



Dr. S. Chidambaram

Dr. Sudarshan Pani- Dr. Rama Dwivedy Medal

Dr.S.Chidambaram currently working as Professor and head in the Department of Earth Sciences in Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu, India. He is a gold medalist in Under Graduate and Post graduate degree. He started his research carrier as JRF and he completed his Ph.D in the field of Hydrogeochemistry of groundwater in the Department of Geology in Annamalai University under the guidance of the Prof.AL.Ramanathan. He has cleared State Level Educational Test (SLET) under University Grants Commission (UGC) for lectureship and joined as lecture in department of Geology, Annamalai University in 1998.He has developed a computer program in C++ (WATCLAST, 2002) for Hydrogeochemical studies. About 16 M.Phils and 11 Ph.D have been awarded under his guidance and he has published more than 145 national and international Publications, he also edited 7 books in the field of hydro-geochemistry. He has organized 5 seminars, 3 workshops, 5 training programs. He has obtained sponsored projects from various funding agencies like DST, UGC, AERB, MOWR, BARC and MOE&F. He has awarded as Bharat Jyoti by IIFS, New Delhi and he received the best paper presentation award from AHI and he was also identified and recognized by the Annamalai university for receiving highest grant in faculty of science from different funding agencies for the period 2012-2016. His work on fluoride removal by natural material in community water supply scheme as an outcome of Moen&f project has fetched him the best paper award in the Applied Water Sciences, Springer for the year 2013. He has undertaken the training in IAEA programs and served for two IAEA Expert mission to KISR, Kuwait. He is the life member in IGC, IAH, OSI. He is an Associate Editor in Frontiers in Environmental sciences.