

FACULTY PROFILE
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

I. Personal Details:

- a. Name : Dr. Biju Vincent
- b. Designation : Assistant Professor
- c. Date of joining the University &
Post to which joined : 01.06.2011, Assistant Professor
- d. Course(s) taught : 1) Contemporary Trends in Sociological Theories
2) Methodology of Social Sciences
3) Culture, Media, Modernity
- e. Area of specialization : Consumption, Food system, Sociological theories
- f. Address with Phone No.

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Kamukincode veedu Cheriykonni P.O. Thiruvananthapuram – 695013 Kerala	Korattikunnen House House No. RSN 11/252 Angamaly Ernakulam

II. Academic Qualifications:

From P.G Level

Sl. No	Course	Institution	University	Year of passing
1.	MA	Dept. of Sociology	Uty. Of Kerala	2002
2.	Ph.D	Dept. of Sociology	Uty. Of Kerala	2008

III. Achievements and Awards:

No	Title of the award	Field	Sponsored by	International/ National/Regional	Year & Month
1.	Young Sociologist	Sociology	Kerala Sociological Society	National	November 2008

IV. Research Projects:

(a) Completed: Nil

(b) Ongoing:

Sl.No.	Title of the Project	Duration	Consultancy/Funding Agency
1.	<i>Breaking Structural Barriers in Eating Out Practices: changing trends in food system</i>	2012-2014	Indian Council of Social Science Research

**V. List of publications in research journal and other magazines (last 5 years) in
chronological order i.e from latest to the older:**

Sl.No.	Title of the Publication	Name of Journal	ISSN/ISBN No.	Year of Publishing
1.	Coming out and Crossing over: a inquiry into the exclusion of Transgender - Challenges and Victimization Experiences	<i>Kerala Sociologist</i>	0975-8933	2010
2.	Home: Private Space of Consumption - making of meanings from daily consumption practices	<i>Kerala Sociologist</i>	0975-8933	2009
3.	Culture Industry and Popular Culture: a Postmodern View of Consumption	<i>Kerala Sociologist</i>	0975-8933	2006
4.	Consumption: A Product of Cultural Bourgeoisie	<i>Loyola Journal of Social Sciences</i>	0971-4960	2005

VI. Details of presentations in academic seminar & workshops (last five years):

- Biju Vincent. 2012. *Queering Binaries: Transsituated Identities Bodies and Sexuality*. Seminar on “Social Exclusion & Social Development”, Trivandrum, 10-11 Jan.
- Biju Vincent. 2012. *Breaking Structural Barriers of Eating Out Practices and Understanding the Emerging Forms of Urban Pleasure*. Seminar on “Urban Development In India- Emerging Trends”, Trivandrum, 21-22 July.
- Biju Vincent. 2010. *Eating Out: creating space for middle class living in Kerala*. Indian Sociological Society Conference, Orissa, 27-29 Dec.
- Biju Vincent. 2009. *Coming out and Crossing over: a inquiry into the exclusion of transgender- Challenges and Victimization Experiences*, Kerala Sociological Society Conference, Trivandrum, 20-22 Nov.
- Biju Vincent. 2007. *The Unnoticed Death Traps – an analysis of road accidents for healthy practices*, Kerala Sociological Society Conference, Kottayam, 16-18 Nov.
- Biju Vincent. 2006. *Emerging Class Structure in the Knowledge Society*. Indian Sociological Society Conference, University of Madras, 27-29 Dec.
- Biju Vincent. 2006. *Consumer Society and Communal Harmony – A Materialistic View*. Kerala Sociological Society Conference, Trivandrum, 1-3 Dec.
- Biju, V. 2005. *Induced Consumption and Cultural Bourgeoisie*. Indian Sociological Society Conference, Jammu, 25-27, Oct.
- Biju, V. 2005. *Environment, Culture Industry and Popular Culture: a Postmodern View of Consumption*. Kerala Sociological Society Conference, Kozhikode, 2-4 Dec.
- Biju Vincent. 2004. *Development Induced Displacement – A study of the Displaced People around Trivandrum International Airport*, Kerala Sociological Society Conference, Trichur, 19-21 Nov.

VII. No. of Ph.D Produced: Nil

VIII. No. of M.Phil/Ph.D Students at present: Nil

IX. Other information (Membership in academic bodies/professional bodies in Colleges, Universities, Other Govt. Institutions):

Sl.No.	Board	Name of the Authority	Period
1	Syndicate		
2	Senate		
3	Academic Council		
4	Faculty		
5	Board of Studies		
6	Research/Doctoral Committee		
7	NSS/NCC	Programme Officer	2012-2013
8	Others (Specify)		

X. Any other relevant details (specify): Nil

NB: Enclose the proof of item I c and II – IX

Dr. Biju Vincent