

7.3.1 Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust

BOOKS PUBLISHED

1. **V T Jose(2014),”Sustainable land use planning and management” Serials Publications, New Delhi, ISBN: 978-81-8387-692-6**

In this book evaluates the sustainable land use planning and management efficiently discusses the principle and multifaceted practice of sustainable land resources planning and management. The book also include three case studies of change in land use pattern in selected panchayats coming under three major physiographic divisions viz lowland, midland and upper midland namely Muhamma panchayath, Vadavancode Puthenkurishu grama panchayath and Nanniyode grama panchayath. The book also explains the socio-economic and political processes of land use change and provides suggestions to incorporate for sustainable land use management.

2. **Siby Abraham (2019),” Environmental Economics, Soba publications , Kottayam ISBN 978-81-920969-5-7**

The book provides a constructive and practice outlook towards the concepts and theories of Environment economics. The focuses on how to envisage environment-economy linkage and a sustainable model of economic growth and also explains how to make an optimum use of scarce natural resources. The book also provides a brief overview of the different issues related to environment and human rights from rights from an academic perspective. The topics covered include Environment, resources and energy; bio-diversity, social issues and environment, environment pollution, environment laws etc.

3. **Radhika P. C. (2019), “Fundamentals of Tourism”, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi, ISBN- 978-93-5359-487-9**

The book explains the negative impacts of tourism industry and also explains sustainable tourism practices as a remedy to minimize the negative impacts. The different sustainable tourism practices like eco-tourism, responsible tourism, green tourism, village tourism, agri-tourism etc. The alternative tourism forms and the

importance of geological lodging is also explained. The book also explains the major laws enacted in India in the area of protection of natural resources.

Conference proceedings

UGC sponsored Two-day national seminar was organised by the dept of economics on the topic “Indian Agriculture in the 21st century-Challenges, opportunities and strategies “. Several papers were presented in the seminar and selected papers were published in the conference proceedings. Dr.V.T.Jose was the editor of the book. The papers presented were on the topics like “Pepper economy of Kerala in the WTO Regime”, “Performance of Indian Agriculture sector”, “Shrinking rice cultivation in Kerala”, “Tea economy- with special reference to Wayanad” etc.