

## *Brief Biography of Dr.M. Selvam*

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**Professor Murugesan Selvam** has been Heading the Department of Commerce and Financial Studies, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu, India, and the Founder-Publisher cum Chief Editor of **SMART Journal of Business Management Studies**, a Referred, Indexed, Professional and International Journal ([www.smartjournalbms.org](http://www.smartjournalbms.org)) since 2005. He was former Director i/c, UGC Academic Staff College, Bharathidasan University.

**Education:** Born in a rural area, a small village in Ariyalur District, Tamil Nadu, had a great ambition in Life and also to serve the Society. He obtained his B. Com from A.V.C. College, Mayiladuthurai and got his M. Com from Annamalai University. Not satisfied with academic achievement he pursued Doctorate in Commerce from the same University in 1992. Additionally, he also acquired Master of Arts in Distance Education (MADE) from IGNOU, New Delhi in 1998 and Masters in Business Administration (M.B.A) from Periyar University in 2012. Also, he obtained **D.Litt in Management** from Bharathiar University in 2017.

**Career:** Start his career in the Centre for Distance Education, Bharathidasan University in 1992, he moved to the Department of Commerce in 1999. Since 2005, he is the Senate Member of Bharathidasan University. He is currently the Dean, Faculty of Management, Bharathidasan University.

**Introduction of New Courses:** As the Head of Commerce and Financial Studies, he designed and introduced various professional courses namely MBA in Financial Management, first of its kind in the regular stream, MBA in Marketing Management and M. Phil in Management.

**Professional Bodies:** Apart from being a HOD, he also serves as member of several academic committees, Boards of Studies of various Universities in India. Further he is the Life Member of many Professional Bodies like Indian Commerce Association, Indian Accounting Association, Association of Economists of Tamil Nadu, Tamil Nadu Investors Association, The Indian Econometrics Society and Tiruchirappalli District Tiny and Small Scale Industries Association (TIDITSSIA). He also acted as member of the **UGC** and **AICTE** Committee.

## **Publications**

**Articles:** To his credit, **Dr.M. Selvam** has been a researcher in the area of Financial Management for over two decades. He has published more than **180 research papers** in various referred Journals including foreign Journals & 22 Chapters in edited books and worked on more than **7 research projects** funded by UGC and ICSSR, New Delhi. He has also been instrumental in bringing out 16 Doctorates and 13 M.Phils Scholars in the area of Finance.

**Books:** He has **authored Ten Books and co-authored thirteen Books**. To mention a few, Mergers and Acquisitions in Banking Sector, Customers Loyalty Management in Banking, Capital Market Efficiency, Mutual Funds.

**Foreign Visit:** **Dr.M.Selvam** visited Singapore in 2006, Malaysia in 2010, Sri Lanka in 2011, USA and Dubai in 2013 to present research papers at the various International Conferences / Seminars. Besides, he visited National University of Singapore, Multimedia University of Malaysia, University of Jaffna and Rajarata University of Sri Lanka. He also delivered a talk in a live Tamil Television Programme in VANAVIL TV called Vizhuthugal in Malaysia and All India Radio, Tiruchirappalli.

**Dr.M.Selvam** organized several national and international level conferences / seminars/ workshops. Also he delivered more than 100 invited lectures at different colleges / universities.

**Editorial Board:** Apart from being the Founder- Publisher cum Chief Editor of **SMART Journal of Business Management Studies**, he is also the Editorial Board of five reputed Journals which include Kaveripakkam College Journal of Management Research, Journal of Financial Services and Management, CMRD Journal of Management Research and ACCST Research Journal. Besides, he is a Blind Reviewer for various Commerce and Management Journals.

**Awards:** **Dr.M.Selvam** has been conferred with the **Rashtria Vidya Saraswati Puraskar Award** in 2008, **Eminent Citizen of India Award** in 2008, **Jewel of India Award** in 2009, **P.K. Das Memorial Best Faculty Award** in 2010, **Best Professor Award** in 2013, **Award for Research Excellence in 2016 and Editorial Excellence Award 2017 in 2017** in recognition of his contribution to academic, research and administrative achievements.

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