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Prof. K.M. Mahadevan obtained M.Sc. degree from the University of Mysore in 1997 with distinction and cleared CSIR-JRF in the same year. He was a research fellow at CFTRI, Mysore in 1998. He was appointed as lecturer at Kuvempu University in 1998 and obtained Ph.D., degree from Kuvempu University in 2003. He carried out post-doctoral research at **KRICT** South Korea Under **Brain Pool Fellowship in 2010** and he was a visiting scientist at University of Sunderland, **London, UK**. Since, 1998 he worked as Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, and in 2013 became a professor and served as Head, Department of Chemistry, BOS Chairman, BOE Chairman, Co-ordinator for Distance Education, Faculty Advisor and also a Director for Post Graduate Centre at Kadur and Chikkamagalur of Kuvempu University. And Served as **Registrar (Evaluation) at University of Mysore, Director of Distance Education and Coordinator For Chief Minister Kaushalya Karnataka Yojane** at University of Mysore. And, presently working as **Registrar (Evaluation) at Karnataka State Open University Mysore**.

His research interest includes synthetic chemistry and medicinal chemistry. He was bestowed with Distinguished Industrial Research Scientist Award by Bio-Organic and Applied Material Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore and also **“MidCareer”** prestigious Award by UGC, New Delhi in 2019 in recognition of his research contribution in the field of chemistry. He has published more than **240** research papers and edited **13** books. As of now, **48** students have completed their Ph. D degree and another **05** students are presently working under his supervision. He has been a Scientific Advisory Board Member of Bio-Organics and Applied Material Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore. He has completed over **5** research projects funded by DBT, DST, CSIR and UGC. Research in identification of new drugs for malaria and tuberculosis in collaboration with CDRI-Lucknow, and investigation of new OLED materials funded by **DST** and Vision Group on Science and Technology, (**VGST**) Karnataka State are in progress. Some of his research investigations have become the part of the text books at the higher education level published in foreign text books attributes high quality research work being done in his lab.

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