

Shri Pandanallur Chockkalingam Pillai

I present to you, Sir, Shri Pandanallur
Chockkalingam Pillai

Vidwan Chockkalingam Pillai has extensive teaching
experience, and a good many of the leading
Bharata Natyam dancers today are his disciples.
Since 1943 he is the Honorary Principal of the
Indian Institute of Fine Arts, Madras, and still
teaches Bharata Natyam. Held in high esteem, he
has received many honours from learned institutions
in the south.

For his outstanding work as a teacher of the
Bharata Natyam dance, Vidwan Chockkalingam
Pillai receives the Akademi Award this year.

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