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Mr. Sabarish.K is a practitioner of e-Government in India, and is holding the post of Mission Coordinator at Kerala State IT Mission, the Apex body responsible for all the ICT projects in Kerala. Mr. Sabarish brings with him a rich experience of over 12 years in the e-gov domain and specialises in IT and ITES solutions for improving citizen centric service delivery. He is an active proponent of FOSS and its application in the ICT4D sector. He was instrumental in providing technical leadership for successful implementation of many large e-Government projects in the state of Kerala, like end to end computerisation of Kerala Public Service Commission, the largest Govt recruitment agency in India, E-enabling Kerala State Science and Technology Council. At IT Mission he is providing technical leadership in implementation of innovative projects like **Mobile Governance**, Enforcement Automation, E-challaning, DR SMS and is also responsible for the state specific Mission Mode Projects under the National e-Governance Plan, like National Portal, SSDG. He holds post-graduate degrees in Computer Application and Management.