

Mary Matha Arts and Science College, Mananthavady

April-May 2025

Best Research Award for Dr. Sijo A. K

Dr. Sijo A. K. from the Department of Physics received the *Best Researcher Award in Material Science* for his outstanding contributions to the field.

Campus Recruitment Drive

The Career Guidance and Placement Cell, in association with the IQAC, organized a campus recruitment drive with VONNUE, a software company based in Sulthan Bathery, on April 15, 2025. Eleven students from our college were selected for employment and trainee positions.

'Ente Keralam' Exhibition

Our college actively participated in the *Ente Keralam* exhibition—a Kerala Government initiative—held at SKMJ School, Kalpetta, from April 22 to April 28, 2025.

Students' Biodiversity Congress 2025

The *Students' Biodiversity Congress 2025*, organized by the Kerala State Biodiversity Board, was successfully hosted at our college on April 30, 2025.

PhD Pre-submission Seminar

Mr. Binoy Joseph from the Mathematics Research Centre presented his PhD findings on May 2, 2025, as part of the mandatory requirements before thesis submission.

NSS Programme Coordinator

Dr. Rajitha Xaviour has been appointed as the new NSS Programme Coordinator for a three-year term, succeeding Dr. Sanu Francis, who completed three years of remarkable service in the role.

Admission Nodal Officers (2025–26)

Dr. Remya Krishnan has been appointed as the Admission Nodal Officer for the academic year 2025–26. Mr. Jince Joseph will serve as the Assistant Nodal Officer.

Research Publications and Presentations

- Sr. Elizabeth M. J., Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, published a paper titled *Cellular Automata-Based Sentiment Analysis for Bipolar Classification of Reviews* in the journal *Complex Systems*.
- Ms. Jimly Manuel and Dr. Sr. Bindhu K. Thomas co-authored a paper titled *Graph-Theoretical Properties Driven by the Structure of the Group Zn: An Investigation into Order-Inverse Digraphs*, published in the *Indian Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics* by Springer Nature.
- Dr. Sijo A. K. published an article titled *Optical and Structural Characterization of SILAR-Coated Mn-Doped Films for LEDs* in the *Journal of Materials Science: Materials in Electronics*, a Scopus-indexed journal by Springer Nature.

Student Achievement

- Senior Under Officer Akshay T. A. was awarded the prestigious DG NCC Commendation Card in recognition of his exemplary service.

Dr. Geetha Antony Pullen

Principal in Charge