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## *Sri Krishnaa Vadya Vrindam 2012 Arangetram Tour*



*N.N Ganesh Kumar: Violinist*

### **Learning Experience**

Ganesh learnt from age of 10 under the tutelage of senior violin maestro Mr. H.K. Narasimha Murthy of Mysore, who was Staff artist in All India Radio in Mysore. He took 15 years of dedicated training in Carnatic classical music with him in Mysore. Later he received advance training from another violin Guru from Chennai - Mr. M.A. Sundaresan.

### **Achievements in Music pedagogy**

Ganesh is teaching for the past 20 years and trained many students in India, Singapore and U.S.A. He worked as a Violin tutor in prestigious **Singapore Indian Fine Arts Society**, Singapore for 7 years and trained hundreds of students. Six of his students got I and II prize for continuous three years at national level conducted by National Arts Council, Singapore. He was invited to teach in Pittsburgh Temple in 2011.

### **Achievements in Dance Music**

Ganesh has accompanied hundreds of Music recordings for dance performances. He was invited to accompany many Bharathanatyam performances from peer organization such as Shanthala Arts Academy, Kirans, Padmini Ramachandran and others. His violin support for recent album of "Sri Chakra" for Soorya Performing Arts is simply amazing.

### **Performances**

Mr. Ganesh has travelled to South East Asia and USA several times to accompany many senior artists and to give many solo performances. Till today, he has accompanied many senior artists such as T.V. Sankaranarayanan, Prof. Nagamani Srinath, Dr. Suma Sudhindra, Neela Ramgopal and other main stream musicians. He is a regular performers on Indian Government Television Channel - Doordarshan.

### **Awards**

Received best accompanist award from Malleswaram and Gayana Samaj, Sabhas Bangalore.

**Association with Soorya Performing Arts**

Ganesh has worked with Soorya performing arts India based works. He has collaborated in projects in the past, with Soorya's musicians such as – Ramesh Ramalingappa and Jayaprakash Kannur in Bharathanatyam and Carnatic music showcases.

**Academic Educational Qualification:** Bachelor in Science from Mysore University

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