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Professor C Venkata Ratnam (born in 1932) had his early education B.Sc., at Bhimavaram College, West Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh, India. He did his M.Sc., (1952-1954) (Organic Chemistry) from Osmania University and Ph.D. (1954-1958) in Heterocyclics from Osmania University under the guidance of eminent Natural Product Chemist Prof. N.V.Subba Rao.

Professor Ratnam served the Department of Chemistry, Osmania University as teacher of chemistry in various capacities – Lecturer, Reader, Professor and Head of the Department of Chemistry. His academic and research abilities were recognized by British Council, UK and UGC India in 1965 and selected him in young scientist exchange program. During 1966-1967 he visited University of Berkeley California through Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Public Health Scholarship.

He has over 38 years of experience in teaching (both U.G. and P.G) and 30 years of research experience in the field of Organic Chemistry. He has supervised around 15 PhD students who are very well placed in various prestigious institutions throughout the world. To his credit, he has around 80 research papers in international and national journals.

Professor Ratnam is an excellent, accomplished academician and is regarded as the best teacher.