

# SANTHOSHINI RAVINDRAN

CARNATIC VOCAL STUDENT |  
PERFORMER | TEACHER

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Santhoshini Ravindhran, aged 27 years old, is a classically trained Carnatic vocalist and Educator with over a decade of experience. She is an alumna of Isha Samskriti, an alternative educational institution founded by Sadhguru in India, focused on traditional arts and holistic development. She has been a dedicated student of Carnatic Vocal music (South Indian classical music) for more than 10 years, training under esteemed teachers, Smt. Archana and Smt. Aarathi Bharadwaj.

## Training & Mentorship:

Throughout her career, Santhoshini has attended intensive workshops by celebrated artists, such as:

- **Sri Malladi Suri Babu** - Renowned Carnatic vocalist from Andhra Pradesh.
- **Smt. Savitha Narasimhan** - Noted Carnatic vocalist and teacher.
- **Sri Neyveli Santhanagopalan** - Famous for his expertise in Carnatic music and devotion to traditional compositions.
- **Malladi Brothers** - A duo known for their rendition of classical Carnatic music.
- **Sandeep Narayan** - A Carnatic vocalist recognized for his unique style and contribution to contemporary classical music.

## PERFORMANCES & COMPETITIONS

### Competitions

Competed in the Carnatic Vocal competition at Shanmukhananda Fine Arts & Sabha, Mumbai (2013) – a prestigious platform for Indian classical music competitions.

### Performances

- **Thyagaraja Aradhana (Thiruvaiyaru, 2013)** – an annual festival dedicated to the revered Carnatic composer Thyagaraja.
- **Muthuswami Dikshithar Aradhana (Thiruvaiyaru, 2014)** – a festival celebrating the life and compositions of Muthuswami Dikshithar, one of the trinity of Carnatic music.
- **Performed at festivals in Coimbatore (2014-2016)**, celebrating prominent Carnatic composers and traditional music.



## Professional Experience

Santhoshini is now a teacher in the music department of Isha Samskriti, where she instructs students in the fundamentals of Carnatic Vocal music. Leads Samskritam chant sessions for Project Samskriti, teaching students from various parts of the world.







## Performances



### Dance and Cultural Programs

Santhoshini was part of the music ensemble for several dance productions organized by Isha Samskriti, including:

- "Kanavendamo"
- "Shivakami"
- "Valli Kalyanam" These productions integrate music and dance to portray classical Indian narratives and mythology.

### Event Performances at Isha

Santhoshini has performed during major events hosted by the Isha Foundation, including:

- Mega Classes – Large-scale cultural programs.
- Mahashivaratri – An all-night festival celebrating Lord Shiva, featuring music, dance, and meditation.
- Navaratri – A nine-night festival dedicated to the divine feminine.
- Tamil New Year and Guru Poornima – Cultural celebrations to honor tradition and spirituality.