

PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY

PROFILE OF THE DEPARTMENT

(FOR REACCREDITATION PURPOSE OF NAAC)

(Wherever applicable select the closest option and strike out the others which are not applicable.

If something is Not Applicable write NA. Please use Separate Sheets wherever necessary)

(Information shall be given for the period from July 2004 to June 2009)

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name of the Department					Department of Applied Psychology						
2. Location of Institution					Pondicherry University						
3. Name and Address of Institution					Pondicherry – 605 014.						
Web/URL Home page											
Email											
4. Year (Date if available) of Establishment					October 2007						
5. Built-up Area in Sq. Ft.											
6. Institutional Autonomy											
7. Total Student Strength of the Department (2009)					45						
8. Programs Offered:											
8.(i) Post-Graduate: (Please specify courses. If necessary use additional sheets) M.Sc Applied Psychology											
Total Intake		Total Student Strength		Students from Pondicherry University		Students from Other Universities		Students from Other States		NRI Students	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
2007- 2009 (20)		7	6	4	4	3	2	3	2	--	--
2008 – 2010 (31)		3	14	2	1	1	13	1	13	--	--
2009 – 2011 (40)		7	21	2	6	5	15	5	15	--	--
8.(ii) Ph.D.: (Please specify subjects. If necessary use additional sheets) No admission											
Total Intake	Total Student Strength		Students from Pondicherry University		Students from Other Universities		Students from Other States		NRI Students		
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
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9. Number of Permanent Teaching Faculty					Male: 4		Female: 1		Total: 5		
10. Number of Teaching Posts Sanctioned					Professor: -			Reader: 2			
					Lecturer: 3			Lab. Assistant: 1(contract bases)			
11. Number of Teaching Posts Occupied					Professor: --			Reader: 2			
					Lecturer: 3			Others (Please specify):			

12. List of Technical Staff:							
Sl. No.	Name	Sex	Date of Birth	Date of Super-annuation	Technical	Designation	Highest Qualification
1.	Dinagaran S.	M	8.11.1981			Lab Asst.	M.Phil
13. Number of Administrative Staff 2 nos E. Munisamy (Junior Assistant) M. Ravichandran (Group D)					Clerical: Male: 1 Female: Total: 1 Attenders: Male: Female: Total: Peons: Male: 1 Female: Total: 1		
14. Whether the Institution has been assessed and accredited by any Agency like NAAC/NBA/AICTE/DEC/etc.?					Yes, NAAC		
15. What are the admission policies in your institution? (Please strike our whichever is not applicable)							
(i) Admission based on Marks in Qualifying exam alone :							
(ii) Admission based on (i) and Entrance exam (University /State / National level): National Level Admission based upon 1 + 1 - Yes							
(iii) Admission based on (i) and / or (ii) and / or (iii) and / or Interview / Group Discussion:							
(iv) Counselling for students done before Admission:							
(v) Counselling for students done after Admission:							
(vi) Percentage of Reservations available for Admission under categories SC-2 + 1/ST-1+1/OBC /Sports-1/NRI-2/ as per orders of the Govt. of India Women / Category Percentage Internal students /Physically Challenged /Domicile of State / Other State students / Wards of employees, etc.							
(vii) Any others (please specify):							
16. Is there any review of the Admission Policy?							
17. When was the Admission Policy reviewed of late?							
18. How are the courses / programmes advertised?					National Dailies/ University web site		
19. Number of Working days per semester?					90 days		
20. Number of Teaching days per semester?					90 days		
21. Are there any policy guidelines for curriculum revision?							
22. Is there any academic body for design and / or review of curriculum?					Yes, Programme Committees, Academic Council, School Board		

23. When was the curriculum last revised?	Curriculum was formulated in 2007,09
24. Are the curricula revised for all programmes simultaneously or partially?	
25. Does the institution have credit transfer system?	Yes, from a few universities
26. Methods of Instruction followed	As per University regulation
27. Exam. System followed	Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)
28. Is there Internal Assessment? If yes, what percentage of the total is this and in what faculty?	Yes 40%
29. Is there external valuation?	Yes
30. Has the institution introduced any innovations in exam?	Yes
31. Are the exams held as per schedule? If not, give reasons.	As per Schedule
32. Are the results declared as per schedule? If not, give reasons.	As per Schedule
33. Grants received from various sources	--
34. Fee structure per annum:	As per University rules

GENERAL AND INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES

35. Does the Institution have Dept. Libraries? Are these connected with the main Library?	No
36. Area of the Library in Sq. Ft.	
37. Number of Books in the Library Number of Text books in the Library Number of Reference books in Library Number of Audio cassettes Number of Video cassettes Number of CD ROMS	All Library books are in the Central Library
38. Number of Books purchased last year by Library	
39. Is there a Computer Laboratory?	No
40. Area of the Computer Laboratory in Sq.Ft.	--
41. Number of Computers in the Institution	8
42. Number of Computers Available for use by Students	1
43. Number of Computers Available for Staff	7
44. Is the Administration of the Institution computerized?	Yes
45. Does the Institution have an Auditorium?	Yes
46. Does the Institution have Canteen facilities?	Yes
47. Does the Institution have a Student Centre?	Yes
48. Does the Institution have facilities for Indoor Games / Reading Room / etc. ?	Yes
49. Number of Class Rooms in the Institution	3
Number of Laboratories	2
Number of Reading Rooms	-
Number of Staff Rooms	4
Number of Common Rooms	-
Number of Rest Rooms	-

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

50. Are the Faculty Members Active in Research?	Yes
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51. Research Projects Completed during last 5 years with Details:

Name of the Project	Name of the Principal Investigator	Funding Agency	Thrust Area	Total Grant	Duration with Years	Number of Publications under the Research Project	Number of Patents, if any.

52. Ongoing Research Projects, if any, with Details:

(Please use separate sheet if necessary)

Name of the Project	Name of the Principal Investigator	Funding Agency	Total Grant	Duration with Years	Number of Publications under the Research Project	Number of Patents, if any.

53. Has the Institution organized any Research Meetings During the last 5 years?		Yes		
54. Details of Research Meeting, if any, organized during last 5 years. (Please give separate list with full details, wherever necessary)				
Name of the Meeting	Level (National / International)	Type of Meeting (Seminar/ Workshop/ Conference/ Symposia/ Other (specify))	Number of Persons who attended (Male: Female: Total:)	Dates of the Meeting
Seminar on Mental Health and Legal issues	National	Seminar	Male : 60 Female: 40	08-12-2007
Seminar on Psychology of Advertising	National	Seminar	Male : 70 Female : 45	7,8 th -03-2008
55. Has the Department Participated in any Special Schemes like UGC DRS / DSA / COSIP / ASIST / DST FIST / DBT , others. (Please Specify).		No		
56. Has the Institution introduced any Innovations in Teaching (Please give details)		Yes, audio-visual, role play, experiential games, group discussion, interactive materials, handouts.		

INSTITUTIONAL / DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION

57. Annual Budget of the Institution / Department during last 5 years.	--
58. Research Funds per Faculty Member during last 5 years	--
59. Ratio of Students to Faculty during last 5 years	8 : 1
60. Ratio of Number of Applications to Available Intake during last 5 years	
61. Ratio of Number of Students Appearing for Exam. to Number of Successful Candidates during last 5 years (Final exam. Only)	13 : 11

62. Number of Students Admitted to Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.
P.G	2007 - 2009	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	7	6
P.G	2008 - 2010	-	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	3	14
P.G	2009 - 2011	2	6	1	3	-	-	-	-	4	12	7	21

63. Number of Student Drop-outs in Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.
P.G	2007 - 2009	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
P.G	2008 - 2010	-	1			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
P.G	2009 - 2011	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-

64. Number of Students who Appeared for Final Exam. In Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.
P.G	2007 - 2009	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	7	6

65. Number of Students who Passed Final Exam. In Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.
P.G	2007 - 2009	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	5	6

66. Number of Students who Secured University Ranks (please specify) in Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.

67. Number of Students who won Recognitions in Various Fields (Academic / Cultural / Sports, et cetera (please specify) in Various Programs (UG /PG / Certificate/ Diploma Courses) during the last 5 years

Program & Field of Recognition	Year	General		SC		ST		Cat. 1		OBC		Total	
		Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Male	Fem.

68. Any Other Information

69. Contact Information of Institution / Department

Name of Contact Person	Dr. V.C. Thomas
Address for Communication	Dean, School of Humanities
FAX Numbers	
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70. Any efforts made by the Department to promote Campus Recruitment - **Actively Pursuing with compares**

71. Healthy practices of the Department. – **Yes**

Field visits, internship, individual assignments, group assignments, faculty advisors, mentoring students on academics and non-academics, counseling services, student orientation regarding various academic and nonacademic facilities, continuous evaluation of students, weekly faculty meetings.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Are there any overseas students?

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Has the department organized

▪ Lectures:

Sl. No.	Name	Title	Date
01.	V.D. Swaminathan	Psychodiagnostics	03,04-04-2008
02.	Dr. Latha Satish	Test Construction and Validation	22,23,04-2008
03.	Dr. Suresh	Interpersonal Relationship	17,18-04-2008

▪ Workshops:

▪ Seminars:

1. Seminar on Mental health and legal issues on 08-12-2007
2. Seminar on Psychology of advertising on 07,08th -03-2008

▪ Conferences:

If yes, what is the nature and extend of student participation?

No. of students who have passed the following during the last six years

- NET :
- SLET :
- CAT :
- TOEFEL :
- GRE :
- G-MAT :
- KAS :
- IAS :
- Defense entrance :
- Others :

Titles of Research Projects :

Is there any Student Counseling center in the department.- Yes

Is there any Grievance Redressal cell?

When did the Alumni – Association of the department got established? How many members are actively involved ? Give enrolment statistics.

Place: Pondicherry University

Date: 13.10.2009

Signature with Seal of Chairperson