



PREFACE

Madurai Institute of Social Sciences is a Multifaculty Autonomous College, affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University, approved by State and Central Governments and the UGC, was founded by Dr. Capt. D.V.P. Raja on 2nd October 1969, to commemorate the birth centenary of Mahatma Gandhiji. It was started with 4 students in a rented building with only two rooms.

Today the college has grown to a state of an Autonomous College spanning over 3.15 acres of land with multistorey buildings with decent infrastructure facilities with a strength of more than 900 students in 7 UG, 4 PG, 2 PG Diploma, 1 M.Phil and 1 Ph.D programme. It has been endowed with 12 (B) and 2 (f) status, since 1972. It strives hard to transform the talents and energy of the budding youth into a responsible citizen of the country.

It caters to the needs of the students hailing from poor socio - economic / demographic conditions. The Institution feels very proud that most of its students are first generation students. It is situated amidst a green atmosphere in the heart of the city. It is an authorized research centre and has collaborated with UGC, NISD and other National and Regional Organizations for conducting social science research.

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