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DirectorState Resource Center for Adult Education, Karnataka, INDIA | *::* | From March 1, 2012 till dateFrom Sep 29, 2012 till dateFrom Nov 8, 2010 till November 30, 2011Feb 20, 2007 to March 31, 2010June 1, 2005 to April 27, 2007Oct 16, 1985 to Oct 15, 1990Jan 18, 1982 to Oct 15, 1985Oct 16, 1990 to May 20, 1991Oct 01, 1991 to Feb 19, 2007Nov 05, 1973 to Jan 17, 1982Aug 06, 1973 to Oct 06, 1973May 21, 1991 to Sep 30, 1991 |
| * **Awards:**
1. The best administrative Kannada literature for *audyamika Kannada* awarded by the Government of Karnataka, 1989.
2. The best monograph on Dravidian Tribes for *A Descriptive Analysis of Yerava* awarded by the International School of Dravidian Linguistics, 1995.
* **Participation in professional conferences/seminars/workshops/meetings abroad:**
1. Munich, *Germany* to participate in the **International Conference on Maintaining Language Diversity in the Face of Globalization** organized by the Eufo Institute, Germany, January 2003. Presented a paper on ‘Globalization and Indian Languages.’
2. Budapest, *Hungary* to participate in the **Tenth Conference of the European Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics (EACL03)** from April 12 to 17, 2003. Presented a referred and accepted paper ‘Corpora in Minor Languages of India: Some Issues’ in the Workshop on “Computational Linguistics for South Asian Languages- Expanding Synergies.”
3. Regensburg, *Germany* during July 2003 to participate in the **First Conference cum Presentation of “Inter-lingual communication by representing the mother tongue in COD”**at the Invitation of the Eufo-Institute, Regensburg held at the University of Regensburg.
4. Katmandu, *Nepal*, from January 5 to 7, 2004. SCALLA 2004 to participate in the Working Conference: **Crossing the Digital Divide - Shaping Technologies to Meet Human Needs** and presented a paper on “Indian Multilingualism, Language Policy and the Digital Divide”.
5. Kuala Lumpur, *Malaysia*, October 5 to 8, 2004. Presented a paper on “Fifty Years of Language Planning for Modern Hindi: The Official Language of India” in the **Congress of World’s Major Languages** at the invitation of Dewan Bahasa dan PustakaMalayasia.
6. Colombo, *Sri Lanka*, September 23 to October 3, 2006 to teach in the **Workshop on Second National Language Curriculum Development** conducted by the National Institute of Education, Sri Lanka.
7. Moka, *Mauritius*, April 17 to 22, 2007 to participate in the **Project Advisory Committee meeting** of the Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore and Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Moka, Mauritius collaborative programme.
8. Beijing, *China*, March 26 - 27, 2009 to participate in the UNESCO **Expert Meeting on Cyber Networking for Language Learning** organized by UNESCO and Government of China.
* **Research Projects undertaken and completed (other than that for a research degree):**

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| **Subject of Research** | **Date of Commencement** | **Date of Completion** |
| **Creating Contemporary 20 million word Balanced Hindi Corpora and Tagging** | **April 14, 2005** | **April 13, 2008** |
| **Creating text corpora of contemporary Bengali, Hindi and Manipuri** | **April 11, 2005** | **Oct , 2005** |
| **Creating speech corpora of contemporary Bengali, Hindi and Manipuri** | **Nov 1, 2005** | **May 15, 2006** |
| **Creating speech corpora of Contemporary Urdu and Kashmiri** | **September 24, 2007** | **March 31, 2008** |
| **Localization of Language Inter phase Pack 0.3 and Windows into Indian languages** | **June 1, 2009** | **Sep 30, 2011** |
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**PUBLICATIONS*** **Books in English**
1. ***Vocabulary Education***. Mysore: Vagdevi pustakagaLu. 1985.
2. Modified version available on the net at [http://www.languageinindia](http://www.languageinindia/). 2002
3. ***Language Use in Administration and National Integration***. Mysore: Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL). 1986.
4. ***A Descriptive Analysis of Yerava*.** Mysore: Central Institute of Indian Languages.1993.
5. ***Readability of Text books in Indian Languages***(With others), A World Bank project. Delhi: National Council of Educational Research and Training. 1995.
* **Books in Kannada**
1. *modalahejje*. (with S.S. Yadurajan) On teaching Kannada as first language in schools. Mysore: CIIL. 1985
2. *sarihejje*. On error analysis. Mysore: CIIL. 1987
3. *hosahejje*. (with S.S. Yadurajan) On teaching Kannada to the children of linguistic minorities. Mysore: CIIL. 1988
4. *Kannada shailikaipiDi*. (with others) Kannada Style Manual. Hampi: Prasaaraanga, Kannada University and Mysore: CIIL.1995
5. *nirantara*. (with S.S. Yadurajan) On teaching Kannada in the secondary schools. Mysore: CIIL. 2000.[ ISBN-81-7342-069-6]
6. *samakaaliina*. On using newspapers in language education. Mysore: CIIL. 2000.[ISBN-81-7342-070-X]
* **Manuals and books to teach Kannada**
1. *Kannada nuDi (Level 1)*. State level school reader in Kannada for Non-Kannada speaking students. Mysore: CIIL. 1981.
2. *byankinavarige* Kannada (with K. R. Sadanand). Kannada for bank Employees. Mysore: CIIL. 1984.
3. *Kannada baaradavarige ance muulaka KannaDa paaThagaLu. Lessons to teach Kannada to those government employees who do not know Kannada*. Mysore: CIIL and Bangalore: Directorate of Kannada and Culture, Government of Karnataka.1985. (Reprinted 3 times, revised and reprinted in 1998).
4. *Kannada citra padakoosha*. A pictorial glossary in Kannada. Mysore: CIIL and Bangalore: Directorate of Kannada and Culture, 1986.
5. *aaDaLita Kannada abhyaasa pustaka*. (with others). A work book on administrative Kannada. Mysore: CIIL and Bangalore: Directorate of Kannada and Culture, 1986.
6. *audyamika Kannada*. (with S.S. Yadurajan) on Industrial Kannada. Mysore: CIIL and Bangalore: Karnataka Soaps and Detergents Ltd. 1989.
7. *Kannada bharati - 1 to 4*. (with others). The first language Kannada readers for first to fourth standards in the primary schools of Karnataka. Bangalore: Directorate of Text books, Govt of Karnataka. 1989-93.
8. *sooliga siddhi - 1*. (with others) a text book to teach Soliga, a tribal language to the First standard Soliga children. Bangalore: District Primary Education Program. 1999.
9. *aaDaLita Kanada kaarya shibirada kaipidi* (with others) A Manual of Administrative Kannada. Hampi: Kannada University and Bangalore: Kannada Development Authority, Govt. of Karnataka. 2009.
* **Edited volumes**
1. *paalgoLLalu kaliyiri*. Learning for participation. Mysore: State Resource Centre.1991.
2. South Asian Language Review, Vol.5 No.2, June 1995. Special Issue on the future of linguistics in India (with E. Annamalai)
3. *Girijana samskruti darshana*. An overview of tribal culture, (with others). Bangalore: District Primary Education Program. 1998.
4. Linguistics Curriculum. Mysore: Central Institute of Indian Languages, 1999.
5. *KannaDa vishvakoosha - bhaashe*. Kannada Encyclopedia - Language. (with K.V. Narayan) Hampi.
6. Dogri Style Manual. Mysore and Jammu, Dogri Sansthan and Central Institute of Indian Languages. 2008.[ISBN 81-7342-179-X]
7. Urdu Style Manual. Lucknow. Urdu Teaching and Research Centre. 2011.[ISBN 81-7342-082-3]
8. Nepali Style Manual*.* Mysore and Gangtok. Central Institute of Indian Languages and Sikkim Akademi. 2011. [ISBN 81-7342-086-6]
9. Kashmiri Style Manual. Patiala. Northern Regional Language Centre. 2011.[ISBN 81-7342-085-8]
10. Gujarati Style Manual. Mysore. Central Institute of Indian Languages. 2011 [ISBN 978-81-7343-111-1]
* **Papers in English**
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2. Text book and Adult Education, 1980. Indian Journal of Adult Education. Vol.40, No.5, pp.19-21. [ISSN 0019-5006]
3. Causative constructions in Kannada (with K. Rangan) 1982. *R.C.Hiremath* *Felicitation volume*, edited by M. M. Kalburgi. Dharwar: Prasaranga, Karnatak University. pp.151-158.
4. A language movement in Karnataka. 1985. In *Profiles in Indian Languages and Literatures*, edited by ArunkumarBiswas. Kanpur: Indian Languages Society. pp.264-279.
5. General and need based second language courses. 1989. International Review of Applied Linguistics. Vol. 40, No.5, pp.230-233.[ISSN 0019-042X]
6. The Eighth Schedule Languages - A Critical appraisal. 1995. In *Language and the State: Perspectives in the Eighth Schedule*, edited by R.S. Gupta., New Delhi: Creative Books. pp.61-83. [ISBN81-86318-20-8]
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9. Evolution of Language Policy for Education in Karnataka. 2001. In *Papers in Applied Linguistics-I*, edited by K.S. Rajyashree and Udaya Narayana Singh. Mysore: CIIL. pp. 122-145.[ISBN-81-7342-087-4]
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12. Language According to Census of India 2001. 2001. Language in India, Volume, 1:2 April. [ISSN 1930-2940]
13. Bilingualism and Census of India 2001.2001. Language in India, Volume1:3 May. [ISSN 1930-2940]
14. Languages in the School Curriculum: Challenges of the New Millennium.2001. Language in India, Volume1:4 June- July -August.[ISSN 1930-2940]
15. Linkages for the education of the Minorities, Karnataka: A Case Study. 2001. Language in India, Volume1:5 September. [ISSN 1930-2940]
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25. Strangers in Their Own Land! Campbell's Defense of Indian Vernaculars Against Lord Macaulay's Minute with M.S. Thirumalai. 2004. Language in India. Volume 4, February. [ISSN 1930-2940]
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32. A Peek into Some of the Linguistic Ideas of Early Gandhi with M.S.Thirumalai.2006. Language in India. Volume 6. June.[ISSN 1930-2940]
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2. *aaDaLita KannaDa tarabeeti kaaryakramagaLu*.1985.(Administrative Kannada training programs in administrative Kannada). Bangalore: Directorate of Kannada and Culture.pp.91-118.
3. *Samaajada caalaneg ebhaashe gaali*. 1988. (Language in Society). Kannada Prabha.
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9. *Shaikshanika karnataka - 1998*. 1999. Kannada adhyayana, Vol.5 No.4. pp. 54-63.
10. *Kriyaa samshoodhane*. 1999. (Action research). In Research in Adult literacy. Mysore: State Resource Centre. pp.85-92.
11. *bareyuvudu*. 2002. In kriyatmaka KannaDa. Hampi: Kannada University. pp.44-55.
12. *maatrubhaaSheyaagi Kannada boodhane mattu vyaakarana*. 2007. Inhosatu. Bangalore: Nava Karnataka Publications. pp 47-48.
13. *eekiikaraNaanantara aaDaLita nirvahaNeyalli Kannada baLake*. 2011. InPunaraavalookana. Ed by HampaNagarajaiah. Bangalore. Directorate of Kannada and Culture. Pp 51-62.
* **Audio and video programs for mass media**
1. *KannaDa vidyaarthigaLa bhaashika tappugaLu*: A course on error analysis broadcast by the All India Radio, Bangalore.
2. *KannaDa paaThaavaLi* - A set of audio cassettes having conversational lessons for practicing spoken Kannada.
3. *KannaDa kannaDi* - (Script with S.S. Yadurajan) ten episodes for teaching Kannada script telecast over Doordarshan 9 Television channel during 2000.
* **Paper presentation (yet to be published)**
1. “Rights, Mobility of Citizens and Language Choice in India” in the 33rd All India Conference of Linguists held at Chandigarh from Oct 1 to 3, 2011.
2. “Managing Multilingualism in India” in the International Conference on “Multilingualism: Concepts & Contexts” in India on Oct 12, 2011 at the Department of German, University of Bombay, Mumbai.
* **Linguistic Data Consortium for Indian Languages (LDC-IL)**

**Guided and supervised the preparation of the following {These are e-publications}:** **1. Frequency Dictionaries**

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| a. Assamese | f. Hindi | k. Manipuri |
| b. Bengali | g. Indian English | l. Nepali |
| c. Bodo | h. Kannada | m. Punjabi |
| d. Dogri | i. Konkani | n. Tamil |
| e. Gujarati | j. Malayalam | o. Urdu |

  **2. Speech Dataset**

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| a. Assamese | h. Kannada | o. Oriya |
| b. Bengali | i. Konkani | p. Punjabi |
| c. Bodo | j. Maithili | q. Tamil |
| d. Dogri | k. Malayalam | r. Telugu |
| e. Gujarati | l. Manipuri | s. Urdu |
| f. Hindi | m. Marathi |  |
| g. Indian English | n. Nepali |  |

**3. Natural Language Processing Tools**1. Frequency Counter- Consonant, vowel, first letter in the word & in the sentence, first word.
2. Frequency Editor
3. KWIC and KWOC retriever
4. N-gram - Character level (uni-gram, bi-gram and tri-gram)
	* Word level (uni-gram, bi-gram and tri-gram)
5. Automatic Transliterator: Transliteration for Indian languages to Roman
6. Storage Interface for Speech Data
* **Membership of Learned Societies and Boards**
1. *Reviewer*, Twenty-sixth National prize competition for literature for neo-literates.
2. *Reviewer*, Kannada literacy primers prepared for Bijapur district literacy campaign, 1990.
3. *Reviewer*, Instructional materials in Kannada, prepared by the Kerala University using Cognate method.
4. *Special invitee*, Syllabus Committee to prepare the syllabus to teach Kannada to school children under the Gokak formula, Directorate of Text books, Government of Karnataka.
5. *Member*, Expert Committee to prepare sample objective type of language tests for entrance examinations of the All India Services of the Union Public Service Commission, Government of India.
6. *Member*, Text book Committee to prepare text books to teach Kannada to the children of the linguistic minorities in Karnataka under the Gokak formula, Government of Karnataka.
7. *Member*, Text book Committee to prepare text books in Kannada under the National Adult Education Programme, 1979 - 80. State Resource Centre, Mysore.
8. *Member*, Syllabus Committee to prepare syllabus to teach Kannada to those who do not know Kannada, Directorate of Kannada and Culture, Government of Karnataka.
9. *Member*, Editorial Committee to prepare literature for Neo-literates for the year 1993-94, Kannada University, Hampi.
10. *Member*, State Resource Group for Tribal Education, District Primary Education Program, Government of Karnataka, 1995 - 99.
11. *One Man Committee*, Development of Kannada Software, Department of Information Technology, Government of Karnataka, 1999.
12. *Member*, Committee to standardize codes for use of Kannada in computers, Department of Information Technology, Government of Karnataka, 2000.
13. *Member*, Committee to Review the Structure, Methodology, and Content of Language Teaching Programme for Officer Trainees at Lal Bahadur Shastri national Akademy of Administration, Mussoorie.
14. *Member*, Programme Committee**,** International Conference on Natural Language Processing**-**ICON 2002(Mumbai), 2003(Mysore), 2004(Hyderabad), 2005(Kanpur) 2007(Hyderabad), 2008(Pune) and 2009(Hyderabad).
15. *Member*, Programme Committee, Fifth Global WordNet Conference 2010, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay.
16. *Member*, Project Review and Steering Group for the Consortium mode project ‘Development of Cross-lingual Information Access, of the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2006-2008)
17. *Member*, Project Review and Steering Group for the Consortium mode project ‘Development of technology for the languages of the North Eastern Region of India, of the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2008-2011).
18. *Member*, Project Review and Steering Group for the Consortium mode project ‘Indian Languages Corpora Initiative, of the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2009-2011, and now further continued).
19. *Member*, Indian Language Technologies and Products Sectional Committee (LITD 20) of the Bureau of Indian Standards, New Delhi - 110 002 (Since 2008till Nov 30, 2011).
20. *Member*, Sub-Committee on Language Tag of the Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2009).
21. *Member,* Project Review and Steering Group for the project ‘Testing and Deployment of IDN Tools, Maintenance and up gradation of policies and assistance for roll out of Domain Names in Indian Languages’. (Three year project) Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2011).
22. *Member,* Project Review and Steering Group for the project ‘ Design and Development of Voice Based Internet Browsing System in Hindi for Health Domain’. (18 month project) Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2011).
23. *Member,* Project Review and Steering Group for the project ‘Three Indian Languages WordNet’ Projects funded by TDIL, Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, Government of India (2012).
24. *Member,*[Language Development *-* Census, Surveys, Policy], National Editorial Collective, People’s Linguistic Survey of India[PLSI], Bhasha Research and Publication Centre, Vadodara - 390007, Gujarat.
25. *Editor* - **Language in India [ISSN 1930-2940]**, an Online Monthly Journal [www.languageinindia.com](http://www.languageinindia.com/).
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