

# **RESUME**



## **PERSONAL DETAILS :**

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## **DESIGNATION :**

Assistant Professor (III) in Kathakali Dance at Sangit Bhavana (RSDD),Sangit Bhavan,Visvabharati,Santiniketan.

## **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION :**

- Diploma in **Kathakali Vesham** with first class from Unnayiwarrier Smaraka Kalanilayam, Irinjalakuda,Kerala.
- Junior Fellowship Given by Department of Culture, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt.of India.

### **EXPERIENCE :**

- **41 years of experience as an artist in Kathakali Performance** and performed various characters of Kathakali vesham across the country and abroad.
- 20 years of teaching experience in Kathakali.
- Active participation in various Seminars ,Functions and festivals organized by Visvabharati.
- 5 year worked as an Lecturer (Temporary) in Unnayiwarrier Smaraka Kalanilayam, Irinjalakkuda, Kerala.
- As an External Examiner at Rabindra Bharati,University
- Performed as an artist in Kathakali adaptations of Shakespeare's play "King Lear" and "Hamlet."
- Performed as a Participant in Thiruvnanthapuram and Kolkata Dooradarshan and it has been telecasted through national Channel.
- Performed as a Guest Artist in UDAYASANKER DANCE FESTIVAL 2013 and Khajuraho Festival (Twice)
- Performed at the 69<sup>th</sup> Dover Lane Music Conference, 2021.
- Acted as a judge for Kathakali Dance performances in various institutions.

### **FOREIGN TOUR :**

- Performed as an artist in different countries like Singapore, Malaysia, Hong Kong, Germany and Martnik (USA).

### **SEMINARS :**

- Paper presented in a national seminar conducted by Sangeet Bhavana, march-2012
- Attended and participated in all the seminar conducted by Visva-Bharati
- Paper presented in Refresher course at Manipur University,2012.
- Paper presentation in Refresher course at Kerala University 2013.

### **AWARDS :**

- Pallippuram Gopalan Nair Award for Best student in 1989.
- Kottakkal Shivaraman Memorial Award, conferred by the Vazhengada Kunju Nair Memorial Trust in 2025

### **ELECTRONIC MEDIA EXPERIENCE :**

Performed as an artist in a short film “ Little Mermaid”

### **PRESENT POSITION:**

Asst. Professor -III, Kathakali Dance Sangeet Bhavana, Viswa-Bharati University.

I, P. MUKUNDA KUMAR hereby declare that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge.

Date: 18/08/2025

P. MUKUNDA KUMAR

Place: Santiniketan