

Jiju Antony

Prof Jiju Antony is recognized worldwide as a leader in Six Sigma methodology for achieving and sustaining process excellence. He founded the Centre for Research in Six Sigma and Process Excellence (CRISSPE) in 2004, establishing first research Centre in Europe in the field of Six Sigma. Professor Antony has successfully completed a BE in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Kerala (South India), MSc in Industrial Engineering from the National University of Ireland, Ireland and a PhD in Quality Engineering from the University of Portsmouth, UK. He is a Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society (UK), Fellow of the Institute for Operations Management (UK), Fellow of the Chartered Quality Institute (CQI), Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering and a Fellow of the Institute of the Six Sigma Professionals, UK. He is a Certified Master Black Belt and has been involved with over 100 Lean and Six Sigma related projects across manufacturing, service and public sector organizations. He has a proven track record for conducting internationally leading research in the field of Quality Management and Lean Six Sigma. He has authored over 275 journal and conference papers and 6 text books. He has generated over £10 million from various research projects funded by European Commission as well as local government funding bodies in the UK. He has published over 80 papers on Six Sigma topic and is considered to be one of the highest in the world. Professor Antony has trained up over 1000 people over the past 10 years on Lean and Six Sigma topics from over 150 companies in the UK and abroad representing 21 countries. He is currently coaching and mentoring over 20 Lean Six Sigma projects from various companies in the UK public sector organizations including NHS, City Councils, Police Scotland and University sector. He was the past Editor of the International Journal of Six Sigma and Competitive Advantage and is currently serving as the Editor of the International Journal of Lean Six Sigma since 2010 and Associate Editor of the TQM and Business Excellence Journal since September 2015. He is the founder of the First International Conference on Six Sigma in the UK back in 2004 and is also the founder of the First International Conference on Lean Six Sigma for Higher Education. He has been a keynote speaker for various conferences around the world and is a regular speaker for ASQ's Annual Lean Six Sigma Conference in Phoenix, USA since 2009. He is on the Editorial Board of 8 International Journals including the Quality and Reliability Engineering International, International Journal of Quality and Reliability Management, TQM Journal, International Journal of Productivity and Performance Management, Measuring Business Excellence, Managing Service Quality and a regular reviewer for International Journal of Operations and Production Management, International Journal of Production Research, Journal of Operational Research Society, IJE Transactions, European Journal of Operational Research and Production, Planning and Control. Professor Antony has worked on a number of consultancy projects with several blue chip companies such as Rolls-Royce, Bosch, Parker Pen, Siemens, Ford, Scottish Power, Tata, Thales, Nokia, Philips, GE, Nissan, Diageo, and a number of Small and Medium Sized Enterprises.