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- Dr. Jeevan Kumar has more than 38 years of teaching experience in Political Science at Bangalore University. He attained superannuation as Professor in July 2016.
- He has taught a wide range of papers which include Development Politics and Administration, International Organization, Indian Constitution, Government and Politics, Indian Foreign Policy, Public Management and Gandhian Studies.
- His areas of specialization are **Development Politics and Administration**, **Indian Government and Politics**, and **Gandhian Studies**.
- He has occupied positions of responsibility in Bangalore University, which include heading the Department of Political Science, the Dr. Ambedkar Study and Research Centre, the Centre for Gandhian Studies, Directorate of Correspondence Courses and Distance Education, and the International Students' Cell. He also served as Special Officer to the Vice-Chancellor.
- He served as **Dean, Faculty of Arts** from 2013 to 2015 at Bangalore University.
- He also served as a Member of the Academic Council and Syndicate of Bangalore University.

- He was a Schomburg Fellow at Ramapo College, New Jersey, USA in 2011,
 Fulbright Fellow at the United States in 2003, and a Fellow at the Salzburg Seminar (Austria) in 1997.
- The countries he has visited on academic assignments include the USA, Germany, Belgium, France, Japan, Nepal and Bangla Desh.
- He served as **Guest Faculty** at the International Course on "Globalization and the Multilateral System" at the **United Nations University**, **Tokyo** in 2007 and 2008.
- Dr. Kumar has a few edited books to his credit:
 - *The Angry Voter* (1995);
 - Vision Karnataka 2025: Strategies and Action Plans for Sustainable Development (2001); and
 - Uniting in Responsibilities in a Culture of Rights (2010).
- Dr. Kumar has published innumerable articles in edited books, journals and newspapers in his areas of specialization.
- Dr. Kumar is currently a **Consultant** to the **Karnataka Regional Branch** of the **Indian Institute of Public Administration**, Bangalore; and **Trustee**, **Karnataka Chapter** of the **Sarvodaya International Trust**.
- Dr. Kumar has assumed charge as **Honorary Professor** at the **Karnataka State Rural Development and Panchayat Raj University**, Gadag.
- He is also **Visiting Faculty** at the **National Law School of India University**, Bangalore.
- He serves as **Guest Faculty** at a couple of premier Civil Service Training Institutes in Bangalore.