

Event Report – January 2021

1. Event name

Perspective of Jammu & Kashmir through Kashmiri Literature in Tamil

2. Venue

University of Madras – Online Platform – CISCO WebEx

3. Date & Time

27 January 2021, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

4. State-Pair

Jammu & Kashmir

5. Brief about event

Online Lecture on 'Perspective of Jammu and Kashmir through Kashmiri Literature in Tamil'

6. Report of the event

The first event of the year 2021 was an online webinar which presented a view of Kashmiri literature available in the Tamil language. The resource person for this event was Dr. K. Sankara Narayanan, Assistant Professor, Sangappalagai for Tamil Development, University of Madras. A very learned and scholarly personality who enriched the session with a wonderful and detailed comparison of literary viewpoints as represented by the Tamil authors versus that of the Kashmiri authors. After presenting a brief outline of the Kashmiri background, Dr. Sankara Narayana highlighted a few poems and short stories written about Kashmiris by Kashmiris as well as non-Kashmiri people. The session enlightened the participants to the vantage point view. This made the session interactive and interesting. The resource person was introduced and welcomed by the

RUSA Co-odinator, University of Madras, Prof. A Stephen, EBSB Convenor, Dr. Fazlunnisa H and the Campus Coordinator, Dr. P. Saraswathi. It was well attended by the students, research scholars and faculty of the University. The feedback collected indicated a need to organize more such interactions which help us to know more about the state of Jammu & Kashmir.

7. Brochure

The Brochure is attached:

