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## **EDUCATION**

- ◆ Degree of Master of Theatre Arts Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit. Kalady, Kerala, India
- ◆ Degree of Bachelor of Arts Mahatma Gandhi University Kottayam, Kerala, India
- ◆ Degree of Bachelor of Philosophy Pontifical Institute of Theology and Philosophy. Alwaye, Kerala, India
- ◆ Degree of Bachelor of Sacred Theology Mary Matha Major Seminary Thrissur, Kerala, India (Affiliated to Catholic Leuven University, Belgium)

## **SKILLS**

- **♦** Acting
- **♦** Actors Training
- ♦ Drama Direction
- ♦ Short Film Direction
- ♦ Drama Script Writing
- ♦ Screenplay Writing
- ♦ Video Editing
- ♦ Dubbing
- ♦ Voice Recording
- ◆ Audio Editing
- ♦ Organization Skill
- ♦ Adaptability and Leadership

#### AWARDS

- ◆Best Script Writer Award Carmel Melodies Short film Contest, 2024
- ◆Best Director Award Carmel Melodies Short film Contest, 2022
- ◆ Social Media Icon Award KCBC, 2021
- ◆ First Rank in Master of Theatre Arts Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit. Kalady, 2018

## WORK EXPERIENCE

- ♦ Working as Director, Media Department, St. Thomas College (Autonomous), Thrissur since 2024
- ♦ Working as In-charge of the Archdiocesan Ministry for Media, Art and Culture, Thrissur since 2023
- ♦ Working as an Assistant Professor in Performing Arts at Navajyothi College of Teacher Education for Women, Olarikkara since 2020
- ♦ Working as an Assistant Professor in Performing Arts at St. Joseph Teachers Training Institute Kuriachira since 2021
- ♦ Working as a Drama Teacher at Nirmalamatha CBSE School Thrissur since 2022
- ♦ Worked as Secretary of "Thrissur Kalasadan", an Art and Cultural Association of Archdiocese of Trichur from 2018 to 2023
- ♦ Worked as a Drama Teacher at Good Sheperd CBSE School Mullassery from 2019 to 2020

### THEATRE/ DRAMA EXPERIENCE

- ◆ Developed 8 Scripts for Dramas based on Biblical and Social Themes
- ◆ Developed 25 Scripts for One-Act Plays based on Biblical and Social Themes
- ♦ Directed 23 Plays mentoring around 200 Actors
- ♦ Directed 8 Plays
- ♦ Directed 30 One-Act Plays
- ♦ Conducted Theatre Workshops
- ♦ Conducted Acting Workshops
- ♦ Conducted Script Writing Workshops

#### MEDIA EXPERIENCE

- ♦ Developed Screenplays for 4 Short Films
- ♦ Directed 3 Short Films
- ◆ Developed Screenplays for 35 Episodes of Web Series titled "Kaduk"
- ◆ Directed 35 Episodes of Web Series titled "Kaduk"
- ◆ Acted in 41 Episodes of Web Series titled "Kaduk"
- ♦ Conducted Screenplay Workshops

# PASTORAL EXPERIENCE

♦ Served as a Vicar in 3 Parishes and Assistant Vicar in 3 Parishes of Archdiocese of Trichur

#### **Declaration**

I hereby declare that the information furnished above is true to the best of my knowledge