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**Best Teacher Award Instituted by Kuwait Chapter**



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CHANGANACHERRY



# BERCHMANS AWARD

## 2021-22

### 24<sup>th</sup> Edition

#### *Best College Teacher Award*

### St Berchmans College

St. Berchmans College, established in 1922, is celebrating a hundred magnificent years with its signature identity and tradition of excellence. The college has been an iconic tower of learning and alma mater for generations that walked past this citadel of learning.

S B College has emerged as a leading centre for teaching, learning, and research in the field of higher education in India. The College was granted autonomy in the year 2014 by UGC and the Government of Kerala.

### The Berchmans Award

St Berchmans College is committed towards recognizing and fostering excellence in the teaching community. To facilitate this noble ideal, the prestigious "Berchmans Award" was instituted by the the Alumni Association of St Berchmans College, Kuwait Chapter in the year 1998. We are proud to invite applications for the 24<sup>th</sup> edition of this prestigious award conferral. The award carries a cash prize of Rs. 25, 001/-, citation and memento.

### Call for the Award

A press release to invite nominations will be published in all leading newspapers in Kerala. Log on to [www.sbcollege.ac.in](http://www.sbcollege.ac.in). Applications should reach the college on or before 17<sup>th</sup> February 2022.

### Eligibility

The applicant should be a College Teacher working in Government or Aided Arts and Science Colleges in Kerala with minimum fourteen years of service with substantial academic and research contributions.

### Selection Criteria

The applicants are required to complete a proforma with the necessary documents to substantiate their claims. A confidential report regarding the applicant will be collected from their respective Principals or Heads of the Institutions.

The completed applications will be screened by a Screening Committee and five candidates will be short-listed. Candidates will be comprehensively evaluated on the basis of parameters including Teaching Excellence, Academic Achievements, and Campus & Community Involvement.

A Committee of three eminent jury members will then declare the Berchmans Awardee for the year 2021-22.

**Rev Fr Reji P Kurian**  
Principal  
St Berchmans College & President  
Berchmans Award

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# Alumni Association of St Berchmans College



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- 1998 – Dr Cyriac Thomas
- 1999 – Prof V J Antony
- 2000 – Dr K S Kumari
- 2001 – Dr Jose Parakadavil
- 2002 – Dr B Chandrika
- 2003 – Dr B Jayachandran
- 2004 – Dr Mamkulam Krishnan  
Nampoothiri
- 2005 – Dr G Anilkumar
- 2006 – Dr C Mohan Kumar
- 2007 – Dr K K Jose
- 2008 – Rev Dr T M Joseph
- 2009 – Dr A V George
- 2010 – Dr T V Muralivallabhan
- 2011 – Dr V Georgekutty
- 2012 – Dr P J Jojo
- 2013 – Dr Sudha Kappalli
- 2014 – Dr Shiny Palaty
- 2015 – Dr Punnan Kurian  
Vankadathu
- 2016 – Dr Jolly Jacob
- 2017 – Dr Sabu K Thomas



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## BERCHMANS AWARD 2015 – DR PUNNAN KURIAN VANKADATHU



## BERCHMANS AWARD 2017 – DR SABU K THOMAS



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# DR JOJIMON K THOMAS



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## PRESENTATION OF BERCHMANS AWARD 2018

**President**

**H G MAR JOSEPH PERUMTHOTTAM**  
(Archbishop of Changanacherry)

**Chief Guest**

**HON. JUSTICE SRI. ANTONY DOMINIC**  
(Chairman, Kerala State  
Human Rights Commission  
& Former Chief Justice, High Court of Kerala)

**Awardee**

**DR JOJIMON K. THOMAS**  
(Associate Professor, Department of Physics  
Mar Ivanios College, Thiruvananthapuram)

11:00 am, Thursday 31 January 2018, Archbishop Kavukattu Hall.

### *Invitation*

Dear Sir/Madam,

Greetings from St Berchmans College. This is to invite you to the presentation of the Berchmans Award 2018 for the Best College Teacher in Kerala.

The Berchmans Award is instituted by the Kuwait Chapter of the Alumni Association of St Berchmans College and serves to honour exceptional academicians from the govt and/or aided Arts & Science Colleges in Kerala. The recipient of this year's award is Dr Jjimon K Thomas, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Mar Ivanios College, Thiruvananthapuram.

The award will be presented by Hon. Justice Sri. Antony Dominic (Chairman, Kerala State Human Rights Commission & Former Chief Justice, High Court of Kerala). HG Mar Joseph Perumthottam will preside over the function.

Your valuable presence is earnestly solicited.

**Rev. Fr. John Joseph Mullanarackal**  
(Principal & President, Berchmans Award Committee)

**Dr Antony Mathews**  
(Secretary, Berchmans Award Committee)



## PROGRAMME

11:00 am, Thursday, 31 January 2019  
Archbishop Karukattu Hall

Prayer song	: Team Excellence Choir
Welcome Speech	: <b>Rev. Fr. John Joseph Mullanparackal</b> (Principal)
Presidential Address	: <b>H G Mar Joseph Perumthottam</b> (Archbishop of Chengenacherry)
Keynote address & Presentation of the Award	: <b>Hon. Justice Sri. Antony Dominic</b> (Chairman, Kerala State Human Rights Commission)
Manager's Address	: <b>Very Rev. Dr. Philips Wadakkalam</b> (Vicar General & Manager)
Felicitations	: <b>H E Samuel Mar Irenios</b> (Auxiliary Bishop, Diocese of Pathanamthitta) <b>Mr. Shibu Pallickal</b> (President, Alumni Association, Kuwait Chapter) <b>Dr. N.M. Mathew</b> (President, Alumni Association, Mother Chapter)
Reply Speech	: <b>Dr JJimon K. Thomas</b>
Vote of Thanks	: <b>Dr Antony Mathews</b> (Secretary, Berchmans Award Committee)
National Anthem	

## Invitation



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DR. JJIMON K. THOMAS

Dr. JJimon K. Thomas is Associate Professor at the Department of Physics, Mar Ivanios College where he has been rendering yeoman service since 2005. He has produced 7 PhDs and is currently supervising 6 doctoral candidates. He has published 115 research papers and is a reviewer for various international journals as well. Having completed 5 major research projects till date, Dr. Thomas is also a recipient of multiple science and research awards. To his credit, he also has 3 US, 2 Indian and 1 European patents. He has also been an invited speaker at various national and international venues and is also an active collaborator associated with various, substantial extension and outreach activities outside his institution. Dr. Thomas has also chaired numerous academic bodies in India and is a member of various international others. At the same time, he is also an efficient leader and administrator at his parent institution, actively involved in the various affairs and departments of the college. Above all, he is an acclaimed and inspiring teacher who is deeply committed to rendering selfless service to the common cause.



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