PONDICHERRY 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	**Tourism Studies**
2. Location of Institution	**School of Management Complex**
3. Name and Address of Institution	**R.V. Nagar, Kalapet, Puducherry - 606014, India**
Web/URL Home page Email	**: www.pondiuni.edu.in** **: head.dts@pondiuni.edu.in**
4. Year (Date if available) of Establishment	**1991**
5. Built-up Area in Sq. Ft.	
6. Institutional Autonomy	**Autonomous with governed by Statues & Executive Council**
7. Total Student Strength of the Department (2009)	

8. Programs Offered: MBA (Touirsm)

8.(i) Post-Graduate: (Please specify courses. If necessary use additional sheets)

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
II Year 53	**33**	**10**	**6**	**3**	**27**	**7**	**27**	**7**	**-**	**-**
I Year 63	**39**	**15**	**11**	**9**	**28**	**6**	**28**	**6**	**-**	**-**

8.(ii) Ph.D.: (Please specify subjects. If necessary use additional sheets)

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
	6	**-**	**4**	**-**	**2**	**-**	**4**	**-**	**-**	**-**

9. Number of Permanent Teaching Faculty	Male: **5** Female: **1** Total: **6**
10. Number of Teaching Posts Sanctioned	Professor: **2** Reader: **2** Lecturer: **5** Others (Please specify): Lab. Assistant:
11. Number of Teaching Posts Occupied	Professor: **1** Reader**:** **1** Lecturer: **4**

	Others (Please specify):						

12. List of Technical Staff:

Sl. No.	Name	Sex	Date of Birth	Date of Super-annuation	Tech-nical	Designation	Highest Qualification
1	Dr. Anjaneya Swmay	Male	10/12/1954	31/12/2019		Professor	Ph.D.
2	Dr. Y.Venkata Rao	Male	20/06/1970	28/02/2035		Reader	Ph.D.
3	Dr. Sampad Kummar Swain	Male	17/04/1971	30/04/2036		Sr. Lecturer	Ph..D.
4	Dr. Jitender Mohan Mishra	Male	19/03/1978	19/03/2043		Lecturer	Ph..D.
5	Mr. Anu Chandran	Male	25/05/1974	31/05/2039		Lecturer	M.Phil
6	Ms. Sibi George	Female	26/04/1978	30/04/2043		Lecturer	M.Phil

13. Number of Administrative Staff : **02**	Clerical: **1** Male: **1** Female: 0 Total: **1** Attender**: 1** Male: **1** Female: 0 Total: **1** Peons: Male: Female: Total:
14. Whether the Institution has been assessed and accredited by any Agency like NAAC/NBA/AICTE/DEC/etc.?	

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**

   (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/
   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?	**Yes, reviewed periodically and appropriate modifications are incorporated from time to time**
17. When was the Admission Policy reviewed of late?	**2009**
18. How are the courses / programmes advertised?	**Advertised in the leading national level news papers**
19. Number of Working days per semester?	**92**
20. Number of Teaching days per semester?	**80**

21. Are there any policy guidelines for curriculum revision?	**Yes, there is a duly constituted Board of Studies which periodically meets and reviews**
22. Is there any academic body for design and / or review of curriculum?	**Yes, Board of Studies of the Department, the Board of School and the Academic Council**
23. When was the curriculum last revised?	**2008**
24. Are the curricula revised for all programmes simultaneously or partially?	**MBA (Tourism)Programme curriculum revised periodically**
25. Does the institution have credit transfer system?	**Yes**
26. Methods of Instruction followed	**Teaching, discussion, case study, seminars presentation, role playing and so on**
27. Exam. System followed	**As per the guideline of the 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 per cent of the evaluation is based on the on continuous assessment**
29. Is there external valuation?	**Yes, the semester end examinations is evaluated by external examiners**
30. Has the institution introduced any innovations in exam?	**Yes, objective type questions, short answer questions based on skill formation and practical orientation are tested**
31. Are the exams held as per schedule? If not, give reasons.	**Always as per the schedule prepared for the entire Campus**
32. Are the results declared as per schedule? If not, give reasons.	**Yes, as per the University Academic Calendar**
33. Grants received from various sources	
34. Fee structure per annum:	**Enclosed**

GENERAL AND INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES

35. Does the Institution have Dept. Libraries? Are these connected with the main Library?	**Yes, needs to be strengthened**
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	
38. Number of Books purchased last year by Library	
39. Is there a Computer Laboratory?	**Yes**
40. Area of the Computer Laboratory in Sq.Ft.	
41. Number of Computers in the Institution	
42. Number of Computers Available for use by Students	**70**
43. Number of Computers Available for Staff	**10**
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 Number of Laboratories Number of Reading Rooms Number of Staff Rooms Number of Common Rooms Number of Rest Rooms	**3** **-** **-** **1** **1** **1**

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

50. Are the Faculty Members Active in Research?	**Yes**

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.
Sustainable Tourism Development in Puducherry	Dr. Sampad Kumar Swain	UGC	50,000/-	2 year	-	-

53. Has the Institution organized any Research Meetings During the last 5 years?	

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
Doctoral Committee Meetng	Department Level	Presentations by Ph.D. Scholars		

55. Has the Department Participated in any Special Schemes like UGC DRS / DSA / COSIP / ASIST / DST FIST / DBT , others. (Please Specify).	**UGC – SAP Level - I**
56. Has the Institution introduced any Innovations in Teaching (Please give details)	**In line with technological advancements, teaching pedagogy is modified to suit the needs of the industry**

INSTITUTIONAL / DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION

57. Annual Budget of the Institution / Department during last 5 years.	
58. Research Funds per Faculty Member during last 5 years	**50,000/-**
59. Ratio of Students to Faculty during last 5 years	**2009 –10 1: 12**
60. Ratio of Number of Applications to Available Intake during last 5 years	**2005 – 06 - 1: 4** **2006 – 07 - 1: 6** **2007 – 08 - 1: 8** **2008 – 09 - 1: 10** **2009 – 10 - 1: 12**
61. Ratio of Number of Students Appearing for Exam. to Number of Successful Candidates during last 5 years (Final exam. Only)	**100/100**

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.
MBA -	**2005 - 06**	5	2	4	2	2	1	-	-	12	2	23	7
Tourism	**2006 - 07**	6	1	4	1	1	1	-	-	13	3	24	6
	2007 - 08	7	2	5	2	2	1			14	3	29	8
	2008 - 09	9	3	6	2	2	1			16	4	33	10
	2009 - 10												

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.

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
MBA -	**2005 - 06**	5	2	4	2	2	1	-	-	12	2	23	7
Tourism	**2006 - 07**	6	1	4	1	1	1	-	-	13	3	24	6
	2007 - 08	7	2	5	2	2	1			14	3	29	8
	2008 - 09	9	3	6	2	2	1			16	4	33	10
	2009 - 10												

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
MBA -	**2005 - 06**	5	2	4	2	2	1	-	-	12	2	21	7
Tourism	**2006 - 07**	6	1	4	1	1	1	-	-	13	3	22	6
	2007 - 08	7	2	5	2	2	1			14	3	26	8
	2008 - 09	9	3	6	2	2	1			16	4	33	9
	2009 - 10												

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

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70. Any efforts made by the Department to promote Campus Recruitment -
  - **Placement of the students has been the utmost priority of the Department ever since its inception. Accordingly, the Department has been able to consistently achieve 100 per cent placement over the years.**

71. Healthy practices of the Department.
  - **Offers a non-conventional job oriented Programme;**
  - **Has built and ably nurtures strong relation with industry and alumni;**
  - **Activity associated with various outreach programmes like conventions of heritage properties;**
  - **Participation in the various Govt. sponsored initiatives**

Are there any overseas students?

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Has the department organized
- Lectures: **Invited lectures from the distinguished personalities both from the industry and academics are arranged regularly. Annual calendar is drawn scheduling the guest lectures at the beginning of the academic year and strictly adhered to.**

- Workshops: **Every year the Department organizes workshops by inviting industry experts and contemporary issues of tourism and travel are discussed at great length.**

- Seminars: **It has been one of the major activities of the Department to organize seminars. 3 important national seminars have been organized in the last 5 years.**

- Conferences: **The Institute – Industry interface event AKANKSHA, a huge annual event is a very popular event across the country. A large number of industry and academic experts are invited to participate in panel discussions spread over two days in the University Campus.**

If yes, what is the nature and extend of student participation?
- **Almost all the students intensively participate in all the above events.**

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

- NET   : **02**

- 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, faculty advisors council the students allotted to him/her**

Is there any Grievance Redressal cell?
- **Yes**

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

Place:
Date: Signature with Seal of Chairperson