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### **Professional Profile:**

Dr. S. Senthamarai is an accomplished academician and researcher with extensive experience in the field of Economics. Currently serving as the Dean of Management Studies and Associate Professor of Economics at Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli, Dr. Senthamarai has made significant contributions to the institution and the academic community as a whole.

### **Past Positions Held:**

- Head of the Department (HoD) of Economics from 2019 to 2022 at Holy Cross College (Autonomous)
- Nodal Officer of the Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA) from 2018 to 2020, overseeing the assessment and recognition of institutions' innovation achievements.
- From 2017 to 2018, served as the Coordinator for the Government of Tamil Nadu Competitive Examination Coaching Class Programme.

### **Teaching Specializations:**

**Econometrics:** Delivering comprehensive instruction and guidance in econometric theory and methodology, enabling students to analyze economic data and make informed predictions.

**Agricultural Economics:** Providing students with a comprehensive understanding of economic principles applied to the agricultural sector, including issues related to farming, production, and distribution.

Microeconomics: Delivering in-depth lectures and facilitating discussions on the fundamental principles of microeconomics, examining individual economic decisions and their impact on markets and society.

**Key Achievements and Responsibilities:**

- Coordinated the UGC career-oriented add-on course in NGO management, providing students with practical skills and knowledge in the field.
- Successfully carried out a minor research project funded by UGC, contributing to the advancement of knowledge in Economics.
- Took charge of coordinating the activities of the Women's Cell, promoting gender equality and empowerment within the department.
- Organized and conducted several workshops and conferences, catering to the academic interests and professional development of students.
- Actively served as a member of various committees, contributing to the effective functioning and growth of the college.

**Membership and Affiliations:**

- Life Member, Indian Economic Association (IEA)
- Life Member, Indian Association for Social Sciences and Health (IASSH)
- Life Member, The Indian Econometric Society (TIES)
- Life Member, Indian Association of Women's Studies (IAWS)

**Academic Contributions:**

- Attended several workshops, conferences, seminars, and presented research papers, demonstrating a commitment to staying updated with the latest developments in the field of Economics.

