

## Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women

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## Annual Report for the Academic Year 2022 - 23

The journey of education is a continuous evolution, and Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women has embarked on an exciting chapter. The annual report of Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women for the academic year chronicles the transformative experiences of the past academic year. It highlights our commitment to empowering young women through quality education, fostering innovation, and building a strong foundation for their future.

In the academic year 2022-2023, Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women welcomed 441 new students across 21 disciplines, beginning on July 18, 2022. The year was marked by a series of impactful initiatives aimed at enhancing student learning and development.

29 value-added courses were introduced to provide additional skills and knowledge that complement traditional coursework, making students more competitive in the job market. 982 students got benefited and boosting their expertise in their respective fields. Students engaged actively in practical learning opportunities, with 205 completing projects and 606 gaining valuable industry experience through internships with esteemed companies.

With 83 existing faculty members, including a strong contingent of 49 PhD holders and 11 SET/NET qualified educators, the college is committed to delivering high-quality education. The Mentor-Mentee system played a pivotal role in nurturing student success, with mentors guiding groups of 25 mentees each. Our campus is well equipped, featuring 3 computer labs, two seminar halls, a comprehensive library with advanced technical facilities, and well-maintained classrooms.

College has taken a significant step towards operational efficiency and data management by collaborating with Nell Technologies for the College Plus ERP software. Administration, Financial Management, Faculty and Staff Management, Student Information Management including academic performance, attendance, and personal details all integrated into a single system with streamlined processes.

Scholarship support was a cornerstone of our approach, with the property of the students receiving management scholarships totalling Rs. 12,85,500/- and 110 students descripting from government scholarships amounting to Rs. 9,60,380/-. Our commitment to holistic development was evident through co-



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curricular and extracurricular activities, with 1,077 students receiving guidance for competitive exams and career counselling.

Cultural and sporting events flourished, with students participating in 57 events and winning 19 awards at state, national, and international levels. The college also conducted 9 outreach programs to foster social responsibility.

Our academic and research focus was underscored by 15 workshops, seminars, and conferences on key topics such as Research Methodology, IPR, and Entrepreneurship. Faculty development was prioritized, with 72 faculty members attending development programs and 10 non-teaching staff participating in administrative training. Faculty members secured Rs. 6.65 lakhs in research grants and published 26 research papers and 32 books and chapters. Faculty members were provided with financial support for attending seminars, conferences, workshops etc. 55 faculty attended various programs with financial support of Rs.2, 52, 300/- in this academic year.

The college maintained its commitment to quality education through Green, Energy, and Environmental audits and achieved ISO 9001:2015 certification. Out of 560 students who appeared for the final exams, 544 passed successfully. Additionally, 108 students were placed in various companies, and 255 are pursuing their higher education. We successfully signed 6 Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) with leading industries / intuitions and formed 24 new collaborative agreements with various institutions and organizations.

The academic year 2022-2023 was a year of significant progress for Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women. Through a combination of enhanced learning opportunities, robust infrastructure, comprehensive scholarship support, and a commitment to holistic development, the college has positioned itself as a leader in women's education. The successful placements and higher education pursuits of its students, along with its strong research and academic focus, underscore the college's dedication to quality education and student success.

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