

ANNAMALAI ALUMNI INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2014

16 & 17 August 2014 @ NUSS Guild House, Singapore



Annamalai University Alumni Association
(Singapore Chapter)



SIVAGNANAM GOVINDASAMY ILANAHAI (1976 - Tech)

Qualifications:

Chemical Engineering and Diploma in Business Administration from Annamalai University (Merit Scholarship holder throughout higher studies)

Professional Memberships:

CII Energy Sub-Committee Member
Madras Management Association Member
Chemical Industries Manufacturing Association Member
Member of MRC and AUETAA Club

Current Assignment:

MANAGING DIRECTOR

CETEX PETROCHEMICALS LIMITED (CETEX), CHENNAI

Cetex Petrochemicals Limited (Cetex), was promoted in South India in 1990 as a downstream project to Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited (CPCL). The project was Based on utilization of butene feedstock, a by-product of the Nearby CPCL, to make Methyl Ethyl Ketone (MEK), Secondary Butyl Alcohol (SBA) and other by-products.

EXPERIENCE

Standard Energy Products Limited

Position held: Director

Period: 2002 – 2004

Nagarjuna Oil Corporation Limited (Nagarjuna Group)

Position held: Head of Marketing, Planning & Co-ordination at Chennai

Period: 1999 – 2002

Pennar Chemicals Limited, Hyderabad

Position held: Head of Marketing & Promoted as Head of Operations

Period: 1994 – 1999

Indian Oil Corporation Limited

Position held: Various capacities

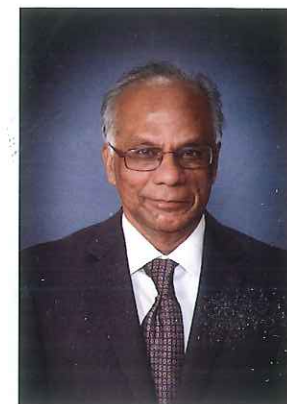
Period: 1980 – 1993

Chemplast SANMAR Group

Position held: Chemical Engineer

Period: 1977 – 1980

Speaker's Profile



SOCKALINGAM "SAM" KANNAPPAN P.E. (1965 - Mech)

Sockalingam "Sam" Kannappan of Houston is a Professional Engineer. He is a Charter Member of the Society of Piping Engineers & Designers and Advisory Board Member, Asia Society, Texas Center. Texas Governor Rick Perry appointed Sockalingam Sam Kannappan PE to the Texas Professional Engineers Board for term to expire in 2017. The board licenses qualified engineers, enforces the Texas Engineering Practice Act and regulates the practice of professional engineering in Texas. He was elected and serves as the Secretary and Treasurer, US National PE Board (NCEES) Southern zone.

He served as member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers Gas Pipeline Safety Research Committee and Defend Houston against Bio-terrorism. He served on the Texas On-Site Wastewater Treatment Research Council from 2006 to 2011.

He received Lighting Award from General Electric Company's Astro Division, Princeton, NJ for estimating the remaining life in a critical component which was already fitted in US Government satellite. He received Merit award from Tennessee Valley Authority for expediting non-conformance reports in the design of Bellefonte Nuclear Power plant. He received award from Crystal Dynamics group of NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center, Maryland for improving laser measurement accuracy. As Chief Engineer, he implemented electric power peak energy reduction programs.

Sam Kannappan is the President of ABI Enterprises Inc, Houston with commercial real estate and consulting engineering. His company exports coal from USA to Asian countries and distributes Pyrogel insulation.

As Chairman of Indo-American Disaster Relief Council, Kannappan raised \$20,000 through the Indo-American Charity Foundation to donate to student representatives of UTMB and Galveston Recovery Fund in the aftermath of Hurricane Ike. He is the Founder of Bharathi Kalai Manram and Founder Secretary of Sri Meenakshi Temple, Houston. He is originally from Nattarasankottai.

Kannappan received his B.E. (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering from Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu, India in 1965 and M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Texas, Austin in 1970. He is the author of the text book on "Introduction to Pipe Stress Analysis" and developer of Piping Analysis software "EZFLX".

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