

Name : **Dr. MadhusudanPenna**

Present Position : **Dean of Faculty of Indian Philosophy and Culture**

Associate Professor
Department of Indian Philosophy and Yoga
Kalidas Sanskrit University, Ramtek, Nagpur (Dist.)
Maharashtra.

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Behind Rudrashakti Enclave, Shyam Nagar, Manish Nagar,
Nagpur (Maharashtra) **09860529642 (M)**

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Educational Qualification **B.A.(Nyaya), M.A., M.Phil, Ph.D. (Yoga-Sanskrit)**

Diploma in German (CIEFL)
NET Qualified (UGC)

Languages Known : Sanskrit, Telugu, English, Hindi, Marathi, and German

Foreign Experience : **Netherlands (Vedic University, Vlodrop) 1992**

Academic Distinctions :
1. **Gold Medal** - B.A. (Nyayashastra) 1987
2. **Gold Medal** M.A. Sanskrit Dept. 1989
3. **Gold Medal** M.A. Arts faculty 1989
4. **Gold Medal** **Ph.D.(Sanskrit-Yoga)** 1995
5. **First Rank** in M.A. Sanskrit 1989
6. **Distinction** in Part **IM.Phil** (Sanskrit-Geeta) - 1990
7. **German** (CIEFL) B'grade in Diploma 1990

Modern GadgetsPrepared:

1. **Yoga - DVD in 7 parts,(Sanskrit Bharati, Delhi) 2011**
2. **Gita - CD with ShankaraBhashya (Hyderabad) 2009**
3. **Lakshmi Suprabhatam CD Times Company 2014**

3. **Advaita** **Teaching: teaching**
on www.advaitaacademy.org **2012-**

4. Documentary on KKSU 2013

- Associate Editor** : **Children literature**(Central Government Project)
133 biographies in 26 books Prepared in lucid Sanskrit
2007
- General Editor** :
1. **University Research Journal**, KKSU, Nagpur 2009
2. **University News Letter**, KKSU, Nagpur
2004-
2003-08
3. **University Annual Report** Nagpur -
2008-10
4. **University Annual Report** Nagpur -
2011.
8. **Sanskrit Journal Sahitya Academy**, New Delhi
9. Sanskrit Books KKSU 2013

- Associate Editor** :
1. **Indian Philosophical Terms & References**
Published by K.J. Somaiyya Vidyavihar, Mumbai -
2005
2. **Co-Editor of Shivakavyam** An Epic Poem
2007
Publication of K. Kalidas Sanskrit University, Ramtek,
3. **P.G. Sanskrit Course Writer** M.A. (Sanskrit)
P.S. Telugu University, Hyderabad (A.P.)
2005

Titles/Felicitations

1. **Sanskrit Pandit (title)** 2006
Sanskrit Bharati Vidarbha
on the occasion of Centenary celebrations of Shri.
Golwalkar Guruji.
2. **Yuvavipashchit (title)**
Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati, A.P.
2007
3. **Best Research Paper Award**
2004
Bruhanmaharashtra Oriental Conference, Nagpur
4. **Best Research Paper Award**
2011
National Sanskrit Conference, Mangalore

5. **BestSanskritPandit**

SriVangipuramRamanujacharyaPuraskar, Hyderabad
2012

6. **Sahitya Academy Award**

2019

Sahitya Academy, New Delhi

7. **Honorary D.Litt.**

2020

RashtriyaSamskritVidyapeeth, Tirupati, A.P.

Teaching Experience : Total Teaching Experience of 18 years

1991-92 1.1 Year at Degree level Nizam College, Hyderabad,

1993-94 2.1 Year at Shadan Degree College, Hyderabad

3.6 years UG experience,Aurora's Degree College,
Hyd'bad1994-2000 4. 6 years teaching Sanskrit,
Ramakrishna Math, Hyd'bad, 1994-2000 5. 14 years PG
experience Till February 2014

K. Kalidasa Sanskrit University, Ramtek, Nagpur.

6. Presently teaching at PG level KKSU, Ramtek, Nagpur.

Conferences:

Presented Papers (International - 8, National-34):

International (8)

1. International Congress of Vedanta, Hyderabad -
1998

2001 2. World Sanskrit Conference, New Delhi -

3. International Conference on Meditation, Mumbai -
2003

4. International Sanskrit Conference, Nagpur -
2007

2010 5. II International Sanskrit Conference, Nagpur -

6. International Conference, ICMETSS, Nagpur -
2012

2012 7. International Yoga Conference, Lonavala

2013 8. International Seminar on Cosmic Elements, Mumbai

National (34)

1. National Seminar on Telugu's Contribution to Indian Philosophy, Osmania University Hyderabad (A.P.)
1998
2. National Seminar on Yoga & its application
K.K. Sanskrit University, Nagpur
2001
3. Greater Maharashtra Oriental Conference, Nagpur
2002
4. National Seminar on Indian Linguistics,
Concept of Pada&Vakya in Nyaya'
CASS - Pune University, Pune
2002
5. National Seminar on - Problems of Sanskrit Teaching
Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati (A.P.)
2003
6. National Seminar on Yoga & Ayurveda
Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
2004
7. National Seminar on Shastra& their Social relevance,
Dept. of Sanskrit, Osmania University, Hyderabad (A.P.)
2005
8. National Seminar on Socio-political conditions as reflected
in
Dharmashastras- Sanskrit Department,
Osmania University, Hyderabad,
2006
9. Problems in Philosophy.
Dept.of Sanskrit and Philosophy,RTM Nagpur University -
2006
10. National Conference on The Role of Yoga in modern life,
Dhanwate National College, Nagpur -
2006
11. National Seminar on A contemporary perspective on
Sanskrit and the
Related Disciplines. Dhanwate National College, Nagpur -
2007.
12. National Seminar
2007
Contribution of MM Prof. R. Sriramachandradu,Osmania
University, Hyderabad
13. National Seminar on Sanskrit Shastra and its relevance.
S.V.V.V.S. College, Hyderabad -
2008.
14. National Seminar on Contribution of Andhra to
Alamkarashastra.

- Osmania University, Hyderabad -
- 2009.
- Perspectives 15. National Seminar on Vedic Studies Problems & University of Pune -
- 2009.
16. State level Seminar Yoga - Holistic Approach K.K. Sanskrit University -
- 2009.
17. State level Seminar KKSU -
- 2009
- Research perspectives & preparing research paper
18. State level Seminar Samartha College, Lakhni Linguistics -
- 2010.
- Narkhed - 19. State level Seminar, S.P. Arts & commerce College. 2010.
20. National Seminar, Srikrishnadevaraya- SVVVS.Hyderabad 2010
21. National Seminar State Admn. in Sanskrit Literature Osmaniya University - 2010.
- 2010
22. KKSU National Conference - Higher Education
23. KKSU State level conference on relevance on Vastushastra In modern life - 2010.
24. National Seminar on Yoga Practice KKSU - 2010.
25. National Seminar on concept of Brahmana CISR, Mangalore 2010
26. National Seminar 'Sankaras' Advaita, Osmaniya University 2011.
- Ujjain 27. National seminar on Sanskrit, Kalidas Sanskrit Academy, 2011
28. ViratYogasammelan JSYM, Nagpur 2011
29. National Sanskrit Conference Sanskrit Academy Telangana's Contribution To Sanskrit, Hyderabad 2012
- Nagpur 30. National conference on Environment, Dhanvate College 2012
31. National conference on Sciences in Kalidasa'sWorks,KKSU 2013

- Literature, Yavatmal 32. National Seminar on Impact of Sanskrit
2013
33. National Seminar on Yoga and Physical Education, Wardha
2014
Hyd. 2014 34. National Seminar on Dharmashastra, Sanskrit Academy,

Administrative Experience:

Member:

- Management Council,** Kalidas Sanskrit University
Academic Council, K.Kalidas Sanskrit
University
Board of Studies, K.Kalidas Sanskrit University
Examination Committee, K.Kalidas Sanskrit University
University Library Committee, K.Kalidas Sanskrit University
Doctoral Research Committee, K.Kalidas Sanskrit University

Chairman:

1. **Board of Studies,** Veda, Yoga & DYND, KKSU
University
2. **University Publication Committee,** K.K.Sanskrit
3. **Local Enquiry Committee,** KKSU
4. **University Syllabus Committee,** K.K.Sanskrit University.
5. **University Ordinance Committee,** KKSU
6. **University Non-teaching Employees Recruitment Rules**

Co-ordinator:

1. **UGC Non 12B One Time Catch Up Grant**
2. **UGC 12B Recognition**
3. **University PET Exam 2011-2012, 2012-2013**
4. **NAAC, KKSU 2014**

Workshop Attended:

1. **Sanskrit&Computers: Addressing Contemporary Challenges
2000**
LTRC, Indian Institute of Information Technology, Central University,
Hyderabad

Workshop Convenor:

1. **Workshop on Basics of Indian Philosophy**
Deptt. of Sanskrit, K.K.Sanskrit University, Ramtek
2. **Workshop on Prama and Pramana in Indian Philosophy,**

Deptt. of Sanskrit, K.K.Sanskrit University, Ramtek

3. **Seminar on Yoga - A holistic approach,** Dept. OfSkt.
K.K.Sanskrit University,

4. **National Conference on Do's & Dont's in Yoga Practice**
Deptt. of Sanskrit, K.K.Sanskrit University,
Ramtek

5. **Seminar on Yoga** Dept. of Sanskrit, K.K.Sanskrit University,
Ramtek

Chaired Sessions:

1. **National Yoga Conference** -Yoga in Modern Life,
Technical Session Dhanvate National College, Nagpur
2006

2. **National Conference** on Sanskrit & its relevance:
Yoga section, Dhanvate National College, Nagpur
2007

3. **International Sanskrit Conference** KKSU
2009

4 **State Seminar on Sanskrit,** Samartha College, Bhandara,
2010

6. **National Conference** on Yoga And Physical Education
IshwarDeshmukh College of Physical Education Nagpur,
2012

7. **National Sanskrit Conference,**
2012
SVVV Sanskrit College, Hyderabad

8. **National Sanskrit Conference,** SanskritAcademy, Hyderabad
2012

9. **International Yoga Conference,** Lonavala
2012

10. National Seminar on Dharmashashtra, Skt Academy Hyd
2014

Research Guide: **Guided** - Ph.D. 03 M.Phil students
30

05 **Presently Guiding** Ph.D., 08 M.Phil students

Examiner M.Phil, Ph.D thesis examiner

1. Rashtriya Sanskrit University, Tirupati(AP)
2. Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth, Pune
3. Department of Sanskrit, Osmania University,
Hyderabad.
4. K.Kalidas Sanskrit University, Nagpur

Examiner at PG level.

Maharashtra
Hyderabad

K.Kalidas Sanskrit University
Amravati University, Amravati, Maharashtra.
Swami Ramanandatirtha University, Nanded,
Department of Sanskrit, Osmania University,
KaivalyadhamYogadham, Lonavla, Pune

Publications

(Books) Sanskrit Original (12), Translations (15), Monograph (1)

Sanskrit (12) : Mahakavya 2 &Lahghukavya10

Mahakavya 2:

1. **Kavyakanthacharitam (1000 verses)**
2012

Publisher :Chinmaya International Research Foundation, Kerala
Description :The life of GanapatiMuni.

2. **Prajnachakshusham (A poem in 850 verses)**
2011

Life of Shri GulabraoMaharaj, New Bharatiya Book Corporation,
New Delhi published

Lahghukavya10

1. **Yogasutrasara** 1996

Publisher : Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)

Subject :**Yoga**

Description : The theories of Yoga system in 250 verses.

2. **Mudgalacharitam**
1997

Publisher :Samskrutabharati, Hyderabad

(A.P.)

Description : Play in 4 acts depicting the life of Sage

Mudgala.

3. **Vasudhaivakutumbakam**
2001

Publisher :Gunjaravam (Skt monthly) Ahmednagar

Description : Life of Rahul Sankrutyan in 120 verses

4. **Narmedham**
2001

Publisher :ArvacheenaSanskrutam (Skt Magazine) Delhi
Description : 55 verses on Terrorist Attack on WTC, USA

- 2003
5. **Avedanam**
 Publisher :ArvacheenaSanskrutam (Skt Magazine) Delhi
 Description : 53 verses in praise of Mother Gayatri.
6. **KavyakanthoVijayate** 2004
 Publisher :Gunjaravam (Skt magazine) Ahmednagar,MS
 Description : A play on the life of
 KavyakanthaGanapatimuni.
7. **Krupabhisandhi** (Stotrakavya in 100 Shloka)
 2005
 Publisher : Unpublished
 Description : 100 verses on the glory of favorite goddess
8. **Tattvasushama**(Short poem in 130 verses)Unpublished
 2010.
9. Devaratavaibhavam (Short poem in 80 verses)
 Unpublished 2012
10. Kaakadutam (Short poem in 100 verses) Unpublished
 2014

- Edited Sanskrit Texts:**
- 1 ShandilyabhaktrisutraBhashyam -
 2011
2. Advaitasamrajyam -
 2008.
- 3 Dravyasarasangraha -
 2008

Translations (15)

1. Sanskrit into Telugu

1. **Skandapuramam** (Part I) ArshaVijnana Trust, Hyderabad
 (A.P.) 1998
2. **Tarkabhasha** Srivarennya Publications,
 Hyderabad (A.P.) 1999
3. **Adhyatmaramayanam**Arshavijnana Publications,
 Hyderabad 2000
4. **Nirnayasindhu** Sri Ramapublishers, Hyderabad (A.P.)
 2004
5. **Vemabhupalacharitam**SktPracharaSamithi Hyderabad
 (A.P.) 2005
6. **Bhagavatadarshanam**SriVangipuramRamanujacharya
 Trust, 2012
7. **Avyaktopanishad**Aurora Publications, Hyderabad
 2014

2. Sanskrit into English

- Delhi. 2004 1. **Yogasiddhantachandrika** Parimal Publications, New
- 2005 2. **Maneeshapanchakam of Srishankara**
English Translation of commentary of Sadashivendrayogin
on Shankara's verses. Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
- 2006 3 **Upanishad- philosophy** (From Marathi into English)
- 2008 4. **Advaitasamrajyam** (English) - Hyderabad Publication.
- 2012 5. **Brahmatattvaprakasika-** Brahmasutra Commentary
Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
- Tirupati, 2012 6. **Susamhatabharatam** Rashtriya Sanskrit University,
- Delhi 2013 7. **Bhushanasara** New Bharatiya Book Corporation, New

3. Marathi into Sanskrit

1. **Sanskrit Nyaya** (Idioms) Laukikanyayakosh-
2011
Published by Sanskrit Bharati, New Delhi.

4. Monograph:

- Delhi 2012 1. **Yoga-Metaphysics, New** Bharatiya Book Corporation,

Articles (31)

1. **SrimadBhagavatam**, Saptagiri - (English)
1993
2. **Abhinavagupta's Gita Commentary** (Sanskrit)
1993
Journal of Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
3. **Pratyabhijnadarshana - A study** (Sanskrit)
1993
Journal of Telugu Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
4. **Yoga for Peace & bliss**, Saptagiri (English)
1994
Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanam (A.P.)
5. **Definition & its place in NavyaNyaya** (Telugu)
1994
Telugu Academy Journal, Hyderabad (A.P.)
5. **Theories about Creation and Creator In the Vaishnava Schools of Vedanta**
Sanskrit Journal of Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad (A.P.)
1995
6. **Abhinavagupta's commentary on the Gita** (English)
1999

- Department of Sanskrit, Journal Osmania University, Hyderabad
(A.P.)
7. **Justification of Bhakti in Advaita** (English)
2000
Osmania Journal of Sanskrit Studies, Osmania University,
Hyderabad (A.P.)
8. **Avidya in Yoga system** (English)
2001
Journal of Sanskrit Department, Osmaniya University, Hyderabad
(A.P.)
9. **Yoga and Psychology** (English)
2001
Pushpagiripeetham Souvenir, Hyderabad (A.P.)
10. **Yoga Literature in Sanskrit** (English)
2001
Janashree Publications Souvenir, Hyderabad (A.P.)
11. **Synthesis of Yoga Varieties** (English)
2001
World Sanskrit Conference New Delhi
12. **Stress Management by Yoga** (English)
2001
National Seminar Papers KKSU, Nagpur
13. **Narayana Teertha on Yoga Philosophy** (English)
2002
Sant Samagam Research Institute Jammu
14. **Samanyalakshana Pratyasatti in Indian logic** (English)
2002
Pramod Sindhu, P.G. lalye felicitation volume Pune
15. **Asamprajnata yoga - A Chittavrutti** (Sanskrit)
2002
Greater Maharashtra Oriental Conference Nagpur
* Awarded 'Best Paper' in Philosophy Section.
16. **Concept of Pada & Vakya in Nyaya** (English)
2002
National Seminar on Indian Linguistics CASS - Pune
17. **Concept of Mukti in Nyaya Shastra** (Sanskrit)
2003
S. Ramanujacharya Felicitation Volume Hyderabad (A.P.)
18. **Sanskrit - teaching problems** (Sanskrit)
2004
National Seminar, Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati -
19. **Narayanatirtha's Contribution to Yoga** (Sanskrit)
2004
National Conference on Yoga & Ayurveda Sanskrit Academy,
Hyderabad
20. **Shri Aurobindo on Meditation** (English)
2003
International Conference on Meditation.
K.J. Somaiyya Sanskriti Peetham, Mumbai
21. **Tarka in Indian logic** (English)
2004

Prof. Thite Felicitation Volume, Pune.

22. **Two-fold Kaivalyam in Yoga system** (English)

Prof. ShridharVashishtha felicitation Volume Orissa.

23. **Yogashastra in modern life**. Journal of Sanskrit Department,
2005

Osmaniya University, Hyderabad

24. **Stress-free life through Yoga** (English)

2005

National Seminar on Shastras and their application,

Dept. of Sanskrit Osmania University, Hyderabad (A.P.)

25. **Socio-Political conditions as reflected in**

ApastambaDharmasutra 2006

Journal of Sanskrit Academy, Osmaniya University

26. **IdamdvaramApavargasya**(Sanskrit)

2007

ShriShrinivasacharya Felicitation Volume, Hyderabad,

27. **Shankara on the Bhagavadgita**

2011

Journal of Sanskrit Academy, Osmaniya University

28. **Language Components - A Shastrik Analysis -**

2012

Department Journal, Sanskrit Department, Yavatmal

29. **Concept of Brahman in the Upanishads**

2012

Brahmawani, Randheer Campus, Jammu Kashmir

30. **Verbal Cognition in the Yoga system** (English) -

2012

Dhimahi, ChinmayaInternational,Kerala

Resource Person

Nagpur - 2002.

1. **Teacher's Training Camp,** SanskrutaBharati

SanskrutaBharatiBhandara

2. **Teacher's Training Camp,**

3. **Teacher's Training Camp, Govt. of Goa**

Ministry of Education, Goa

2004

4. **Centre for Distance Education,**

Osmania University, Hyderabad (A.P.)

1999

5. **Teacher's Refresher Course**

Dept. of English, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur -

2005

6. **Teacher's Training Camp,** Dept. of Philosophy

Smt. BinzaniMahilaMahavidyalaya, Nagpur.

7. **NCERT,** New Delhi, Language & Grammar Resource

Person,

	2010.	Goa -	
Nagpur	2011	8. Manuscriptology Workshop , Morriss College,	
	2011	9. KKSU Grammar Workshop Nagpur	
	2012	10. Yogagurukul, Nashik	
	2013	11. M.D.National Institute of Yoga, New Delhi	
		12. Yogavidyadham, Nashik	2013
		13. Yogavidyadham, Nashik	2014

Keynote Address:

	2009	1. National Yoga conference, Narkhed, Maharashtra -	
Nagpur-2011		2. National conference on Yoga Education, Kamptee,	
	2012	3. International Yoga Conference Lonavala	

Speeches

	:	1. On various topics on AIR , Hyd'bad, & Nagpur.	
	:	2. Shankarajayanti SpeechesAyachitMandir,Nagpur.	
	:	3. SanskrutaBhashaPracharaSabhai, Nagpur	
	:	4. 'Jaganmithya' in Advaita	
2004		Department of	of
Philosophy,ShriBinzaniMahavidyalaya, Nagpur.			

	:	5. Science & Sanskrit	
2004		Department of Sanskrit, Dharampeth Science	
College, Nagpur.			
	:	6. SamskrutaShikshakPrashikshan	
	:	K.K. Sanskrit University, Nagpur.	

Education

		7. Two lectures 1) Darshana 2) Ancient Indian	
		BharatiyaShikshana Mandala,	
		M.M. Hardas Memorial Lectures, Nagpur	
2003			
	:	8. On Yogashastra ,ShringeriShankara Math,	
Hyderabad, 1999			
	:	9. On Yogashastra , Sanskrit Academy, Hyderabad	
2004			

- :
Nagpur - 2005
- :
2005
- (for last 13 yrs.)
10. **On Rajayoga** Shri Rao Memorial Lecture Series,
 11. **On the Philosophy of Aadishankara.**
Andhra MahilaSamaj, Nagpur
 12. **Spiritual Discourses at Rammandir, Nagpur**

Yoga Sessions Conducted:

Has been practicing Yoga for the last 25 years.
Learnt Yoga traditionally (Asana & Pranayama)

1991

Initiated into Transcendental Meditation

by Maharshi Mahesh Yogi, Netherlands.

(Conducted)

Yoga session for Officers at ICRISAT, Hyderabad
sponsored by HRD Academy, Hyderabad.

1998

(Conducted)

Yoga session for Officers at ICRISAT, Hyderabad
sponsored by HRD Academy, Hyderabad.

1999

Hyderabad, A.P.

Yoga camp for managers at State Bank of
1998

Hyderabad, A.P.

Yoga camp for managers at State Bank of
1999

Yoga camp (twice) at the college of Management
2001-02

Studies,

Studies, Dhananjayrao Gadgil College of Management
Nagpur,

Yoga camp for Students at Smt Bizani Women's College,
2005 Nagpur
