frontiers of Earth Science Research". The themes of the seminar, and the subsequent papers have an exhaustive range on various facets of the subject of Geology ranging from Precambrian Geology, Petrology and Economic Geology to Natural Resources Management, Physical Geography and remote sensing and GIS.

Participation in the Seminars/Conferences/symposia by Faculty:

1. Prof. Syed Ashfaq attended "**International Users Meet**" from 16th to 18th February, 2012 at National Remote Sensing Centre and presented a paper on **Quality Assessment of Drainage Networks Derived from Cartosat-1 Dem.**
2. Prof. Syed Ashfaq Ahmed attended an **International Seminar from 26th to 29th** February 2012 and presented following papers:
 - a) Crop-Water Assessment in the Right Bank Canal of the Bhadra Command Area, Karnataka, Abstract ID: GEO12/AI/104.

- b) Spatial Variability of Rainfall in Tunga and Bhadra Basin, Karnataka, India, Abstract ID:GEO12/AI/105.
- c) ASTER and SRTM derived Morphometric Analysis of Yerla River in Maharashtra, Abstract ID: GEO12/GIS/44.

ACADEMIC SECTION

Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi
Shri S.L. Bhandarkar
Shri Azeempasha

Controller of Examinations (i/c)
Deputy Registrar
Section Officer

The Central Universities Act (2009) mandates the university to develop the School of Study system with a strong inter and multi-disciplinary approach. All programmes of study imbibe this spirit and are offered on the choice based credit system patterned semester wise with continuous internal assessment. The following programmes were offered during the year 2011-12:

School of Study	Department	Programmes Offered	Students Admitted
Undergraduate Studies		B.A. (Hons)	
		English	11
		History	--
		Economics	--
		Geography	03
		Psychology	--
		Bachelor in Business Administration (BBA)	17
Business Studies	Business Studies Commerce Economic Studies & Planning	MBA	32
		M.Com.	28
		M.A. (Economics)	05
Earth Sciences	Geography	M.Sc.	07
		M.Phil.	--
		Ph.D.	01
Humanities & Languages	English	M.A.	30
		M.Phil.	03
		Ph.D.	04
	Kannada	M.A.	21
		M.Phil.	03
		Ph.D.	21
Social & Behavioral Sciences	History	M.A.	--
		M.Phil.	--
		Ph.D.	--
	Psychology	M.Sc.	03
		M.Phil.	03
		Ph.D.	--
		Diploma In Educational Counseling	--
TOTAL			178

Admissions to the undergraduate programmes and some post-graduate programmes was made on the basis on the Central Universities Common Entrance Test jointly conducted by the Central Universities of Karnataka, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala, Jharkhand,

Rajasthan and Kashmir on 18th and 19th June 2011 at 35 centres in various parts of the country. The university conducted its own test for admission to the remaining programmes. on 26th June 2011. Classes for the Monsoon semester began in July 2011

The salient academic features of the University include:

- a) All courses offered on choice based credit system and Courses with inter and multi-disciplinary in content based on semester system.
- b) School of Study system
- c) Continuous internal assessment
- d) Relevant and up to date syllabus
- e) Academic freedom to students to choose and design their course of study by picking up components of allied, elective, supportive courses apart from their Core Course of study.
- f) Courses have inbuilt component of developing students in a holistic way (English communication, personality development, computer training, etc)
- g) Students sent to academic tours to national / reputed institutions in their field of study for interaction / exposure in country at the university's cost.
- h) Internships, trainings, industry visits part of course.
- i) Classrooms equipped with latest teaching-learning aids.
- j) E-journal and internet facility (wi-fi) available for all students.
- k) Hostel accommodation for both boys and girls.

The undergraduate programmes are patterned to provide a holistic undergraduate experience which includes the **Foundation course (FC) and the Social Orientation Course (SoC).**

The Foundation course is designed to not only develop a student's understanding and grasp in his/her own subject of choice but also to enable them to develop capabilities of lateral thought, integrated understanding, holistic knowledge and a keen cognitive perception of their surroundings. The Social Orientation Course, which is compulsory for students of all undergraduate and post-graduate courses is planned to make the student into a responsible citizen wherein he/she will appreciate the country's working, laws, resources, culture and develop a spirit that is constructive, informed and positive.

Apart from the above components, the courses include core subjects, elective / allied subjects and language subjects which allow the student to choose and design his programme content.

Dr. K.Venugopal Reddy (*Associate Professor of History*) and Dr. P. Basavaraj Donur (*Associate Professor of English*) coordinated the SoC and FC respectively.

EXAMINATION SECTION

Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi
Shri S.L. Bhandarkar
Shri Azeempasha

Controller of Exams (I/c)
Deputy Registrar
Section Officer

The university follows the semester system with continuous internal assessment and end-semester exams. Admissions to the undergraduate programmes and some post-graduate programmes for the academic year 2011-12 was made on the basis on the Central Universities Common Entrance Test jointly conducted by the Central Universities of Karnataka, Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala, Jharkhand, Rajasthan and Kashmir on 18th and 19th June 2011 at 35 centres in various parts of the country. The university conducted its own test for admission to the remaining programmes. on 26th June 2011

The Central University of Karnataka (CUK) conducted its first convocation on 28th January 2012 at Gulbarga where 42 students were awarded post graduate and research degrees including the award of a gold medal. The honorary degrees of Honoris Causa were awarded to Prof. Goverdhan Mehta (Eminent Scientist and National Professor), Prof. U.R. Anantmurthy (Jnanapeeth Awardee and Eminent Litterateur) and Shri Nandan Nilekani (Chairman - UID Project, Govt. of India).

The degree of Master of Arts (MA) in English was awarded to 25 students while 17 students received Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) degree in disciplines such as English (10), Psychology (5) and Economics (2). Ms. Rantnabai Patil from Gulbarga became the first recipient of the CUK gold medal for securing highest marks in MA English. These students represent the first batch of students graduating from this newly established Central University in the year 2009.

The convocation address was delivered by Shri. Mallikarjun Kharge (Hon'ble Union Minister for Labour and Employment, Government of India) who graced the occasion as Chief Guest. In his address, Shri Karge mentioned that “this is an important day for the Hyderabad-Karnataka region which is proud and happy to have this national institution”. He emphasized the critical role that new universities like CUK can play by advancing original ideas so as to set benchmarks in the global community: “They have to formulate and grow with an all-encompassing and practical vision, which will make them not just lofty citadels of higher learning but also centres of global excellence”. He added that “any university has to meaningfully engage with its society apart from its greater global community.

The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of CUK, Prof. A.M. Pathan in his Welcome Address thanked the Government of India, Government of Karnataka and the district administration for their continued support and cooperation. While elaborating on activities of the University, Prof. Pathan said “our endeavour is to offer education that is both enriched and relevant, skill based as well as research oriented and to offer a learning experience that is as holistic and complete as possible.” He summarized the modern learning facilities at the CUK as follows “the University has adopted information and communication technology applications in a

big way by offering a seamless wifi environment, smart class rooms, enhanced teaching and learning aids, access to e-journals, virtual resources and internet archives”.

Prof. Goverdhan Mehta while receiving *Honoris Causa* congratulated the Vice Chancellor and faculties for the exemplary work and rapid strides made by the University. He encouraged the youth to aspire to lead in their respective fields and to make our country a better place. He spoke about the tremendous potential that lies in the human resources and entrepreneurial culture of India. The value of India lies in hard work, non-violence and secularism that shape and define the lives of every Indian. He adapted Lokamanya Tilak’s slogan by saying: “Quality education is my birth right and I shall have it”. This is the way forward for an evolving India with a young population. Other two recipients, Prof. U.R. Anantmurthy and Shri Nandan Nilekani were absent due to some unavoidable circumstances and the degrees of *Honoris Causa* were conferred upon them in-absentia at the Convocation. The same were presented later at a separate function in Bangalore.

Gold medals and degree certificates to the students were presented by Shri Mallikarjun Kharge, Chief Guest during this occasion. A large gathering comprising students, their parents, dignitaries, members of Academic Council and Executive Council, Deans, Directors, Coordinators, other teaching and non-teaching staff of the Central University of Karnataka attended the ceremony.

REMEDIAL COACHING CELL

FACULTY DETAILS:

Dr. Mohammad Zohair
Coordinator, Remedial Coaching Cell

ABOUT THE CELL:

In order to enable students belonging to SC/ST/OBC and Minority communities to come up to the level necessary for pursuing higher studies efficiently across all the disciplines, a remedial coaching cell was formed under the merged scheme of the UGC. The cell is responsible to identify the areas in which remedial coaching is required and to arrange coaching classes after the regular teaching hours of the University.

ACTIVITIES:

Initially it was felt strongly that a number of students especially who come from the vernacular background are poor in English language in terms of their ability to understand English texts and their level of comprehension. Such students find it very difficult to appreciate the class instructions. Moreover, such students fail to succeed in variety of competitive examinations after their degrees due to this limitation. Hence it was decided to start remedial coaching in English from the current academic year. Accordingly remedial coaching classes in English were organized from January to March 2012, in which a number of students from different departments were enrolled and found the program useful. The cell shall organize remedial coaching in other areas also in future, in which the need is identified from time to time.

STUDENTS WELFARE

**Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi,
Dr. Sulochana Shekar
Dr. Sushma H**

*Dean, Student's Welfare
Associate Professor of Geography & Warden, Girls Hostel
Assistant Professor of Commerce & Asst. Warden, Girls Hostel*

**Dr. P.S. Kattimani
Shri S.L. Bhandarkar
Shri Azeempasha**

*Deputy Librarian, Sports (I/c) & Warden, Boys Hostel
Deputy Registrar
Section Officer*

The University has about 350 students on rolls, including continuing and fresh admissions, from various parts of the country. This necessitates that adequate care and arrangements are made for their healthy and fruitful stay in the university and providing opportunities for extra-curricular activities and sports. The office of the Dean, Student's Welfare presently functions to coordinate these activities and to offer services like issue of Migration and Bonafide Certificates, railway student concession forms, Transfer Certificates, admission and transfer / migration cases, constitution of Student Council, arranging sport and extra-curricular activities and for coordinating payment of fellowships, hostel accommodation, health care etc.

The University provides for hostel and mess facilities for all students admitted who apply for such facilities on first-come and first-serve basis. Accommodation for boys has been made in the hostel building of the Visveshwaraya Technological University regional campus and for girls in a private residential building rented for this purpose. Dr. Sulochana Shekar, Associate Professor of Geography has been appointed as Warden of the girls hostel and Dr. Sushma H. as the Assistant warden. Dr. P.S. Kattimani, Deputy Librarian has been appointed as Warden of Boys Hostel and also as Sports (I/c).

As in the previous years, our University sportsmen and women actively participated in various South Zone sports competitions. The following is a brief report of the events participated by our students.

ATHLETICS:

The University students have participated in 72nd All India Inter University Athletic Meet 2011-12 held from 17th to 21st December, at Alva's Education Foundation, Moodbidri, Mangalore. athletics participants



Mr. Ajayakumar, BA (Hon) English, participated in 100 meter (running competition) Sprints

BASKETBALL & BADMINTON:

The University students participated in the South zone tournament of the Universities held on 2nd to 8th January, 2012 at Sathyabama University, Chennai. The team lead by Mr. Vaidynath Nishanth (Captain). Badminton team participated in the South zone tournament held at VIT University, Vellore, Tamil Nadu on 22nd November, 2011.



The Basket Ball Team

With Prof. A.M.Pathan, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. S. Chandrashekar, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Prof. Ali. Raza Moosvi, Controller of Exams&Dean Students Welfare, Dr. P.S. Kattimani, Sports Coordinator.

ANKUR 2012 UNIFEST ORGANIZED FOR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS:

The sports events of Ankur - 2012 Unifest was held in the Gulbarga University sports premises. There was overwhelming response from the students and the School wise events were very lively and sportive The events conducted were Badminton, Kabaddi, Cricket, Athletics, Table tennis, Volley ball and Basketball.

The School wise prizes and points are as fallows:

- School of Humanities and Languages 104 pints I Prize
- School of Undergraduate 44 points Runner-up II Prize



Prof. A.M. Pathan, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and Prof. N.Nagaraju, Dean, School of Humanities and Languages presented the winning shield to the students.

Statute 36 of the Central Universities Act 2009 provide for the constitution of a Students' Council in the University for every academic session consisting of

- (a) the DSW, as Chairperson;
- (b) twenty students to be nominated by the Academic Council on the basis of merit of studies, sports and extra-curricular activities; and
- (c) twenty students to be elected by the students as their representatives.

An interim Students Council was constituted in September 2011 of 20 students on the basis of merit of studies, sports and extra-curricular activities. Elections and the constitution of a full Students Council is envisaged to be done in the next academic year once the relevant Ordinances are approved.

CENTRAL LIBRARY

Dr. P.S. Kattimani,
Deputy Librarian

Shri Raghavendra, Asst. Librarian

LIBRARY RESOURCES:

Sl. No	Resources	Total
1	Books	10,932
2	E-Books	413
3	Journals UGC-Infonet	3,512
4	Journals in print	43
5	Back Volumes	15
6	Thesis and Dissertation	22
7	News papers	9
8	General magazines	25
9	CD-ROM/DVD	220

PROCURED DATABASES AND E-BOOKS FOR THE LIBRARY;

- SPSS(statistical package for social sciences)
- Prowess databases for the department of Management, Commerce & Economics
- 413 E-books have been procured from Cambridge University Press and Taylor &Francies and is accessible through IP networks to the users.

TRAINING PROGRAMME ORGANIZED AT CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA;

- A training program was organized for faculty, research scholars and students on SPSS and Prowess database.
- Sensitization training program was organized for incumbent students.

PAPERS CONTRIBUTED AT NATIONAL CONFERENCE/JOURNALS;

- Participated and presented paper on “**Electronic Resources and Services**” at UGC sponsored National seminar held at N.V. Arts College, Gulbarga, on 16th& 17th September, 2011.
- Participated and presented a paper on “**Quality awareness of Online information Resources: A study**” at IASLIC 28th All India conference held at The University of Kashmir, Srinagar on 10th to 13th October, 2011.
- Article published in IJILI(Indian Journal of Information, Library & Society) “**Web-based Reporting about Health Information: A Study**”. Vol. 5, No,1 January-June, 2011. pp. 31-34.

COMPUTER LAB

Shri Vinodkumar Tandurkar, System Analyst

Ms. Samarthini Serikar, Technical Assistant

Since 2009, all offices in the CUK were connected to CUK network backbone. University students, faculties and Non-teaching staff have been able to access the 1 Gb Internet facilities under NMEICT through Local Area Network and wireless to use these resources to access and process an ever increasing amount of information.

The Computer Lab has purchased 50 HP Computers with higher end configurations. This system resides in the Computer Lab and is accessible to all students, faculty and staff.

One new staff member Joined as a Technical Assistant on 19th March, 2012. The computer lab has provided the system and internet facility to all the CUK Teaching and Non-Teaching staffs and also provided the 20 Nos. of laptop to all the CUK faculties to use these resources for research and academic development.

The CUK computer lab concentrated on conducting the basic computer classes for undergraduate students. Computer lab has arranged weekly discussion sessions on A-View software which is organized by A-view Amrita University with eminent research scholars students and faculties. We also proposed online classes by using A-View Software. In computer lab, movie screening for students is arranged every week (Saturday). Technical support is extended to all the departments for arranging seminars/ special lectures/ workshops/ conferences/cultural and sports activities.

Web site designing and uploading is carried out regularly through the computer lab. CUK is a partner of NKN-GUARD for use of research and to maintain large amount of data.

Three Servers have been installed and configured for the use of Library. The computer lab concentrated much of its efforts during the past one year maintaining the CUK Entrance Exams database.

THE SYSTEM ANALYST HAS PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING CONFERENCE/ SEMINARS/WORKSHOP:

- 1) GARUDA - NKN Partners meet on 15th & 16th July 2011 at Bangalore.
- 2) One day National Seminar on “**e-learning standards perceptions, Opportunities, Practices**” at Hyderabad on December 17, 2011. Organized by Bureau of India Standards, Delhi and Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC) Hyderabad
- 3) IEEE International conference on Technology Enhanced Education at Amrita University Kollam Kerala on 3rd to 5th January 2012.

RAJBHASHA SECTION

Dr. Reshma B. Nadaf - Hindi Officer

Dr. Shivanand H. Koli– Hindi Translator

ABOUT THE SECTION:

- Rajbhasha Section is established in the Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga to enrich Hindi Language among the teaching and Non-teaching staff of CUK. The aim of the Section is to facilitate employees of CUK to use Hindi language in day to day official activities and the department tries to create awareness about the Hindi language among the CUK employees.
- Official Language Implementation Committee has been constituted comprising 20 teaching and non-teaching staff as members. The chairman of the committee is the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and member secretary is Hindi Officer. The committee shall review the activities of the Section.

ACTIVITIES OF THE SECTION:-

- The department will hold Official Language Implementation Committee meeting quarterly. Progress report of the Section will be discussed in every quarterly meeting. After approval of the committee the quarterly report will be sent to Ministry of Human Resource Development and University Grants Commission, Government of India, New Delhi. This year the Rajbhasha Section held 4 meetings of the Official Language Implementation Committee.
- The Section of Rajbhasha organized various activities/competitions in CUK to celebrate Hindi Day in September 2011.
- A committee from MHRD came for the inspection of Rajbhasha activities in CUK on 13th October 2011.

PUBLICATION:

Dr. Reshma B. Nadaf

- Published an article titled “Kedarnath Agarwal : Bahumukhi vyaktitva” in Sankalya Magazine published by Hindi academy Hyderabad in January 2012.

PAPER PRESENTATION IN NATIONAL SEMINARS:

- Participated as resource person in the national seminar on “**Vartman Samay Me Hindi Ki Sthiti Evam Gati**” organized by Milind Prakashan and Shri Milind masik

patrika Hyderabad– 4th march 2012 in 1st session titled “sahitya dwara pichade samaj ka utthan kyun or kaise.”

- Presented a paper titled “**Sahitya dwara stree utthan kyun aur kaise?**” in 2nd session.

a. Dr. Shivanand H Koli

- Presented a paper titled “Samkaleen hindi upanyason mein nari ke vividh roopon ka chitran” organized by BLDE society’s Nutan Arts College, Tikota 13th and 14th March 2012.

CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT

The University has appointed M/s RITES Ltd (Govt. of India enterprise) as Project Management consultant and M/s Mukesh & Associates as the Architect. The PMC has initiated Phase I and Phase II of campus development work consisting of the following:

Phase I: Construction of Administration, central library, hostels, guest house, health centre, shopping centre, bank & post office and residences is under Progress.

Phase II: Construction Academic Buildings and site development works are under Progress.

2. More than 50% of internal Road of the Campus has been completed up to (W M M)
3. The Govt of Karnataka has sanctioned Rs. 4.00 crores towards providing of drinking water from Amarja Reservoir to CUK campus under Nimbargi Multi-village scheme (World Bank Aided) work is under progress.
4. Tender has been awarded for External lighting comprising street lighting, testing and Commissioning of DG sets, commission of sub-stations and laying of cables and substation Civil work is under progress.
5. Tender for procurement of furniture for administrative building & remaining buildings is under progress.

ADMINISTRATION SECTION

Shri Anup K. Pujari, Registrar
Shri Veeranna Kammar, Assistant Registrar
Shri Sunil G., Section Officer

JOINING OF NEW EMPLOYEES:

TEACHING STAFF:

1. Dr. Ali Raza Moosvi, Associate Professor of Geography, Central University of Karnataka joined as Professor of Geography on deputation basis on 5th May 2011.
2. Prof. N. Nagaraju, Professor, Dept. of English, Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.08.2011 as Professor, Dept. of English, School of Humanities & languages.
3. Prof. Syed Ashfaq Ahmed, Professor, Dept. of Geology, Kuvempu University Shankaragatta joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.02.2012 on deputation as Professor, Dept. of Geography, School of Earth Science.
4. Prof. Shivganga Rumma, Associate Professor, Principal Govt. College Gulbarga joined Central University of Karnataka on 10.02.2012 as Professor Dept. of Kannada, School of Humanities & languages.
5. Prof. Sunitha A. Manjanbail, Professor, Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha Madras joined Central University of Karnataka on 15.02.2012 as Professor, Dept. of Hindi, School of Humanities & languages.
6. Prof. B. Mallikarjun, Reader cum Research Officer, Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Professor & Director, Centre for Classical Language Kannada (Tenure based).
7. Prof. M. V. Alagawadi, Joint Director, Air Force Headquarters Ministry of Defence, New Delhi has joined Central University of Karnataka on 03.03.2012 as Professor, Dept. of Management, School of Business Studies.
8. Dr. Jayaprakash Pradhan, Associate Professor, Sardar Patel Institute of Economic & Social research, Ahmedabad joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.04.2011 as Associate Professor, Dept. of Economics, School of Business Studies.
9. Dr. Kanchi Venugopal Reddy, Associate Professor, Dept. of History, Pandicherry University, Pandicherry joined Central University of Karnataka on 07.04.2011 as Associate Professor, Dept. of History, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.

10. Dr. Romate John, Lecturer, Dept. of Psychology, Bangalore University Bangalore joined Central University of Karnataka on 14.07.2011 as Associate Professor, Dept. of Psychology, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.
11. Dr. Sulochana Shekhar, Reader, National Defence Academy Khadakwasla, Pune joined Central University of Karnataka on 21.07.2011 as Associate Professor, Dept. of Geography School of Earth Science.
12. Dr. Ganesh Pawar, Asst. Professor, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha Tirupathi joined Central University of Karnataka on 28.02.2012 as Associate Professor, Dept. of Hindi School of Humanities & languages.
13. Dr. Karamala Padmasree, Associate Professor, Yogi Vamana University, A.P. joined Central University of Karnataka on 29.02.2012 as Associate Professor, Dept. of Commerce School of Business Studies.
14. Dr. Somashekara D., Lecturer, Govt. First Grade College Piriya pattana joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.04.2011 as Assistant Professor dept. of Kannada, School of Humanities & languages.
15. Mrs. Renuka L. Nayak, Lecturer, Govt. First Grade College Kittur joined Central University of Karnataka on 03.05.2011 as Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, School of Humanities & languages.
16. Dr. Suma Scaria, Asst. Professor, Central University Kerala joined Central University of Karnataka on 25.07.2011 as Assistant Professor, Dept. of Economics, School of Business Studies.
17. Ms. Tuheena Mukherjee, joined Central University of Karnataka on 29.09.2011 as Assistant Professor, Dept. Psychology, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.
18. Mr. Suraj Kumar, has joined Central University of Karnataka on 09.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of Hindi, School of Humanities & languages.
19. Dr. S. Jeyavel, joined Central University of Karnataka on 13.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of Psychology, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.
20. Mr. Mamman Joseph C, joined Central University of Karnataka on 13.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of Psychology, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.
21. Mr. Mahendra M, joined Central University of Karnataka on 13.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of English, School of Humanities & languages.
22. Ms. Sreebita P.V. joined Central University of Karnataka on 13.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of English, School of Humanities & languages.

23. Dr. Shivkumar Deene, Asst. Professor, Govt. First Grade College, Chitpuppa Bidar joined Central University of Karnataka on 13.02.2012 as Assistant Professor, Dept. of Commerce School of Business Studies.
24. Dr. Paroma Sanyal, Guest Faculty, University of Hyderabad joined Central University of Karnataka on 17.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of English, School of Humanities & languages.
25. Dr. Prabhakaran Hebbarillath, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Hindi, Principal Government Brennen College Po. Dharmadam Via. Thalassery, Kannur Dt. Kerala joined Central University of Karnataka on 21.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of Hindi, School of Humanities & languages.
26. Dr. Sujatha S Kumari D. joined Central University of Karnataka on 27.02.2012 as Assistant Professor, Dept. of Commerce School of Business Studies.
27. Dr. Vijyendra Pandey, joined Central University of Karnataka on 28.02.2012 as Assistant Professor Dept. of Psychology, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.
28. Ms. Archana Kujur, joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 as Assistant Professor, Dept. of Geography School of Earth Science.
29. Dr. Mohd. Nazrul Bari, Asst. Professor, Poona College Pune joined Central University of Karnataka on 06.03.2012 Asst. Professor, Dept. of History, School of Social and behavioural Sciences.

Non-Teaching Staff:

1. Shri. Rabindranath Pandit, Education Assistant 'A', at District Science Centre, Gulbarga joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Assistant Registrar.
2. Shri Shaikh Azaruddin joined Central University of Karnataka on 22.03.2012 as Assistant Registrar
3. Shri Tanmay Ranjan joined Central University of Karnataka on 07.02.2012 as Assistant Registrar.
4. Shri Raghavendra joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Assistant Librarian.
5. Dr. Reshma Nadaf, Lecturer, Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, Dharwad joined Central University of Karnataka on 14.12.2011 as Hindi Officer, Department of Hindi.

6. Shri Azeempasha, Asst. Professor, Dept. of English, CUK joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.04.2011 as Section Officer.
7. Shri Mallikarjun Mahadap, Stenographer, Indian Institute of Forest Management Bhopal, joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.04.2012 as Private Secretary.
8. Shri Shakeel Shafi Choudhari, Upper Division Clerk, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Mumbai Regional Centre joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.04.2011 as Assistant.
9. Dr. Shivanand H Koli, Guest Lecturer, KLE's S.K. College, Soundatti joined Central University of Karnataka on 15.12.2011 as Hindi Translator, Department of Hindi.
10. Shri Siddalingayya B, Upper Division Clerk, Central University of Karnataka joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Assistant.
11. Shri Vikramadithya, Superintendent-office, Rajiv Gandhi Degree College, Gulbarga joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Assistant.
12. Shri Manjunath Annappa joined Central University of Karnataka on 19.03.2012 as Technical Assistant.
13. Shri Banoth Ramu, Upper Division Clerk, Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya Yadgiri, joined Central University of Karnataka, on 29.03.2012 as Upper Division Clerk.
14. Mrs NaseemaBanu A Gadiwan, Lower Division Clerk, Central University of Karnataka joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Upper Division Clerk.
15. Shri Gururaj Allurkar joined Central University of Karnataka on 15.03.2012 as Upper Division Clerk.
16. Shri Mohammed Qayyum joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Lower Division Clerk.
17. Shri Chandrakanth, Computer Operator, Gulbarga University joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Lower Division Clerk.
18. Shri Mallikarjun V. Bodhankar, Computer Operator, Central University of Karnataka joined Central University of Karnataka on 14.03.2012 as Lower Division Clerk.
19. Shri Mitta Ramesh joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Caretaker.

20. Shri Vijaykumar C, Assistant Supervisor, House Keeping and Stores, Hoysala Deluxe group of Hotels joined Central University of Karnataka on 15.03.2012 as Caretaker.
21. Shri Ravikumar, Lab Attendant, Central University of Karnataka joined Central University of Karnataka on 01.03.2012 as Driver.
22. Shri Ankit Mishra, Steno/Typist, Central Institute of Plastics Engineering & Technology (CIPET) joined Central University of Karnataka on 23.12.2011 as Hindi Typist, Department of Hindi.
23. Shri Azmath Khan, Cook, Maulana Azad National Urdu University joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 Cook.
24. Shri Raj Kumar Nagendra, Cook, University Canteen, Gulbarga joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Cook.
25. Shri Ashwin Kumar N. joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 as Lab Attendant.
26. Shri Devendrappa Bheemasha, Lab Attendant, CSIR Project joined Central University of Karnataka on 16.03.2012 as Lab Attendant.
27. Shri Tanaveer Lalsab Kolar, Kitchen Attendant, Sainath Security Force & Man Power Service, Bijapur has joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Hostel Attendant.
28. Shri R Hanamanth, Cook Assistant, Department of Social Welfare joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 as Hostel Attendant.
29. Mrs. Abbas Bee joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Kitchen Attendant.
30. Shri Mallikarjun S, joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Kitchen Attendant.
31. Shri Mohd. Abdul Aziz, Private Driver, Karunodaya Collge of Education, Ranga Reddy Dist., has joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 as Peon/Office Attendant.
32. Shri Parashuram joined Central University of Karnataka, joined on 01.03.2012 as Peon/Office Attendant,
33. Shri Nagaraj joined Central University of Karnataka on 02.03.2012 as Peon/Office Attendant.

34. Shri Shantappa joined Central University of Karnataka on 05.03.2012 as Peon/Office Attendant.

THE EMPLOYEES RELIEVED FROM SERVICE OF THE UNIVERSITY:

1. Dr. Kanchi Venugopal Reddy, Associate Professor, Dept. of History, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences, relieved from the service of the University on 21.12.2011.
2. Ms. Tuheena Mukherjee, Assistant Professor, Dept. Psychology, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences, relived from the service of the University on 02.02.2012.

FINANCE SECTION

BALANCE SHEET AS ON: 31/3/2012

Shri P. Sreeramulu, Finance Officer
Mr. M.A. Akheel Pasha, Asst..Finance

(Amount in Rs)

LIABILITIES	Schedule No	Current Year (2011-12)	Previous Year (2010-11)
Corpus/Capital Fund	1	2117631803	1139323646
Current Liabilities and Provisions	2	4802657	9839482
Total		2122434460	1149163128
ASSETS			
Fixed Assets	3	158269389	140516126
Investment	4	0	0
Current Assets	5	1964165071	1008647002
Total		2122434460	1149163128

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT AT THE YEAR END 31.03.2012.

(Amount in Rs)

Income	Schedule No	Current Year (2011-12)	Previous Year (2010-11)
Grants	6	100000000	294387482
Interest Earned	7	38499333	6979381
Other Income	8	3844365	1859150
Total (A)		142343698	303226013
Expenditure			
Establishment Expenses	9	36799024	17504172
Other Administrative Expenses	10	20062913	13856017
Depriciation (Corresponding to Schedule-3)		7173604	4774346
Total (B)		64035541	36134535
Balance being Surplus carried to corpus/ capital fund (A-B)		78308157	267091478