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Educational Qualification:



DEGREE	SUBJECT	COLLEGE / UNIVERSITY & Place	YEAR OF COMPLETION
PhD	ELT	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	2009
PGDCE	Communicative English	University of Hyderabad	2006
PGDHE	Higher Education	IGNOU, Delhi	2001
PGDTE	Teaching of English	Central Institute of English and Foreign Languages (CIEFL), Hyderabad	1993
MPhil	English Language & Literature	St Joseph's College, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappallai	1987
MA	English Language & Literature	St Joseph's College, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappallai	1985
BA	English	TBML College, Univ of Madras	1983

Specialisation in Teaching

1. English Language Teaching Linguistics

2. Literary Criticism & Theories

Specialisation in Research

1. English Language Teaching

2. Literary Theories

Research Interests

1. English Language Teaching

2. Literary Theories

3. Higher Education

Administrative /Academic Position/s (held / currently holding)

Dean, Academic Polices & Administration	1 June 2015 to date
Coordinator, Steering Committee, NAAC	September 2013 to date
Head (PG) & Research	1 June 2019 to date
Head (UG) & Research	1 June 2013 to date
Dean, Curriculum Development & Research	1 June 2013 to 31 May 2015
Accredited IGNOU Examiner in English for BCA & MCA	To date
IGNOU Counsellor in PG Certificate Course in Teaching of English	
Elected member, governing council of The American College	1999-2001 & 2010-2012
Elected Member, Academic Council of MK University Two Consecutive terms	1997 – 2003
Faculty Secretary	2004 – 2005
President, English Literary Association, The American College Four Terms	Four Terms

**Publications of Articles in National/International Journals/Books
since 2011**

1. **(2010). Research Potentials of English Studies as a High-end Profession.** Proceedings of a two day UGC sponsored national seminar at SFR College, Sivakasi, TN, **3-7**.
2. **(2011). Materials, Medium, and Language Policies in India. *The English Classroom*, 13.1, 45-56.**
3. **(2011). English: The Empowering Language of the Rural Masses and Strategies for Realising their Dreams.** Proceedings of a two day UGC sponsored national seminar at ANJA College, Sivakasi, TN, **50-58. ISBN: 938048723-4**
4. **(2012). Testing English Language Skills: Changes and Challenges. *Pedagogue*, 1, 76-87. ISBN:97881 89843 496**
5. **(2012). Re-thinking English Studies in India. *ACJELL*, 1: 21-29. ISSN 2278 876X**
6. **(2012) Teaching of English Language and Literature: A Postcolonial Interrogation. In *Postcolonial Literatures: Multiple Perspectives*. Madurai: Madura College. Pp.112-122.**
7. **(2012). Is Teaching of English Language and Literature in India a Perpetuation of Literary Colonialism? *JELLS*, 1.3: 19-25. <http://www.ijells.com/vol-1-issue-3-of-ijells-october-2012/> ISSN 2278 0742 Impact Factor: 1.021**

8. (2012). **Lang-Lit controversy: Pedagogic Pandemonium.**

English Language and Literature: Across Cultures. Vol. III.

Palayamkottai: St. John's College, pp.1-15. **ISBN: 978-81-923897-0-7**

9. (2012). **English language teacher as English language learner:**

a study in professional development. Proceedings of a two day national seminar on Technology Integrated Language Teaching at

B.S. Abdul Rahman University, Chennai, **142-52. ISBN: 978-81-923661-0-4**

10. (2012). **From Textbook to Facebook: Learner Strategies**

of English Language Acquisition. Proceedings of a two day national conference on Developing Scenario in Applied Sciences and Communicative English at Kumaruguru College of

Technology, Coimbatore, **E45-E49. ISBN:978-93-80716-46-6**

11. (2012). **Demand-deficit as a Challenge of the English**

Classroom in India. Proceedings of the 7th International and 43rd Annual ELT@I Conference on The English Classroom—

Experiments and Experiences at Velammal Engineering College, Chennai. **5-10. ISBN 978-93-80757-91-9.**

12. (2013). **Efficacy and Feasibility of Project-based**

Learning and Portfolios Assessment in ELT: A Study in the

Indian Context. *The Modern Journal of Applied Linguistics* –

Special Issue, 1-7. **ISSN 0974-8741**.

(<http://www.mjal.org/Journal/hindustan-university.pdf>) as well as in Print.

13. (2013). ESL Teachers as Change Agents: an Analysis of Pedagogical Facts and Fallacies. *Journal of English Language Teachers' Interaction Forum*, IV.1 (Jan-March): 11-18. **ISSN 2230-7710**
14. (2013) Paradigm Shift in English Language Learning from Textbook to Facebook. In P. Bhaskaran Nair & Panch Ramalingam (eds.) *Teaching of English: Experiences and Experiments*. (Eds.). Puducherry: Puducherry Cooperative Book Society. pp. 115-124.
15. (2013). Once a Teacher, Always a Learner: A Study in Professional Development of ESL. *New Orientations in English Literature and Language Teaching*, Vol.1: 63-71.
16. (2013). Taminglish: A Study in Social Psychology of the Tamils. In Neelam Tikkha (ed.). *The Moment of Truth: A Multidisciplinary Critical International Perspective* [pp.47-63] Ahmadabad: CF International. **ISBN 81-86067-11-6**.
17. (2013). Technology as a Source of Sustained Interest and Motivation for Interactive English Classroom. *Forum for*

Musings: the JNTUH Journal of English Studies, VII.1 (March):

173-195. **ISSN 2231-0266**

18. (2013). What fails English as the Dream Language of Rural India? ***Sino-US English Teaching***, 10.5 (May): 352-357.
ISSN 1539-8072 (Print) & ISSN 1935-9675 (Online)
19. (2013). Use of L1 as a Strategy for Acquisition of English in the Bilingual Indian context. ***ACJELL***, 2: 133-141. **ISSN 2278 876X**
20. (2013). Learner Autonomy and Attribution: A paradigm Shift in ELT in India. ***Sino-US English Teaching***, 10.8 (August): 583-92. **ISSN 1539-8072 (Print) & ISSN 1935-9675 (Online)**
21. (2013). Re-placing the ESP Syndrome: Learner-response to Texts in GE Class. ***Journal of English Language Teachers' Interaction Forum***, 14.3 (July-September): 18-24. **ISSN 2230-7710.**
22. (2013 Oct). Rural Learners of English: Needs and Challenges. In Neelam Tikkha (ed.) In ***Where I Met My Horizon: A Multidisciplinary Critical International Perspective***, (pp.14-26). Nagpur: Confidence Foundation. **ISBN:81-86067-13-2**
23. (2013 Oct). Perceptions and Misconceptions of Literary Theories: An Analysis of Pedagogical Challenges in ESL Classrooms in India. In Neelam Tikkha (ed.) ***Where I Met My***

Horizon: A Multidisciplinary Critical International Perspective.

(pp.58-72). Nagpur: Confidence Foundation. **ISBN:81-86067-13-2**

24. **(2013 Dec).** Critical Thinking in English Language Acquisition: Role of the Teacher. ***Journal of English Language Teachers' Interaction Forum***, 14.4 (Oct.-December): 44-50.
ISSN 2230-7710.

25. **(2013 Dec).** Dialogic/Critical Pedagogy for the 21st Century Employable Learners. ***Eclectic Representations***, ISSN **2231 430X 3.2: 81-94.**

26. **(2014 April).** Grammar Teaching for Grammar's Sake or for Communication? ***Language in India***
www.languageinindia.com ISSN 1930-2940. 14.4: 80-87.

27. **(2014 Jan-March).** Why Can't/Don't My Students Read? ***The English Research Express (The International Journal of English Language and Literature)***, 2.5 Part II: 251-262. **Impact Factor: 0.746**

28. **(2014 April).** Who can be an ESP Practitioner?
www.ijells.com 3.1: 118-22 ISSN 2278 0742. **Impact Factor: 1.021**

29. **(2014 May).** Standard Written English for Science Research: Challenges. Ed. Neelam G. Tikkha **Pageant**, [pp.1-5]
Ahmadabad: CF International.

30. (2014 May). Why Can't/Don't My Students Read?
International Journal on Studies in English Language and Literature (Academicians' Research Center) www.arcjournals.org
 2.5: 66-73 **Impact Factor: 3.537 SJIF Morocco**
31. (2014 June). Who is the Indian Learner of English? A Study in Learner Profile *International Journal of English Language, Literature & Humanities*, II.ii: 232-241. **ISSN 2321-7065. Impact Factor: 2.317**
32. (2014 July). Why Should Indians Learn English? A DNA Analysis of Objectives *International Journal of English Literature, Language & Skills*, 3.2: 213-218. **Impact Factor: 1.021**
33. (2014 August). What Gives Indian Users of English 'Foreign Accent'? *Langlit: An International Peer Reviewed Open Access Journal*, 1.1: 518-523. **ISSN 2349-5189**
34. (2014 August-Sept.) Role of L1 in Promotion of English language Learning *International Multi Journal: A Peer Reviewed Refereed e-journal*, 1.1: 1-6. **ISBN 81-86067-20-5**
35. (Sept. 2014) Role of L1 in Promotion of English Language Learning. In Neelam G. Tikkha (ed.) *Where the Sky is the Limit!* [pp.1-6]. Ahmedabad: CF International. **ISBN: 81-86067-19-1**

36. **(2014 Oct) Netspeak as a New Communication Medium for N-Gen Learners. IJELLS, 3.3: 240-249. ISSN 2278-0742**
37. **(March 2014) Is it Curriculum Renewal or Syllabus Revision? The American College Magazine 2013-14, pp.20-24.**
38. **(2014 Jan). English as 'THE' Publication Language of Science Research: Problems & Prospects. Proceedings of the National Conference on "Trends in English for Science & Technology with Special Focus on Technical Writing, at Sathyabama University, Chennai, 4-7. ISBN 978-93-83409-03-7**
39. **(2014 Jan) Employability Skills through Collaborative Learning: An Exploratory Study. Proceedings of the UGC Sponsored International Conference on Teaching English for Employability (TEE 2013), at Annammal College, Tuticorin, 89-92. ISBN 978-81-923842-1-4**
40. **(2014 April) Can English Language Classes Promote Employability Skills? Proceedings of the National Conference on English for Employability (NCEE 2014) on 17 April 2014, in association with University of Cambridge, ESOL Examination at Vel Tech University, Chennai.**
41. **(March 2015) Are We Decolonizing or Recolonizing Colonial English Education Policy? ELK Asia Pacific Journals, Special Issue, pp.125-37. ISBN: 978-81-930411-2-3**

42. (May 2015) Is Listening the Same as Learning? *Langlit: An International Peer Reviewed Open Access Journal*, 1.4: 801-805. **ISSN 2349-5189**
43. (April-June 2015) Why should GE Classes Care for Literature? *Journal of ELTIF*, VI.2: 03-07. **ISSN 2230-7710**
44. (April-June 2015) Replacement of Banking Model by Critical Pedagogy for English Language and Literature Teaching, *The International Research Specialist: An International Journal of Recent Trends in English Language Teaching (ELT), Education, Psychology, and Allied Researches*. 2.6: 213-222. **ISSN 2350-1499** (Online) 2350-0751 (Print) **Impact Factor 1.5**
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46. (August 2015) Identities of English: Native or National or Global? *Reflections of English Language and Literature*. Tirupati: ELTAI Chapter, pp: 42-44. **ISBN 978-93-5235-539-6**
47. (December 2015) Is the Author Dead, or Alive to be Problematic? *ACJELL*, Vol.4: 73-79. **ISSN 1725 2278 876X**
48. (2015 March) Is There a Method/Methodology for Literary Research? Proceedings of the 8th National Conference on

Methods and Outcomes of Research in English (MORE 2015) on
30 & 31 March 2015. **ISBN 978-81-908397-5-4**

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51. **(January 2016) Shaping Power of DPM Library. Centenary Anniversary Volume of Daniel Poor Memorial Library.** Madurai. PP: 19-21

52. **(February 2016) Are Quality Readers the Best Learners?** In ***Teaching Reading & Writing***, [pp.276-287]. Pune: ELTIS **ISBN 978-81-922548-2-1**

53. **(February 2016) Why should We Assure Quality Teaching.** In Sakuntala Samuelson & B. R. Satyanarayana. (eds.) ***Quality Initiatives and Benchmarking in Higher Education***

Institutions [pp.105-111]. Bangalore: Surana College. **ISBN 978-81-931907-0-8.**

54. **(February 2016)** Entrance/Exit Slips and Learner Autonomy. ***LangLit, An International Peer Reviewed Open Access Journal***, 2.3: 62-66. **ISBN 2349-5189 IBI Factor 2015 – Indexed – 2.4**

55. **(February 2016)** Academic Library as a Means of Whole Person Development. In M. Davamani Christoher (ed.), ***Digitization of Library: Enhancing Reading Culture*** (pp. 8-16) Madurai: the American College. **ISBN 9788192866154**

56. **(March 2016)** Promotion of Student Metacognition in ELL: A Distant Dream or a Near Reality. ***Veda's Journal of English Language and Literatue*** (JOELL), 3 SI: 75-79. **Impact Factor 3.079 (SJIF) ISSN 2349-9753.**

57. **(March 2016)** Postmodern Language Pedagogy. ***Global English-Oriented Research Journal***, 1.4: 166-177. **ISSN 2454-5511 IBI Factor (2015): 2.9**

58. **(June 2016)** Can Indian English be an Alternative to Standard British and American English for Academic Purposes? ***Journal of English Language Teaching***, 58.3: 3-13. **ISSN 0973-5208**

59. **(April-June 2016) Promotion of Learner Autonomy**
 through Entrance & Exits Slips *Journal of ELTIF*, VII.2: 8-11
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60. **(April 2016) Reading Literary Experience for Enhancing**
 HOTs. Proceedings of the National Conference on Communicative
 English held on 221 & 22 April 2016 at Kumaraguru College of
 Technology, Coimbatore. **ISBN 978-93-85477-83-6**

61. **(August 2016) Content-based Instruction: Myth or**
 Reality in the Indian Context. In Reddy Sekar Reddy (ed.)
 Teaching English Language & Literature: Innovative Methods
 & Practices (pp.56-58). New Delhi: Research India Press. **ISBN**
 978-93-5171-101-8

62. **(August 2016) Postmodern Language Pedagogy.** In
 Shanthichitra (ed.), *Zeitgeist and the Perspectives* [pp.16-32.
 Ara: Srianklok Praskashan. **ISBN 978-81-932362-2-2**

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 Teacher Attitudes. *Global English-Oriented Research Journal*,
 2.2: 54-69. **ISSN 2454-5511 IBI Factor (2015): 2.9**

64. **(October 2016) What do Stakeholders Think about**
 Language Assessment? *IJELLS*, 5.3: 75-79. **ISSN 2278 0742.**
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65. (November 2016) ELT in India: An Analysis of Pedagogic Fallacies. *LangLit: An International Peer-Reviewed Open Access Journal*, 3.2:1-8 ISSN 2349-5189 Impact Factor 4.23
66. (February 2017) Pedagogic Value of 'Derivational Morphology' for vocabulary Enhancement. *Communication Plus: Empowering Language Learners through Effective Listening and Active Vocabulary*. Pune: ELTIS.pp.178-194.
67. (March 2017) Pedagogic Value of 'Inflectional Morphology for Grammar Teaching. *Global English-Oriented Research Journal*, 2.4: 118-130. ISSN 2454-5511 IBI Factor
68. (March 2017) Interdependence as a Prerequisite for Outcome-based Learning: An Exploration. *Global English-Oriented Research Journal*, 2.4: 137-146. ISSN 2454-5511 IBI Factor
69. (April 2017) Quality as Virtue of Transformative Academic Professionalism. *The American College Magazine 2015-16*.
70. (April 2017) Which Approach Matters for Quality Teaching: Top-down or Bottom-up? *The Mannar Scroll: A Multi Disciplinary Peer Reviewed International Biannual Research Journal*, 1.1: 1-8. ISSN: 2321-788X

71. (June 2017) To Flip or Not to Flip the English Classroom? *The Journal of English Language Teaching*, 59.3: 3-10. ISSN 0973-5208 Impact Factor: 4.756
72. (April-June 2017) How to Integrate Language Skills through Andragogy? *Journal of English Language Teachers' Interactive Forum (ELTIF)*, VIII.2: 10+ ISSN 2230-7710.
73. (June 2017) Quality Assurance as a Potent Change Agent. Proceedings of the National Conference on Developing a Culture of Quality Implementing & Sustaining Approaches to Quality in Higher Education on 3 & 4 March 2017 at St Francis College for Women, Hyderabad. ISBN: 978-93-82570-96-7
74. (July 2017) Utility and Futility of English Grammar Teaching in India. *Roots*, 3.1 Special Issue on English Language, Literature, and Linguistics. 167-173. ISSN: 2349-8684.
75. (July 2017) Emergence of Young Adult Fiction in Indian English, *BODHI: International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science*. 1(16): 60-67. ISSN 2456-5571.
76. (14-20 August 2017) Autonomy in Examination Reforms: A Case of American College. *University News: A Weekly Journal of Higher Education*, 55.33: 6-11. ISSN 0566-2257.

77. (Jan-Dec. 2017) Challenges of Teaching English in India.
Language Forum: A Journal of Language & Literature, 43.1-2:
59-81. **ISSN 0253-9071**
78. (Dec.2017) Dogme ELT Practice for Enhancing
Conversation. *Roots: An International Journal of
Multidisciplinary Researches*, 4.1: 321-26. ISSN2349-8684.
Impact Factor 3.487. UGC Approved Journal
79. (February 2018) Why Should Spoken English Skills be
Taught? **BODHI**: International Journal of Research in Humanities,
Arts and Science, 2: SPL 1: 156-161. ISSN 2456-5571 **Impact
Factor 1.014. UGC Approved Journal 44274.**
80. (February 2018) Teaching Business Communication
Skills: A Clarion Call. **Teaching Business Communication:
Trends and Challenges and Opportunities**. Pune: ELTIS.
PP.29-59. **ISBN: 978-81-922548-4-5.**
81. (April 2018/2016) Is English for Mere Employment or
Social Empowerment? *ACJELL*, 5: 50-58. **ISSN: 1725 2278
876X**
82. (October 2018/2017) Understanding Shakespeare
through Socratic Questioning, *ACJELL*, 6: 57-60. **ISSN: 1725
2278 876X**

83. (November 2018) Should English Class Go Cross-Cultural? **BODHI: International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science**, 3.10 (Special): 1-5. **EISSN 2456-5571**
84. (December 2018) Apology for Literature in Engineering Curriculum. **Langlit**, 5.2: 23-32 **ISSN 2349-5189 Impact Factor 4.23**
85. (December 2018) Research Potentials of English Studies in India: Reflections on Renovation-before-Innovation. **ACJELL**, 7: 89-93. **ISSN: 1725 2278 876X**
86. (February 2019) Parental Attitude toward English for Sustainable Development: A Study in Social Psychology. In **Empowering Students of Bharat with English for Career Development**. Selected Academic Papers from the 8th Annual National Conference. Pune: ELTIS. Pp.159-181. **ISBN 978-81-922548-5-2**.
87. (June 2019) Teaching Literatures: A Paradigm Shift. **St. Theresa Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences**, 5.1: 55-68. **ISSN 2539-5947 Indexed in Web of Science**.
88. (September 2019) Effective Learning and Quality Teaching. **University News: A Weekly Journal of Higher Education**, 57.35 (02-08): 30-35. **ISSN 0566-2257**.

89. (October 2019) Traditional Learning vs. Experiential Learning. **ACJELL**, 9: 43-46. **ISSN: 1725 2278 876X**
90. (December 2019) Purpose of English Literature Teaching: Appreciation or Acquisition of Literary Competence? **LangLit: An International Peer-Reviewed Open Access Journal**, 6.2:1-8 **ISSN 2349-5189 Impact Factor 5.61**

**Publication of In-house Textbooks
(Published by The American College)**

1. (June 1994) **Speaking Skills**
2. (June 2014) **Conversational Skills**
3. (November 2014) **Reading & Writing Skills**
4. (June 2015) **Study Skills**
5. (November 2015) **Career Skills**

Books/Journals Edited

1. (July 2017) **Bodhi: International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts, & Science**, Vol.3 Special Issue 1-16. **ISSN 2456-5571**
2. (September 2017) **English Language, Literature & Linguistics**. Vol.1-4. **ISSN 2456-5571**

3. (February 2019) *Bodhi: International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts, & Science*, Vol.3, Special Issue 1-4. ISSN 2456-5571
4. (May 2019) *New Approaches in English Language and Literature Studies*. Vol. 1 & 2. ISBN: 978-93-86782-85-4 & 978-93-86782-86-1
5. (January 2020) *Innovative Insights Beyond Languages*. L Ordine Publications. ISBN: 978-81-944724-3-8
6. (March 2020) *Asian Literatures in English*. Vol. 1-4. L Ordine Nuovo Publication. ISBN 939008409-1/ 939008410-5/ 939008411-3/ 939008412-1

Commercial Publications

1. (June 2019) *English for Communication Skills*: Textbook for Third Semester Part II English of Madurai Kamaraj University. Chennai: mainSpring publishers. ISBN: 978-93-89199-00-0
2. (March 2020) *1000 English Usage Doubts Cleared*. Delhi: AuthorsPress. ISBN: 978-93-89824-44-5

Papers presented at International / National Seminars/Conferences since 2010

1. (2010 Dec). *Globalisation as a Catalyst to the Growth of Modern Tamil*. Paper presented at a Two Day UGC Sponsored

National Seminar on Globalisation and Marginalisation at Vellalar College for Women, Erode on 9 & 10.

2. **(2010 Dec). Research Potentials of English Studies as a High-end Profession** (adjusted as the best paper). Paper presented at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Occupational English at SFR College for Women, Sivakasi on 15 & 16.
3. **(2010 Dec). English: The Empowering Language of the Rural Masses and Strategies for Realising their Dreams.** Presented as key-note address at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Issues and Challenges in teaching English to rural students at Ayya Nadar Janaki Ammal College, Sivakasi on 20 & 21.
4. **(2011 Jan). Learners' Success in Learning: An Index of Teachers' Success in Teaching.** Paper presented at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Commutainment at EMG Yadava Women's College, Madurai on 7 and 8.
5. **(2011 Feb). Materials, Medium, and Language Policies in India.** Paper presented at a Three Day National Seminar on Opportunities, options and challenges in English language education: methods, materials and evaluation at Regional Institute of English, South India, Bangalore during 23-25.

6. (2011 Mar). **Psychology of Learners towards L2 Acquisition.**

Paper presented at a One Day National Seminar on Incorporation of Learner-Centred Practice in Teaching of English Globally at ULTRA College of Engineering and Technology on 18.

7. (2011 Sept). **Raison Detre and Leitmotif of Commonwealth**

Literature. Presented as valedictory address at a One Day National Seminar on Commonwealth Literature: a strategic survey of the multicultural voices in the contemporary novels at MTN College, Madurai on 30.

8. (2011 Dec). **Literary Theories: Perceptions and**

Misconceptions. Paper submitted at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Literary Theory at Fatima College, Madurai on 16 & 17.

9. (2011 Dec). **Fb and Email as Commutainment Strategy for**

Learning English. Paper presented at a Three Day International Conference on English Grammar (ICEG 2011) at Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathiyamangalam during 28-30.

10. (2012 Jan). **Teaching of English Language and**

Literature: A Postcolonial Interrogation. Paper presented at a One Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Postcolonial Literature at Madura College, Madurai on 11.

11. (2012 Jan). **Taminglish: Code-mixing/-switching in Tamil/English Discourse**. Paper presented at a One Day National Seminar at JAMESSM, Nagerkovil on 21.
12. (2012 Feb). **Teachers' Efficiency and Learners' Proficiency**. Paper presented at a Two Day International Conference on Professional English (ICOPE 2012) at Vel Tech University, Chennai on 15 & 16.
13. (2012 Feb). **Testing English Language Skills: Changes and Challenges**. Paper presented at a One Day National Conference on Reflections and Innovations on ELT at Tertiary Level at St. Joseph's College, Trichy on 2.
14. (2012 Mar). **English Language Teacher as English Language Learner: A Study in Professional Development**. Paper presented at a Two Day National Seminar on Technology Integrated Language Teaching (TILT 2012) at B.S. Abdul Rahman University, Chennai on 1 & 2.
15. (2012 Mar). **From Textbook to Facebook: English Language Learning Strategy**. Paper presented at a Two Day National Conference on Developing Scenario in Applied Sciences and Communicative English (Confluence 2012) at Kumaraguru College of Technology, Coimbatore on 2 & 3.

16. (2012 Mar). **English Literature Teaching: Acquisition of Literary Competence**. Plenary paper presented as a Resource person at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Teaching of English literature at Sathakathulla Appa College, Tirunelveli on 20 and 21.
17. (2012 Apr). **Lang-lit Dichotomy: Pedagogic Pandemonium**. Paper presented at a Two Day National Conference on English language and literature: across cultures at St John's College, Tirunelveli on 2 and 3.
18. (2012 July). **Multiple Realities of English Studies in India**. Paper presented at a One Day International Seminar on Literature and English Literature Teaching at SRN Adarsh College, Bangalore on Friday 6.
19. (2012 July). **Demand-supply Deficit as a Challenge of the English Classroom in India**. Paper presented at a Three Day International Conference on English Classroom: Experiments and Experiences at Velammal Engineering College, Chennai from Thursday 19 to Saturday 21.
20. (2012 Sept). **(Reader) Learner-response to Literature in Language Class**. Paper presented at a Three Day International Conference on Literary Studies: Current Trends and Concurrent

Challenges at Thassim Beevi Abdul Kader College for Women,
Kilakarai from Friday 21 to Sunday 23.

21. (2012 Oct). **Can technology provide panacea for all the ills in methods of teaching English in the Indian context?**

Paper presented at a Two Day National Conference on The
Frontiers of English Literature & The Patterns of English Language
Teaching at Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Technology, Hyderabad
on 9 & 10.

22. (2013 Jan). **Power and Terror of English Grammar.** Paper
presented at a Three Day International Congress on English
Grammar, VIT, Vellore from 3 to 5.

23. (2013 Jan). **Efficacy and Feasibility of Project-based Learning and Portfolios Assessment in ELT: A Study in the Indian Context.** Paper Presented at a Two Day National Seminar-cum-Workshop on Testing and Evaluation of Language Skills,
Hindustan University on 22 & 23.

24. (2013 Feb). **Who is the Indian Learner of English?** Paper
presented at a Two Day National Conference on A Paradigmatic
Shift in ELT: Empowerment of the English Classroom, Vasavi
College of Engineering, Hyderabad on 1 & 2.

25. (2013 Mar). **English Language Acquisition: A Study in Learner Autonomy and Attribution** Paper presented at a Two

Day National Conference on A Paradigm Shift in English
Language Teaching and Testing: A Literary/Linguistic Approach,
B.S. Abdur Rahman University, Chennai on 14-15.

26. (2013 Mar). **Code-Switching as a Strategy for Acquisition of English in the Bilingual Indian Context**. Paper Presented at a Three Day Third International English Language Teacher Educator Conference, Hyderabad International Convention Centre, Hyderabad from 16 to 18.

27. (2013 Mar). **Online Chatting as a Third Medium of Communication in English**. Paper Presented at a Two Day National Seminar on English in the Classroom: The Science of Communication, Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore on 23-24.

28. (2013 Mar). **What's the Need of the Hour: Literal English or Literary English?** Paper presented at a One Day International Conference on Pragmatic Facets of English Language Teaching, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai on 27.

29. (2013 July). **Rural Learners of English: Needs and Challenges**. Paper presented at a Three Day International conference on 21 Century Learners—Learning Styles & Strategies, SRM University, Chennai, 18-20.

30. (2013 Oct). **Creative Thinking as Specific Outcome of English Language Learning**. Paper presented at a Two Day

National Conference on Instructional Methods and Materials in
ELT, B.S. Abdur Rahman University, Chennai, 10 & 11.

31. (2013 Oct). **Humanities vs. Sciences: Role of Literature for Young Technocrats**. National Conference on Rethinking the Role of Humanities in Technical Education: Pedagogies and Possibilities, BITS, Hyderabad, 18-19.
32. (2013 Nov) **Employability Skills through Collaborative Learning: An Exploratory Study**. Paper presented at a Two Day International Conference on Teaching English for Employability, Annamal College of Education, Tuticorin, 21-22 Nov.
33. (2013 Dec) **Critical Thinking in English Language Acquisition: Role of the Teacher**. Three Day National Conference on Outcome Based Language Learning, Hindustan University, Chennai, 4-6 Dec.
34. (2014 Jan) **Grammar Teaching for Grammar's Sake or for Communication**. Three Day International Congress on English Grammar, Sri Ramakrishna Engineering College, Coimbatore, 23-25 Jan.
35. (2014 Jan). **English as 'THE' Publication Language of Science Research: Problems & Prospects**. One Day National Conference on Trends in English for Science & Technology, Sathyabama University, 29 Jan.

36. **(2014 Feb). Why Don't/Can't My Students Read?** Two Day
4th National Conference on ELT: Cultivating the Reading Skill: A
Classroom Challenge, ELT Institute of Symbiosis (ELTIS), Pune, 7
& 8 Feb.
37. **(2014 Feb). Use of Technology in English Classroom.** A
One Day UGC Sponsored National Workshop. FGGC, Bangalore,
4 March.
38. **(2014 March). Teaching ESP: Need for Teacher
Development.** Two Day National Seminar on English for Specific
Purposes: A Reappraisal, Anna University, Chennai, 7 & 8 March.
39. **(2014 March). TTT vs. STT: A Paradigm Shift.** One Day
National Conference on Communication Skills for Academic
Excellence and Career Development, PVPSIT, Vijayawada, 28
March.
40. **(2014 April). Facebook for Inclusive and Empowering
English Language Learning.** One Day National Seminar on
English Language Teaching in Connect with Digital Technology—
innovative classroom strategies for the GEN Y Student. VIT,
Chennai, 12 April.
41. **(2014 April). Can English Language Classes Promote
Employability Skills?** One Day National Conference on English

for Employability, Vel Tech. University, Chennai, in association with University of Cambridge, ESOL Examination on 17 April.

42. (2014 May). **What is Parent's Attitude toward English as a Means of Sustainable Development?** Two Day International Conference on Role of ELT in Education for Sustainable Development, Amity University, Lucknow in association with RELO on 24 & 25.
43. (2014 June). **Why should Indians learn English? A Revisit to Objectives** Two Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Strengthening English Language & Learning: Issues and Challenges, Kakhitya Govt. College, Warangal on 12 & 13.
44. (2014 July). **What gives Indian Users of English 'foreign accent'?** Two Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Challenges in Teaching English as a Second Language to Vernacular Students, C.K.M. Arts & Science College, Warangal on 25 & 26.
45. (2014 August). **Can the Use of L1 Promote English Language Learning?** Three Day 9th International Conference on English from Classes to Masses at VGU, Jaipur from 21-23
46. (2014 Sept). **Why Should I be a Reflective Practitioner of English Language Teaching?** Two Day National Conference on

Readings Perceptions & Sensitivities at SRM University, Chennai
on 22 & 23

47. (2014 Oct). **What is the Function of Language Assessment? A Study in Teacher/learner Attitude.** Two Day UGC Sponsored National Conference on Applied Linguistics at APS College of Commerce, Bangalore on 13 & 14
48. (2014 Oct). Two Day Research Oriented Seminar: Perspectives 2014 at Amirta School of Arts and Sciences, Kochi on 10 & 11.
49. (2014 Nov) **Should English Language Teachers be Necessarily Curriculum Designers?** Two Day International Conference on Trends & Innovations in Language Teaching: Teacher Cognition and Language Education (TILT 2014) at Sathyabama University on 14 & 15.
50. (2014 Dec) **Macaulay's English Education Policy: A Postcolonial Response** Two Day National Conference on Status and Prospects of English in the Digital Era at Tamil Nadu Open University on 19 & 20.
51. (2014 Dec) **Why Should GE Classes Care for Literature?** ELTIF International Conference at Mahe from 26-28.
52. (2015 Jan) **Is Teacher an Empowered Narrating Subject and Student a Silenced Listening Object?** Two Day

International Conference on English for Employability at VIT,
Vellore on 30 & 31.

53. (2015 Feb) **My Experiment with Facebook for ELT as an Extension Activity** Two Day International Interdisciplinary Conference on Language, Literature, Cultural Studies, and Knowledge Resources at Vignan's University, Guntur on 5 & 6.
54. (2015 March) **Is there a Research Method/Methodology for Literary Research?** At 8th National Conference on Methods and Outcomes of Research in English at SRM University, Chennai on 30 & 31.
55. (2015 March) **Are We Decolonizing or Recolonizing Colonial English Language Policies?** At Two Day UGC Sponsored National Conference on Multidisciplinary Approaches to Literatures in English and English Language at Al-Ameen College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Bangalore on 26 & 27.
56. (2015 April) **Identities of English and Indian Users.** A Two Day International Conference on English Language Learning & Academic Research: A Multi-disciplinary Approach at VIT-Chennai on 24 & 25
57. (2015 April) **Search or Research in ELT.** A One Day Seminar on Perspectives and Principles in Publishing Research Papers in ELT at Valliammai Engineering College, Chennai on 29.

58. **(August 2015) Changing Positions of English and English Teachers.** Two Day National Conference on “Emerging Revolutionary Advancements in English Language Teaching” at Rathinam College of Arts and Sciences, Coimbatore on 7 & 8 August.
59. **(August 2015) Promotion of Teaching-Learning Process through Questions.** A One Day International Seminar on Communication Skills & Methods of Teaching English at St Antony’s College of Arts and Science for Women, Dindigul on 14
60. **(August 2015) Fourth World Literature in India: An Act of Appropriation?** UGC Sponsored One Day National Seminar on Fourth World: The Voice of the Marginalized at MTN College, Madurai on Saturday 29.
61. **(September 2015) Why should we Assure Quality Teaching-Learning?** NAAC Sponsored Two Day National Conference on Quality Initiatives & Benchmarking in Higher Education Institutions on 3 & 4th at Surana College, Bangalore.
62. **(September 2015) English as a Life Skill: Skill Development—Quality and Reach.** One Day National Panel Discussion, Hotel Raintree, Chennai on Monday 14.

63. **(September 2015) Margaret Laurence's The Stone Angel: A Journey towards Self-Transcendence** at the Tenth All India Conference of KAAS, Nagercoil on 18 & 19 September 2015.
64. **(November 2015)** Three Day International Conference on "Massification of Higher Education in Asia" at the Hong Kong Institute of Higher Education & Lingnan University in Hong Kong from 12-14 November 2015.
65. **(November 2015) Questioning as the Postmodern Language Pedagogy** at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Workshop at Brennen Govt College, Thallaserry, Kerala on 24 & 25 November.
66. **(December 2015) What is an Author? and The Death of the Author: A Study in Comparison** at a Two Day National Conference on Literary Theories on 3 & 4 December 2015 at St Joseph's College, Trichy.
67. **(December 2015) Promotion of Learner Autonomy through Entrance & Exit Slips** at a Three Day International Conference at Payanoor organized by ELTIF from 28 to 30 December 2015
68. **(January 2016) Language Assessment: A Teacher/Learner Attitude** at a Two Day UGC Sponsored National

Conference on Emerging Disciplines of Applied Linguistics by APS
College of Commerce, Bangalore on 12 & 13 January 2016

69. **(January 2016) Old Tracks are Lost: Resurrection of Self in Margaret Laurence's "The Diviners"** at a Two Day 29th IACS International Conference on Canadian Studies: Theory & Practice at Karunya University, Coimbatore from 27 to 29 January 2016.
70. **(February 2016) Does Teaching Really Matter?** at a Two Day National Conference on "Communication Plus: Empowering Language Learners through Effective Listening and Active Vocabulary" at ELTIS, Pune on 5 & 6 February 2016.
71. **(March 2016) Postmodern Language Pedagogy** at a Two Day National Seminar on "Portrayal of Mythology & the Zeitgeist in the Realm of Literature & Film Studies" at SRM University, Chennai on 7 & 8 March 2016.
72. **(March 2016) Promotion of Student Metacognition: A Distant Dream or a Near Reality?** at a Two Day National Seminar on "Emerging Trends in English Language Pedagogy" at Andhra Loyola Institute of Engineering and Technology, Vijayawada on 11 & 12 March 2016.
73. **(April 2016) What do Stakeholders Think about Language Assessment?** Two Day National Seminar on "Language, Literature, Linguistics—Latest Learning Trends and

Technologies in English” at BVRIT Hyderabad College of Engineering for Women, Hyderabad on 1 & 2 April 2016.

74. **(April 2016) Can Indian English be an Alternative for Pedagogical Purposes?** At a Two Day International Conference on “Pluralism and Multiculturalism in Teaching and Research of English Language and Literatures” at VIT Vellore on 15 & 16 April.
75. **(April 2016) Literary Reading Experience as a Means of Enhancing HOTS** At a Two Day National Conference on “Developing Scenario in Applied Sciences and Communicative English” at Kumaraguru College of Technology, Coimbatore on 21 & 22 April 2016.
76. **(June-July 2016) Feasibility of Content-based Instruction in Indian Context** At a Three Day 11th International ELTAI Conference on Content-based Instruction & Learning: Redefining the English Language Curriculum at Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad from 30 June to 2 July 2016
77. **(August 2016) Challenges of Teaching English in India** At a Two Day International Conference on Innovations in the Teaching of Language and Literature on 12 & 13 August 2016 at VIT, Vellore
78. **(August 2016) Content-based Instruction: Myth or Reality in India** At a Two Day International Conference on

Teaching English Language and Literature: Innovative Methods and Practices on 26 & 27 August 2016 at Tirupati.

79. (December 2016) **Understanding Shakespeare through Socratic Questioning**. At a One day International Conference on Re-Interpreting Shakespeare at St Joseph's College, Trichy on Thursday 15 December 2016.
80. (December 2016) **Impact of Literary Theories on English Studies**. At a One Day International Conference on "Literary Theories" at MTN College, Madurai on Saturday 17 December 2016.
81. (January 2017) **Integrating Language Skills: From Pedagogy to Heutagogy through Andragogy**. At a Two Day National Conference on "Culture, Language, & Literature in the English classroom" at Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore on Friday and Saturday 6 & 7 January 2017.
82. (January 2017) **Literary Theorists' Language Anxiety: Solved or Dissolved**. At a Four Day International Congress on English Grammar at KSR College, Tiruchengodu from 18-21 January 2017.
83. (January 2017) **Has Literature Gone Green?** At a One Day State Level Seminar on Application of Modern Critical Theories at VVV College for Women, Virudhunagar on 24 January 2017.

84. **(February 2017) Teaching Business Communication Skills: A Clarion Call.** At a Two Day National Conference on Teaching Business Communication: Trends, Challenges and Opportunities at ELTIS, Pune on 10 & 11 February 2017.
85. **(February 2017) Flipped Classroom as Postmodern Learning Style.** At a Two Day International Conference on Emerging Revolutionary Advancements in English Language Teaching (ERA-ELT) at Rathinam College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore on 17 & 18 February 2017.
86. **(February 2017) English as an International Language.** At a One Day International Conference on New Perspectives in ELT at Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Technology, Theni on 25 February 2017.
87. **(February 2017) Teaching Offshore English through Flipped Classroom.** At a One Day National Conference at Theni Kammavar Sangam College of Technology, Theni on 25 February 2017.
88. **(March 2017) Quality Assurance as a Potent Change Agent.** At a Two Day NAAC Sponsored National Conference on Developing a Culture of Quality: Implementing & Sustaining Approaches to Quality in Higher Education at St Francis College for Women, Hyderabad on 3 & 4 March 2017.

89. **(March 2017) Commodification of English.** At a One Day National Conference on Commercialised Language & Artistic Business at Loyola College, Mettala on Wednesday 8 March 2017.
90. **(March 2017) Teachers' Involvement in Materials Production and Students' Feedback: A Review of the American College Experiment.** At a Three Day International Conference from 23 to 25 March 2017 at Anna University, Chennai.
91. **(March 2017) Is Heutagogy Feasible to ES Teaching in Indian Context?** Two Day National Conference on New Perspectives in English Language Teaching at Hindustan University, Chennai on 30 & 31 March 2017.
92. **(April 2017) Blended Learning vs. Flipped Classroom: Strengths and Limitations** One Day UGC Sponsored National Conference on English Language Teaching: A Blended Approach at SVA GD College, Srikalahasti on 19 April 2017.
93. **(June-July 2017) ELT in India @ 2030** Three Day International ELTAI Conference at St Teresa's College, Cochin from 30 June to 1 July 2017.
94. **(July 2017) Utility and Futility of English Grammar Teaching.** One Day International Conference on 26 July 2017 at the American College, Madurai

95. **(August 2017) Relevance of Literary Theories to English Studies.** One Day Symposium on New Trends in Literary Theories and Criticism on 31 August 2017 at St Antony's College, Dindigul.
96. **(September 2017) How Much of English is Necessary for Engineers and Entrepreneurs.** One Day Seminar on English as an Effective Tool for Enhancing Employability of Engineers and Entrepreneurs at Jeppiar Engineering College, Chennai on 15 September 2017.
97. **(September 2017) Theory as Research Tool for Literary Research.** One Day International Seminar at ANJA College, Sivakasi on 19 September 2017.
98. **(September 2017) Deconstruction of Language and Literature.** UGC Refresher Course in English at the University of Madras on 20 September 2017.
99. **(September 2017) Globalization or Glocalization of English: A Study on Indian English** at One Day International Conference on Impact of Globalisation on Language and Literature at Dr. Umayal Ramanathan College for Women, Karaikudi on 22 September 2017.
100. **(September 2017) Flip or Slip: An Alternative Viable Pedagogical Practice** Two Day National Conference on Teaching

of English Language and Literature on 22 & 23 September 2017 at SRNM College, Satur.

101. (September 2017) **Coherence as a Means to Research**

Writing. Two Day National Conference on Teaching of English Language and Literature on 22 & 23 September 2017 at SRNM College, Satur.

102. (October 2017) **Feminist Reading of Literary Texts.** One

Day International Conference on Recent Trends in English Literature on 5 October 2017 at Annai Fathima College of Arts and Science, Madurai.

103. (October 2017) **Is Dogme ELT a Viable Alternative?** One

Day international Conference on English Literature, Language and Culture on 6 October 2017 at Vivekananda College, Kanyakumari.

104. (November 2017) **Translanguaging Approach to LoLT.**

Two Day International Conference on Language and Literature: Dynamic Resources in the ELT Classroom at SSN College of Engineering, Chennai on 10-11 November 2017.

105. (December 2017) **Dogme ELT Practice for Enhancing**

Conversation. Two Day International Conference on Emerging Trends in Multidisciplinary Research at Singapore organized by the American College, Madurai supported by Singapore Tamil

Teachers' Union & in association with Roots International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches on 27-28 December 2017.

106. **(February 2018) Why Should Spoken English Skills be Taught?** One Day International Conference on English Language & Literature Teaching at Karunya Institute of Technology & Sciences, Coimbatore on 2 February 2018.
107. **(February 2018) Parental Attitude toward English for Sustainable Development: A Study in Social Psychology.** Two National Conference on “Empowering Students of Bharat with English for Career Development” at ELTIS, Pune on 9 and 10 February 2018.
108. **(February 2018) English for Employment: A Revisit to Colonial and Post-colonial Educational Reports.** One Day International Seminar on Role of International Languages in Higher Education at Hindustan Institute of Technology and Sciences, Chennai on 16 February 2018.
109. **(July 2018) Is Cross-Cultural Communication Possible in English?** One Day International Conference on Teaching Literatures in English for Cross-Cultural Communication at Annammal College of Education for Women, Tuticorin on Friday 27 July 2018.

110. **(December 2018) Documentation Style: Difference between APA & MLA** at Three Day National Conference organised by ELTIF & RIESI, Bangalore from 28-30 December 2018.
111. **(February 2019) Poststructuralist Approaches to the Teaching of Literature** at a Two National Conference at ELTIS, Pune on 8 & 9 February 2019.
112. **(March 2019) Integration of Classroom Based Research and Teaching-based Research** at a Three Day International Conference on Applied Linguistic & Language Teaching International Conference and Exhibition (ALLT), at Zayed University, Dubai from 7-9 March 2019.
113. **(August 2019) Acquisition of English: A Heutagogical Approach** at a five day International Conference on “Insights and Innovations in Humanities, Arts and Science” (BICOHAS-2019) in Kuala Lumpur in association with Universiti Putra Malaysia during 22-26 August 2019.
114. **(December 2019) Code-switching as Means of Enhancing English Acquisition** at a two day international conference on Language, Literature, Translation, Education & Feminism Studies at Build Bright University, Siem Reap, Cambodia on 13 and 14 December.

115. **(January 2020) English Language Learning, Teaching, and Researching in India: A Critical Assessment** at a two day 5th AINET International Conference held at Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad on 10 and 11 January 2020.
116. **(February 2020) English Language Learning Materials Production under College Autonomy** at the 10th National Conference at ELTIS, Pune on 7 and 8 February 2020.

**Chairperson of Technical Sessions/Panellist at
National/International Seminars**

1. One Day seminar on **ELT: Present Trends and Future Directions** at Mannar Thirumalai Naickar College, Madurai on 25 **September 2010**.
2. Two Day seminar on **Globalisation and Marginalization** at Vellalar College for Women, Erode on 9 & 10 **December 2010**
3. Two day seminar on **Issues and Challenges in teaching English to rural students** at ANJA College, Sivakasi on 20 & 21 **December 2010**
4. Two Day Workshop on **Communitainment** at EMG Yadava Women's College, Madurai 7 and 8 **January 2011**
5. One Day seminar on **Commonwealth Literature: a Strategic Survey of the Multicultural Voices in the Contemporary Novels**

at Mannan Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai 30 **September 2011**.

6. One Day National Conference on **Reflections and Innovations on ELT at Tertiary Level** at St. Joseph's College, Trichy on 24 **February 2012**.
7. Two Day National Seminar on **Teaching of English literature** at Sathakathulla Appa College, Tirunelveli on 20 and 21 **March 2012**.
8. Two Day National Conference on **The Frontiers of English Literature & The Patterns of English Language Teaching** at MGIT, Hyderabad on 9 & 10 **Nov. 2012**.
9. Two Day National Seminar-cum-Workshop on **Testing and Evaluation of Language Skills**, Hindustan University on 22 & 23, **Jan 2013**.
10. Two Day National Conference on **A Paradigmatic Shift in ELT: Empowerment of the English Classroom**, Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad on 1 & 2. **Feb. 2013**.
11. Panelist on "Making ELT interesting & exciting" at a **Two Day National Conference on A Paradigm Shift in English Language Teaching and Testing: A Literary/Linguistic Approach**, B.S. Abdur Rahman University, Chennai on 14-15, **March 2013**.

12. Two Day National Seminar on **English in the Classroom: The Science of Communication**, Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore on 23-24, **March 2013**.
13. One Day International Conference on **Pragmatic Facets of English Language Teaching**, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai on 27, **March 2013**.
14. One Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **Indian Writing in English: A Literary Uprising**, MTN College, Madurai, 28 **Sept. 2013**
15. Two Day National Conference on **Rethinking the Role of Humanities in Technical Education: Pedagogies and Possibilities**, BITS, Pilani-Hyderabad Campus on 18 & 19 **Oct 2013**.
16. Two Day International Conference on **Teaching English for Employability**, Annamal College of Education, Tuticorin, 21-22 **Nov. 2013**
17. Three Day National Conference on **Outcome Based Language Learning**, Hindustan University, Chennai, 4-6 **Dec. 2013**.
18. One National Conference on **Trends in English for Science & Technology**, Sathyabama University, Chennai, 29 **Jan. 2014**.

19. Panelist on “Axing Writer’s Block”: Are we on the Right Track? One Day National Conference on **Trends in English on Science & Technology** (TEST 14), Sathyabama University, Chennai 29 **Jan. 2014**.
20. 4th National Conference on **ELT: Cultivating the Reading Skill: A Classroom Challenge**, ELT Institute of Symbiosis, Pune on 7 & 8 **February 2014**.
21. One Day National Conference on **Communication Skills for Academic Excellence and Career Development**, PVPSIT, Vijayawada on 28 **March 2014**.
22. Two Day International Conference on **Role of ELT in Education for Sustainable Development**, Amity University, Lucknow in association with RELO on 24 & 25 **May 2014**.
23. Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on **Strengthening English Language & Learning: Issues and Challenges**, Kakhitya Govt. College, Warangal on 12 & 13 **June 2014**.
24. Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on **Challenges in Teaching English as a Second Language to Vernacular Students**, CKM Arts & Science College, Warangal on 25 & 26 **July 2014**.

25. Two Day International Conference on **Trends & Innovations in Language Teaching: Teacher Cognition and Language Education (TILT 2014)** at Sathyabama University on 14 & 15 **November 2014**.
26. Three Day International Conference on **Women Empowerment and Social Sciences** at the American College, Madurai in collaboration with International Multidisciplinary Research Foundation (IMRF) from 5-7 **March 2015**.
27. Two Day National Conference Sponsored by UGC on **Multidisciplinary Approaches to Literatures in English and English Language** at Al-Ameen College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Bangalore on 26 & 27 **March 2015**.
28. A One Day International Seminar on **Communication Skills & Methods of Teaching English** at St Antony's College of Arts and Science for Women, Dindigul on 14 **August 2015**.
29. A One Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **Fourth World Literature: An Act of Appropriation?** At MTN College, Madurai-4 on Saturday 29 **August 2015**.
30. A Two Day NAAC Sponsored National Conference on **Quality Initiatives and Benchmarking in Higher Education** at Surana College, Bangalore on 3 & 4 **September 2015**.

31. A Two Day National Conference on **Literary Theories** at St Joseph's College, Trichy, on 3 & 4 **December 2015**.
32. A Three Day International Conference on **English Language Teaching, Literature, & Cultural Studies** at Payanoor from 28 to 30 **December 2015**.
33. A Two Day National UGC Sponsored Conference on **Emerging Disciplines of Applied Linguistics** at APS College of Commerce, Bangalore on 12 & 13 **January 2016**.
34. A Two Day 6th National Conference on **ELT: Communication Plus: Empowering Language Learners through Effective Listening and Active Vocabulary** at ELTIS, Pune on 5 & 6 **February 2016**.
35. A Two Day National Seminar on **Language, Literature, Linguistics—Latest Learning Trends and Technologies in English** at BVRIT Hyderabad College of Engineering for Women, Hyderabad on 1 & 2 **April 2016**.
36. A Two Day National International Conference on **Pluralism & Multiculturalism in Teaching & Research of English Language & Literatures** at VIT, Vellore on 15 & 16 **April 2016**.
37. A Four Day **IMRF World Research Congress Sri Lanka 2016**, Colombo during 25-29 **May 2016**.

38. A Three 11th International ELTAI Conference on **Content-based Instruction & Learning Redefining the English Language Curriculum** at Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad from 30 June to 2 **July 2016**.
39. A Two Day International Conference on **Innovations in the Teaching of English Language and Literature** (ICTELL 2016) at VIT, Vellore on 12 and 13 **August 2016**.
40. A Two Day International Conference on **Teaching ELL: Innovative Methods & Practices** at Sree Rama College of Engineering Organized by ELTAI Tirupati Chapter on 26 and 27 **August 2016**.
41. A One Day International Conference on **Re-Interpreting Shakespeare** at St. Joseph's College, Trichy on Thursday 15 **December 2016**.
42. A Two Day National Conference on **Culture, Language & Literature in the English Classroom** at Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore on Friday 6 & Saturday 7 **January 2017**.
43. A Two Day National Conference on **Communication Plus: Empowering Language Learners through Effective Listening and Active Vocabulary** at ELTIS, Pune on Friday & Saturday 10 & 11 **February 2017**.

44. A Three Day International Conference on **Empowering English Language Learners: Materials, Methods, and Testing** at Anna University from Thursday 23 to Saturday 25 **March 2017**.
45. A Two Day National Conference on **New Perspectives in English Language Teaching** at Hindustan University on 30 & 31 **March 2017**.
46. One Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **ELT: A Blended Approach** at SVA GD College, Srikalahasti on 19 **April 2017**.
47. Two Day National Conference on **Teaching of English Language and Literature** at SRNM College, Satur on 22 & 23 **September 2017**.
48. Two Day International Conference on **Language and Literature: Dynamic Resources in the ELT Classroom** at SSN College of Engineering, Chennai on 10-11 **November 2017**.
49. Chairing the Plenary on **Contemporary Trends in giving Feedback on Writing across Disciplines** by Dr Anitha Devi Pillai of NIE, Singapore during the Two Day International Conference on Emerging Trends in Multidisciplinary Research at Singapore on 27 **December 2017**.
50. Two Day International Conference on **Emerging Trends in Multidisciplinary Research** at Singapore on 27 **December 2017**.

51. Chairing the Plenary on **Information and Research Literacy: Essential 21st Skills** by Dr Mary Ellis of NIE, Singapore during the Two Day International Conference on Emerging Trends in Multidisciplinary Research at Singapore on 27 **December 2017**.
52. Chairing the Workshop on **Teach it Right: Strategies to make classes more learner-centric: Need of the hour** at the two day national conference at Symbiosis, Pune on 9 **February 2018**.
53. Chairing the Technical Session on **Teaching English to Students from Rural Background: Challenges and Corrective Measures** at ELTIS Pune on 8 **February 2018**.
54. One Day International Seminar on **Role of International Languages in Higher Education** at Hindustan Institute of Technology and Sciences, Chennai on **16 February 2018**.
55. One Day International Conference on **Teaching Literatures in English for Cross-Cultural Communication** at Annammal College of Education for Women, Tuticorin on 27 **July 2018**.
56. Three Day National Conference-cum-Workshop on **English Language, Literature, and Cultural Studies** at RIESI, Bangalore on 29 **December 2018**.
57. One Day International Conference on **Innovation in English Language, Literature and Culture** at Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal on 29 **January 2019**.

58. Two Day National Conference on **The Literary Kaleidoscope: From Bookshelves to Classroom** at ELTIS, Pune on 8 & 9 **February 2019**.
59. Five Day International Conference on **Insights and Innovations in Humanities, Arts and Science** (BICOHAS-2019) in Kuala Lumpur in association with Universiti Putra Malaysia during 22-26 **August 2019**.
60. One Day International Conference on **Recent Trends in English Language, Literature & Linguistics** at Idhaya College for Women, Sarugani on 1 **October 2019**.
61. One Day International Conference on **Social Consciousness** at WCC, Nagercoil in collaboration with Bodhi International on 3 **October 2019**.
62. Two Day International Conference on **Language, Literature, Translation, Education, & Feminism Studies** at Bright Build University, Siem Reap on 13 **December 2019**.

Awards

1. **Best Paper** for Research potentials of English Studies as a High-end Profession presented at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Occupational English at SFR College for Women, Sivakasi on 15 & 16 **Dec. 2010**.

2. **Best Participant** at a Three Day National Conference on Outcome Based Education: a Road to Future (OBERF'13) at Hindustan University, Chennai from 4-6 **Dec. 2013**.
3. **Second Best Paper** for "Why Don't/Can't My Students Read?" presented at a Two Day 4th National Conference on ELT: Cultivating the Reading Skill: A Classroom Challenge, ELT Institute of Symbiosis, Pune on 7 & 8 **Feb. 2014**.
4. **Dr. JK Award for Excellence-2014**.
5. **Best Paper Publication** Award-**September 2016** for "Is Listening Teachable? A Study in Teacher Attitude" from **Global English-Oriented Research Journal**
6. **Second Best Paper Award** for "Teaching Business Communication Skills: A Clarion Call" presented at a Two Day 7th National Conference on Communication Plus: Empowering Language Learners through Effective Listening and Active Vocabulary" at ELT Institute of Symbiosis, Pune on 10 & 11 **February 2017**.
7. **First Best Paper Award** for Parental Attitude toward English for Sustainable Development: A Study in Social Psychology at Two Day National Conference on Empowering Students of Bharat with English for Career Development" at ELTIS, Pune on 9 and 10 **February 2018**.

8. **First Best Paper Award** for Poststructuralist Approaches to the Teaching of English at Two Day National Conference on The Literary Kaleidoscope: From Bookshelves to Classroom at ELTIS, Pune on 8 and 9 **February 2019**.

Member of Editorial Board of International Journals

1. Reviewer for ***Sino-US English Teaching Journal***- **2013-14**
2. Editor-in-Chief, ***ACJELL*** since **2015**
3. Co-Editor, ***LANGLIT*** since **2016**
4. Member, **Editorial Board, International Journal for Academic Development in Multidisciplinary Field** since **2017**
5. Reviewer, ***St. Teresa Journal of Humanities and Sciences***, Thailand since **2018**.

Organizing Conferences

1. **One-day International Conference** on English Language, Literature, and Linguistics on **Wednesday 26 July 2017** at the American College, Madurai in Collaboration with L Ordine Nuovo Publication.
2. **One-Day International Conference** on New Approaches in English Language and Literature Studies on **Friday 25 January 2019** at the American College, Madurai in Collaboration with L Ordine Nuovo Publication.

3. **One-Day International Seminar** on Globalization of English & Changing Definitions of Proficiency on **Monday 3 June 2019** at the American College, Madurai in collaboration with Department of English, Anna University, Chennai.
4. **One-Day International Conference** on Asian Literatures in English as an Asian Language on **23 January 2020** at the American College, Madurai in collaboration with L Ordine Nuovo Publication.
5. **International Webinar through Paid Zoom** on Doing Cultural Studies in India on **Thursday 25 June 2020** by Dr Uma Maheswari Bhrugubanda, EFLU, Hyderabad.
6. **International Webinar through Paid Zoom** on Energy Humanities on **Thursday 9 July 2020** by Dr. Imre Szeman, University Research Chair & Professor, Department of Communication Arts, University of Waterloo, Canada.

PhD Thesis Adjudicator/Doctoral Committee Member

1. Bharathiar University, TN
2. Kannur University, Kerala
3. VIT University, Chennai, TN
4. Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala
5. Anna University, Chennai, TN
6. Acharya Nagarajna University, Guntur, AP

7. SASTRA University, Tanjore, TN
8. EFLU, Hyderabad
9. Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science & Higher Education for Women, Coimbatore
10. VIT University, Vellore, TN
11. Thiruvalluvar University, Vellore, TN
12. Bharathidasan University, Trichirappalli, TN

Details of PhD Theses Adjudicated

S.No	Name	Title	Year	University
1	V. Sangeetha	The Pursuit of Life and Journey towards an Autonomic Identity: A Critical Study on the Dominant Women characters in the Novels of Manju Kapur	Feb 2016	Bharathiar
2	B. Anita Virgin	Listening Skills for Communication: A Study in Problems and Prospects	Aug 2016	MKU
3	Chinta Praveen Kumar	A Critical Analysis on Pedagogic Approaches through Web-based Materials for ESL Learners	April 2016	Acharya Nagarjuna
4	P.V. Shibu	Man, Martyr, Hero; Desire and the Subject: A Study of the Novels of Kazantzakis	Feb 2017	MG, Kottayam
5	U. Showrilamma	The Impact of Globalization and Changes Required at Higher Secondary, UG, and PG Levels of	May 2017	Acharya Nagarjuna

		Teaching English		
6	S. Arockia Nirmal Dorothy	Confiscating History in Fiction: A Study of Select Works of Michael Ondaatje and Shyam Selvadurai	2015	MKU
7	Binuja Joseph	The Mahatma and the Narrative of the Multitude: A Study of Select Indian Fictional Works	2016	MG, Kottayam
8	Susan Mathew	A Sociolinguistic Analysis of the Impact of Transliterated Expression in Print ADs	2017	MKU
9	S. Parvathavarthini	English Language Learning by Engineering College Students: A Study in Metacognition	2018	MKU
10	Kambhampati Rajesh	Dalit Poetry in English: A Critical Perspective on Language, Aesthetics and Social Change	2018	EFLU
11	Ms. Sandhya	A Critical Review on the Suitability of the Communicative Language Teaching Methodology to Teach English as a Second Language in the Arts and Science Colleges in Tamil Nadu	2018	Anna University
12	Mr. U. Venakateswara	Developing the Speaking Skills of the Engineering Students in the English Classroom	2018	Anna University
13	Ms. P. Aswini	Enhancing Oral Communication Skills in English Using Authentic Online Audio Corpora Materials: A Study at the Tertiary Level	2018	VIT, Vellore

14	Ms. J. Sheila	Surviving with Dignity: Emergence of New Women in the Novels of Margaret Laurence	2019	MKU, Madurai
15	Sr.Amala Valarmathy A	The Resurgence of Memory and the Art of Storytelling in the Novels of Alice Mcdermott	2019	Thiruvalluvar University, Vellore
16	Ms. S. Aarthi	Narratives of Postcolonial Ecology: Select Novels of Amitav Ghosh	2020	MKU, Madurai
17	S.M. Syed Hussain	Decentring the Panopticon: The Construction of the Blind Self as Perceived in the Autobiographies of Stephen Kuusisto, Ved Mehta, and Taha Hussein	2020	Bharathiar University

Membership in Professional Bodies

1. Short term member in English Language Teachers Association of India (**ELTAI**) 2012-15/20069217
2. Short term member in English Language Teachers' Interaction Forum (**ELTIF**) 2012-15/
3. Member, Editorial Advisory Board, ANJAC Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences.
4. Member, ELTAI Computer Technology Special Interest Group (SIG) 6 Jan 2013 onwards

5. Member, ELTAI Literature Special Interest Group (SIG): A virtual group of professors and research scholars of English Literature 6 Jan 2013 onwards. 451
6. Head, Tamil Nadu region of Confidence Foundation Educator's Trainer's Researcher's Association – Global (CFTRA-Global). Feb. 2013 onwards
7. Long Term member in English Language Teachers Association of India (**ELTAI**) 2017-202715/
8. WMS Member (30903), IATEFL (International Association of Teachers of English as a Second Language from 1 November 2017 to 31 October 2018.
9. TESOL Member (262828) Global Professional for one year from 29 October 2018.

Plenary Speaker/Panelist/Resource Person

1. (**10 & 11 Oct. 2013**). Instructional Methods. BS. Abdur Rahman University, Chennai.
2. (**12 April 2014**). ELT in the 21st Century. VIT-Chennai.
3. (**4-6 Dec. 2013**). Outcome Based Education-A Road to the Future (OBERF '13). Hindustan University, Chennai.

4. (**29 Jan 2014**). Axing the Writer's Block at One Day National Conference on Trends in English for Science & Technology, Sathyabama University, Chennai
5. (**12 & 13 June 2014**) Should the English Teacher shed his old self and be innovative and interactive for Continuous Professional Development? at a Two Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Strengthening English Language & Learning: Issues and Challenges, Kakhitya Govt. College, Warangal
6. (**25 & 26 July 2014**) Reflective Teaching for Professional Development at a Two Day UGC sponsored National Seminar on Challenges in Teaching English as a Second Language to Vernacular Students, CKM Arts & Science College, Warangal.
7. (**18 September 2014**) Endowment Lecture on "Literary Theories: Confessions & Confusions" at St Joseph's College, Trichy.
8. (**3 & 4 September 2015**) Academic Audit Content and Format at a Two Day NAAC Sponsored National Conference on Quality Initiatives and Benchmarking in Higher Education at Surana College, Bangalore.
9. (**18 September 2015**) "Integrating LSRW: Problems and Prospects" at a one day national workshop on Integration of LSRW to Enhance Communication at ANJA College, Sivakasi

10. (12 Oct. 2015) One Day Workshop on “Self-Study Report Preparation” at St Anton’s College, Dindigul.
11. (28-30 December 2015) Workshop on “Research Writing” at International Conference organized by ELTIF
12. (6 February 2016) Workshop on “Pedagogic Value of ‘Derivation’ for Vocabulary Development” at ELTIS, Pune
13. (4 May 2016) “A Successful Autonomous System for Three Decades: The American College Way, Madurai” & “Autonomy versus Accountability: The Roles, Functions, and Responsibilities of Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff in the Context of Autonomy” at Indian Academy Degree College, Bangalore
14. (26-29 May 2016) English as an Asian Language at IMRF World Research Congress Sri Lanka 2016, at Colombo
15. (2 September 2016) English Phonetics & Phonology at Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore
16. (15 December 2016) Understanding Shakespeare through Socratic Questioning during one Day International Conference on Re-Interpreting Shakespeare at St Joseph’s College, Trichy
17. (17 December 2016) Valedictory Address during one Day International Conference on Literary Theories at MTN College, Madurai

18. (**7 January 2017**) Teaching Communication Skills at a Two Day National Conference organised by ELTIF at Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore.
19. (**10 January 2017**) Materials Production at the Research Department of English, Fatima College, Madurai.
20. (**24 January 2017**) Is Literature Going Green? at a One day State Level Seminar on Application of Modern Critical Theories at VVV College, Virudhunagar.
21. (**25 February 2017**) English as an International Language. At a One Day National Conference on New Perspectives in ELT at Theni Kammavar College of Technology on Saturday 25 February 2017.
22. (**8 March 2017**) Commodification of English. At a One Day National Conference on Comemricialised Language and Artistic Business at Loyola College, Mettala on Wednesday 8 March 2017.
23. (**30 & 31 March 2017**) Project-based Language Learning. At a Two Day National Conference on New Perspectives in ELT at Hindustan University, Chennai.
24. (**13 April 2017**) Indian English Fiction: New Trends at Two Day UGC Sponsored National Conference on Anglo-Indian Literature to Indo-Anglian Literature at GVN College, Kovilpatti.

25. **(30 June 2017)** Pedagogy vs. Andragogy. At a Three Day International ELTAI Conference at St Teresa's College, Cochin from 29 June 1 July 2017.
26. **(22 September 2017)** Resource Person at a One Day International Conference at Umayal College for Women, Karaikudi.
27. **(23 September 2017)** Resource Person at a One Day International Conference at SRNM College, Satur.
28. **(5 October 2017)** Resource Person at a One Day International Conference at Annai Fathima College, Madurai.
29. **(6 October 2017)** Keynote Address at a One Day International Conference at Vivekananda College, Kanyakumari.
30. **(7 December 2017)** Resource Person on Flipped Classroom and Dogme ELT Classroom as Alternative Approaches to ESL Classroom at Two Day National Workshop on ESL Teacher Support and Teaching Enhancement at MEPCO Schlenk Engineering College, Sivakasi.
31. **(8 December 2017)** Resource Person on Translanguaging ESL Classroom as an Alternative Approach to ESL Classroom at Two Day National Workshop on ESL Teacher Support and Teaching Enhancement at MEPCO Schlenk Engineering College, Sivakasi.

32. **(1 February 2018)** Resource Person Complexities and Challenges of Teaching Reading at the Tertiary Level at Two Day National Workshop on ESL Teacher Support and Teaching Enhancement at Kamarajar Engineering College, Virudhunagar.
33. **(2 February 2018)** Resource Person on Glocalization of English at a One Day International Conference on English Language and Literature Teaching at Karunya Institute of Technology & Science, Coimbatore.
34. **(26 February 2018)** Resource Person on Innovative Teaching and Learning Methodology at EMG Gopalakrishna Kone Yadava Women's College, Madurai 625 014
35. **(1-3 March 2018)** Resource Person on Overcoming Challenges in Second Language Education at the Tertiary Level: The American College, Madurai, Initiative at Three Day International Conference at Anna University on 2 March 2018.
36. **(7 March 2018)** Resource Person on Relationship between the World of Word and the World of Readers at a One Day International Conference on English Literature: A Tool for Social Upliftment at Sri Parasakthi College for Women, Courtallam 627802 on 7 March 2018.
37. **(28 March 2018)** Keynote Address on Transnational Identities during One Day International Seminar on Transnational

Identities in Contemporary Literature at Govt College of Arts and Science, Sivakasi on 28 March 2018.

38. **(21 April 2018)** Workshop Lectures on The Teaching of LSRW Skills at a Two Day National Workshop on Developing Language Skills in Saveetha School of Engineering, Chennai.
39. **(3 March 2018)** Moderator, Panel discussion on Identification and Implementation of Workable Strategies for Continuing Challenges of Teaching Second Language at the Tertiary level at Three Day International Conference International Conference on Evolving Strategies to Overcome Continuing Challenges in Second Language Education at the Tertiary Level from 1 to 3 March at Anna University.
40. **(8 August 2018)** Keynote Address on Multiculturalism in Contemporary Literatures at One Day Conference at GRD College for Women, Coimbatore.
41. **(11 August 2018)** Keynote Address on Poststructuralist Perceptions of Language, Literature, and Identity at One Day International Conference on Interface between Language & Literature: Identity, Influence and Impact at Auxilium College, Vellore on Friday 11 August 2018.
42. **(17 August 2018)** Panelist on New Revised Framework of NAAC for Accreditation and Relevant Related Topics during a One

Day UGC Sponsored National Conference on Quality Initiatives in Teaching, Learning, and Evaluation in Higher Educational Institutions at St Joseph's College of Commerce, Bangalore on Friday 17 August 2018.

43. **(24 September 2018)** Resource Person at a One Day Seminar Organised by Department of Chemistry, the American College, Madurai on English for Employability.
44. **(29 September 2018)** Resource Person at a Two Day Workshop on LSRW: Learning Language Solutions at the Faculty of Education in Avinashilingam Institute of Home Sciences & Higher Education, Coimbatore.
45. **(12 October 2018)** Resource Person on "Misconceptions of English and English Language Learners" at a One Day International Conference on English Literature and Education in St Charles College of Education, Madurai 625 006.
46. **(13 October 2018)** Resource Person on "Feminism and Womanism" at a One Day International Conference on English Language, Literature and Linguistics in Mangayagarasi College of Arts and Science for Women, Madurai 625 402.
47. **(17 October 2018)** Resource Person on "Methods in ELT Research" at a One Day International Conference on ELT Research and the Use of Theatre for Language Teaching in St

Antony's College of Arts and Science for Women, Dindigul 624 005.

48. (**14 & 15 November 2018**) Resource Person on Teaching Speaking & Writing Skills" at a TN Government-Sponsored One Week Training of English Language Teachers in Engineering Colleges from 12-19 November at Anna University, Chennai.
49. (**19 November 2018**) Resource Person on Curriculum Renewal in General English at UGC Sponsored Refresher Course for College Teachers in English at Madurai Kamaraj University.
50. (**29 November 2018**) Resource Person on Professional Development for Teacher Competencies, Jeyaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam, 625 601.
51. (**9 December 2018**) Resource Person on Teaching Pronunciation Skills in Faculty Development Programme of Engineering College English Teachers at Alagappa Chettiar Government College of Technology, Karaikudi.
52. (**20 December 2018**) Resource Person on Quality Assurance, Accreditation and Enhancement of Institutional Performance and Interface with Regulatory Bodies at Mangayarkarasi College of Education

53. **(22 December 2018)** Resource Person on Feminist Reading at UGC Sponsored Refresher Course for College Teachers in English at Madurai Kamaraj University.
54. **(24 December 2018)** Resource Person on Entrepreneurial Development Skills at a Two-Week Faculty Development Programme on Communication and Soft Skills Sponsored by Centre for Faculty Development, Anna University organised by Anna University, University College of Engineering, Dindigul from 13-24 December 2018.
55. **(30 December 2018)** Plenary Speaker on Experiential Learning in ESL/EFL Classrooms at an ELTIF Organised Three Day National Conference-cum-Workshop at RIESI, Bangalore.
56. **(12 January 2019)** Resource Person on How to Write Research Paper in Language at a One Day Workshop on Writing Research Articles at Mother Teresa Women's University Research & Extension Centre, Madurai in Collaboration with Centre for Resource, Research and Publication Service, TN.
57. **(29 January 2019)** Plenary Speaker on Indian English as Identity Marker at a One Day International Conference on Innovation in English Language, Literature and Culture in Mother Teresa University, Kodaikanal.

58. **(30 January 2019)** Plenary Speaker on English Language Acquisition and Learning during a One Day National on Factors Supporting English Language Teaching and Learning in Madurai Sivakasi Nadars Pioneer Meenakshi Women's College, Poovanthi, Madurai 630 611.
59. **(1 February 2019)** Plenary Speaker on Poststructuralism as a Research Tool at a Two Day National Conference on New Perspectives in Teaching English Language and Literature in Sri Sarada College for Women (Autonomous) Salem.
60. **(2 February 2019)** Plenary Speaker on Poststructuralists Approach to Reading Literatures at a UGC Sponsored One day Workshop on Approaches, Methods, & Theories towards Readings and Re-readings of Literary Texts at Vivekananda College, Thiruvudagam, Madurai.
61. **(7 February 2019)** Plenary Speaker on "Representation of Indian English in Literature Pre- & Post-LPG" at a one Day International Conference on Representation of the Marginalised in Literature at Semathai Vasan College for Women, Madurai.
62. **(14 February 2019)** Resource Person on "Effective Learning and Quality Teaching" at a Two Day NAAC Sponsored Workshop on Benchmarking the Best Practices in Teaching and Learning in

Higher Education organised by IQAC of Bishop Heber College,
Tichy 17.

63. **(27 February 2019)** Resource Person on “New Waves in
ELT” at a One Day International Conference on The New Ways
and Waves in Language and Literature Organised by Sourashtra
College, Madurai & Roots International Journal of Multidisciplinary
Researches, India.
64. **(27 March 2019)** Resource Person on “Green Literature” at
a Two Day ICSSR Impress Sponsored National Seminar on Green
Perceptions: Ecology & Literature at Annai Fathima College of Arts
and Sciences, Madurai 625 706.
65. **(04 July 2019)** Resource Person on “Importance of Writing
skills” & “Developing L2 Academic Writing to Adult Learners” at a
Three Day National Faculty Programme on English Language
Teaching to Adult Learners—Classroom Challenges and Solutions
from 3 July to 5 July 2019 at Mepco Schlenk Engineering College,
Sivakasi and Anna University, Chennai.
66. **(31.07.2019)** Resource Person on “Pedagogy of Teaching: A
Glance” at a Three Day Capacity Building Workshop on Enhancing
Skills of Teaching for Young Higher Education Teachers under the
Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and

Teaching, an MRHD Project, in Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli from 29 to 31 July 2019.

67. **(03.08.2019)** Resource Person on “Teaching of English: Challenges & Solutions” in Refresher Course on English Language and Literature at UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Bharathidasan University, Khajamalai Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
68. **(03.08.2019)** Resource Person on “Writing Research Articles” in Refresher Course on English Language and Literature at UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Bhrathidasan University, Khajamalai Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
69. **(05.08.2019)** Resource Person on “GE vs. ESP/CALP for Engg Students” during a One-day State Level Faculty Development Programme at Velammal College of Engineering and Technology, Madurai 625 009.
70. **(26.08.2019)** Resource Person on “Innovations in Teaching Methods” a five day International Conference on “Insights and Innovations in Humanities, Arts and Science” (BICOHAS-2019) at Penang a five day International Conference on “Insights and Innovations in Humanities, Arts and Science” (BICOHAS-2019) in Kuala Lumpur in association with Universiti Putra Malaysia during 22-26 August 2019.

71. **(06.09.2019)** Resource Person on “Literary Forms & Genre” at Kumaraguru College of Liberal Arts, Coimbatore on Friday 06 September 2019.
72. **(1.10.2019)** Resource Person on “From Teaching to Facilitating & From Learning to Acquiring” during a One-day International Conference on Recent Trends in Language, Literature & Linguistics, jointly organised by Idhaya College for Women, Sarugani and L Ordine Nuovo Publication on Tuesday 1 October 2019.
73. **(3.10.2019)** Resource Person on “Misconceptions about Reading Literature” at a One Day International Conference on Social Consciousness at WCC, Nagercoil in collaboration with the Bodhi International on 3 October 2019.
74. **(4.10.2019)** Resource Person on “Aspects of Modern English” at a One Day State Level at WCC, Nagercoil.
75. **(10.10.2019)** Resource Person on “English Language Learning: A Paradigm Shift” at SR College for Women, Trichy on 10 October 2019.
76. **(11.10.2019)** Resource Person on “English Language Learning: Explorations and Expositions” at Thiagarajar College, Madurai on 11 October 2019.

77. **(21.11.2019)** Resource Person on Research and Critical Theories during a Two Day FDP on Training for Research Publication and Pedagogy in PSG College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
78. **(21.11.2019)** Resource Person on Research Methodology during a Two Day FDP on Training for Research Publication and Pedagogy in PSG College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
79. **(21.11.2019)** Resource Person on Critical Approaches in Research during a Two Day FDP on Training for Research Publication and Pedagogy in PSG College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
80. **(09.12.2019)** Resource Person on Research in English Studies: Opportunities and Challenges during the Inauguration of Research Centre in the Department of English at SFR College for Women, Sivakasi
81. **(14.12.2019)** Resource Person on Challenges of Teaching English Literature in India at a Two day International Conference on Language, Literature, Translation, Education & Feminism Studies at Build Bright University, Siem Reap on 13 December 2019.
82. **(8.2.2020)** Panellist at the two day 10th national conference at ELTIS, Pune on Materials Development.

83. (12.2.2020) Resource Person on Teachers as Test Designers at a three day international workshop on Engaging the Digital Natives organised by English Language Teaching & Training Centre of the Research Centre of English, Fatima College, Madurai from 10-12 February 2020.
84. (04.3.2020) Resource Person on Parodying Literature, an endowment lecture at St Joseph's College, Trichy on Wednesday 4.3.2020.
85. (6.3.2020) Resource Person on Digital Learners at a one-day national seminar on Innovations in Language Teaching Using Technology Enabled Resources organised by Nachiappa Swamigal Arts and Science College, Karaikudi on Friday 6 March 2020.

Present/past Membership of the Academic/Administrative Bodies

1. Elected Member of the Academic Council of Madurai Kamaraj University **two consecutive times (1997-2003)**
2. Member of Board of Studies in English at Government Meetakshi College for Women for **two terms**
3. Member of Board of Studies in English at TBAK College for Women, Keelakarai for **a term**

4. Member of Board of Studies in English at SFR College for Women, Sivakasi for **a term**
5. Member of Board of Studies in English at ANJA College, Sivakasi for **a term**
6. Member of Board of Studies in English at EMG Yadava College, Madurai for **a term** from **03.09.2013 to 02.09.2015**
7. University Nominee for Board of Studies in English at Fatima College, Madurai for **a term** from
8. Member, Expert Committee on English for NACC at Fatima College, Madurai
9. Elected Faculty Representative as member of the Governing Council of the American College for **two terms (1999-2001) and (2010-2012)**
10. President, English Literary Association, The American College, for **four terms**.
11. Subject Expert in BOS in English (PG) at ANJA College, Sivakasi (**2012-2014**)
12. University Nominee for Board of Studies in English at SFR College for Women, Sivakasi for a term from **28.05.2013 to 27.05.2015**.
13. Subject Expert in BOS (PG) at EMG Yadava College for Women, Madurai for a term from **2013 to 2015**

14. Member, BOS in English at the Department of English, Madurai Kamaraj University for a term from **2013-15**
15. Subject Expert in BOS in English at VVV College for Women, Virudhunagar from **2013-15**
16. Subject Expert in BOS in English at Vivekananda College, Madurai from **2015**.
17. External Member, Doctoral Committee, VIT-Chennai 600 127 on **19 November 2014**
18. External Academic Audit Member at ANJA College, Sivakasi (**2014-15**)
19. Subject Expert for MPhil Board of Studies in English, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai 625 004 from **10.08.2015 to 09.08.2017**
20. Subject Expert in English for J&K Public Service Commission from **7.1.2016 to 10.1.2016**.
21. University Nominee, Board of Studies in English at Fatima College from **12 April 2016 to 11 April 2018**.
22. Subject Expert in BOS in English at Rathinam College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore from **14.05.2016**
23. University Nominee in BOS in English Literature at Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai from **03.11.2016 to 02.11.2018**.

24. Member, Board of Studies in English (PG) Madurai Kamaraj University, **13.12.2017 to 30.06.2020.**
25. University Nominee, Board of Studies in Part II English at Saraswathi Narayanan College, Madurai from 08.02.2019 to 07.02.2021.

Meetings Attended

- 09.10.2013:** PG BOS in English at ANJA College, Sivakasi
- 26.10.2013:** One day workshop for Principals at MK University
- 26.12 2013:** PG Board of Studies at EMG Yadava Women's College as Subject Expert
- 09.06.2014:** Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) conducted by TANSCHHE at Loyola College
- 16.06.2014:** Appointments Committee as University Nominee/Subject Expert at MTN College
- 07.07.2014:** Appointments Committee as University Nominee/Subject Expert at Vivekanda College, Madurai
- 04.08.2014:** Appointments Committee as University Nominee/Subject Expert at MTN College
- 07.01.2015:** BOS in English at Vivekananda College, Madurai
- 14.01.2015:** External Academic Audit at ANJA College, Sivakasi.

- 02.03.2015:** Subject expert in BOS in English at Fatima College, Madurai
- 02.04.2015:** Subject expert in BOS in PG English at VVV College for Women, Virudhunagar
- 21.11.2015:** University Nominee on Selection Committee for Appointments at SFR, Sivakasi
- 02.03.2016:** Subject Expert on Selection Committee for Recruitment of English Teachers for SBIOA School, Madurai
- 07.04.2016:** Subject Expert in BOS in English (PG) at VVV College for Women, Virudhunagar
- 22.04.2016:** Subject Expert in MPhil Board in English at MTN College, Madurai
- 11.01.2017:** University Nominee in BOS in English at Arul Anandar College, Madurai
- 28.03.2017:** Subject Expert in BOS in English at Vivekananda College, Madurai
- 05.04.2017:** University Nominee in BOS in English at Fatima College
- 15.04.2017:** Selection Committee Member on Appointment Committee in English at EMG Yadava College for Women, Madurai

- 25.04.2017:** Madurai Kmaraj University Affiliation Commission to start MA English at Annai Fathima College, Thirumangamalam
- 19.12.2017:** Workshop on CLIL for Members of BoS in English across State Universities in Chennai organized by TANSCHÉ.
- 09.01.2018:** BOS in English Literature at Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai 625514.
- 19.01.2018:** BOS in English at Rathinam College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
- 15.03.2018:** BOS in MPhil English at MTN College, Madurai 625 004.
- 17.03.2018:** BOS in English at Fatima College, Madurai 625 018.
- 21.03.2018:** BOS in English at Vivekananda College, Madurai
- 02.04.2018:** BOS in English at Rathinam College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
- 16.05.2018:** Subject Expert in English on Selection Committee for the Appointment of Assistant Professor at Thiagarajar College, Madurai.
- 09.08.2018:** Subject Expert in English on Selection Committee for the Appointment of Assistant Professor at MTN College, Madurai.

- 27.09.2018:** Expert Committee Member of NAAC Mock Visit to Thanthai Hans Roever College, Perambalur.
- 28.09.2018:** BOS in English, Department of English Language Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University.
- 27.11.2018:** BOS in English, Rathinam College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
- 09.01.2019:** BOS in English Literature at Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai 625514.
- 13.03.2019:** University Nominee/Subject Expert in English on Selection Committee for the Appointment of Assistant Professor at MTN College, Madurai 4
- 26.03.2019:** Subject Expert on a Committee for Redesigning of Courses in BA English at SVN College, Madurai 19.
- 01.04.2019:** BOS in English, Rathinam College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore 641021.

Doctoral Committee Meetings & PhD Viva Voce Conducted

1. DC Meeting at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore on **30 June 2014**
2. DC Meeting at VIT Chennai on **29 January 2015**
3. DC Meeting at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore on **24 October 2015**
4. DC Meeting at VIT Chennai in **27 January 2016**

5. DC Meeting at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore on **18 April 2016**
6. DC Meeting at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore on **24 May 2017**
7. PhD Viva Voce at MG University, Kottayam on **14 June 2017**
8. PhD Viva at Anna University on **21 July 2017**
9. DC Meeting at VIT Chennai on **31 July 2017**
10. DC Meeting at Bharathiar University on **24 August 2017**
11. DC Meeting at SASTRA University on **26 September 2017**
12. PhD Viva Voce at MG University, Kottayam on **21 November 2017**
13. DC Meeting at SASTRA University, Tanjore on **9 March 2018.**
14. DC Meeting at VIT, Chennai on **12 March 2018.**
15. DC Meeting at SASTRA, Tanjore on 13 **April 2018.**
16. DC Meeting at SASTRA, Tanjore on 10 **May 2018.**
17. DC Meeting at CNC, Erode on 31 **July 2018.**
18. PhD Viva Voce at SSN College, Chennai on 1 **October 2018.**
19. DC Meeting at Avinashilingam Institute of Home Science & Higher Education for Women, Coimbatore on **5 October 2018.**
20. PhD Viva Voce at Acharya Nagajurna University, Guntur on **16 November 2018.**

21. External Examiner at PhD Pre-submission (Colloquium) on Wednesday **19 December 2018** at Fatima College, Madurai 625 018.
22. PhD Viva Voce at Govt Arts College, Avinashi on **26 December 2018**.
23. PhD Viva at Auxilium College for Women, Vellore on **28 June 2019**.
24. PhD Viva Voce at VIT, Vellore on **7 August 2019**.
25. Comprehensive DC at VIT Chennai on **20 December 2019**.
26. Comprehensive DC at Avinashilingam Deemed University on **11 March 2020**.
27. DC Meeting Online at St. Joseph's College (Bharathidasan University) on **19 June 2020**.

Guide & Supervisor for PhD Research

S.No	Name	Univ. & Reg, No	Status	Title
1	S. Arockia Nirmal Dorothy	MKU & P8768	Awarded 09.12.2016	Confiscating History in Fiction: A Study of the Select Works of Michael Ondaatje and Shyam Selvadurai
2	B. Anita Virgin	MKU & P3330	Awarded 27.09.2017	Listening Skills for Communication: A Study in Problems and Prospects
3	S. Parvathavarthini	MKU & P3289	Awarded 22.08.2018	English Language Learning by

				Engineering College Students: A Study in Metacognition
4	Susan Mathew	MKU & P3312	Awarded 18.12.2017	A Sociolinguistic Analysis of the Impact of Transliterated Expression in Print ADs
5	B. Rathika	MKU P3566	Awarded 12.04.2018	Youth Themes in the works of Preeti Shenoy, Chetan Bhagat & Ravinder Singh
6	J. Sheila	MKU P3651	Awarded 19.06.2019	Surviving with Dignity: Emergence of Women in the Novels of Margaret Laurence
7	V. Malar	PhD-CB-DEC2012-0253	Awarded 21.01.2019	Teaching of English Language Skills: An Integrated Approach
8	J. Jehoson Jiresh	MKU P3490	Awarded 25.11.2019	Acquisition of Speaking skills through Collaborative Learning
9	S. Aarthi	MKU P4169	Awarded 09.01.2020	Narratives of Postcolonial Ecology: Select Novels of Amitav Ghosh
10	A.J. Aruna	MKU P4805	Awaited	Cultural Survivance in the Select Novels of Louise Erdrich
11	Sharon Milton	MKU P4951	Awaited	English Language Teaching: An Empirical Study in Teacher Cognition
12	S. Emerald	MKU	Awaited	Social Media for

	Jacquiline	P4823		Promotion of Writing Skills: An Experimental Study
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S.No	Name	Reg. No	DOR	Title
1	J. Jeyasheela	MKU P4017	07.09.2015	Post-Marriage Blues: A Study of Select Novels of Jaishree Misra
2	K. Swathi	MKU P5099	19.01.2018	English Language Learning through CLIL: An Empirical Study
3	K. Primrose	MKU P5758	15.02.2019	English Language Learning: A Study in Andragogy and Heutagogy
4	S. Daffny Orangemary	MKU P5921	20.11.2019	Enhancement of English Language Communication Skills through Practice-Based Learning

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S.No	Name	Reg.No	DOR	Status	Title
1	S. Princely Samuel	PhD-CB-DEC2012-0562	1 Jan 2013	In Progress	Evolution of Young Adult Fiction in Indian Writing in English
2	E. Suresh	PhD-CB-DEC2013-0507	1 Jan 2014	In Progress	Existential Challenges of the subaltern in Amitav Ghosh's Select Novels
3	M. Malini	PhD-CB-DEC2013-0483	1 Jan 2014	In Progress	Multi-media Strategy of Speaking Skills: Material

					Preparation
4	A. Ukkirapandian	PhD-CB-JUL2013-0389	1 August 2013	In Progress	Chetan Bhagat & Vairamuthu: A Comparative Study

MPhil Scholars Guided

S.No	Name	Title	Year	Univ/College
1	Parvathavarthini, S.	<i>English Words in Tamil Speech: a Study</i>	2004	Madurai Kamaraj
2	Movendhran, M.	<i>Translation of select stories of Sujatha into English.</i>	2006	Madurai Kamaraj
3	Vijay, G.	<i>Testing and Evaluation of Part II English of Madurai Kamaraj University.</i>	2006	American College
4	Jose, M.	<i>V. S. Naipaul's shifting attitudes to India: a study of his select works.</i>	2007	Madurai Kamaraj
5	Jacquiline, S. Emerald.	<i>CALL/CALT: a Feasibility Study in Indian context</i>	2007	American College
6	Smitha, Raji. S.	<i>Writer as an activist: a study of Arundhati Roy's essays.</i>	2007	American College
7	Jessie, A.	<i>Postcolonial attitudes toward English studies in colleges in Madurai.</i>	2008	American College
8	Christabel,	<i>Translation of short stories of Vikraman into English.</i>	2008	Madurai Kamaraj
9	Sumathi, J.	<i>Translation of select short stories of G. Thilagavathy in English.</i>	2008	Madurai Kamaraj
10	Vetrivel, B.	<i>English translation of select short stories</i>	2009	Madurai Kamaraj

		<i>from Maraivaai Sonna Kathaikal by Ki Raja Narayanan and Kazhaniyuraan.</i>		
11	Amin, R. Noorul.	<i>English translation of select folktales in Tamil.</i>	2009	Madurai Kamaraj
12	Sudha, A. Deva.	<i>Ethnic conflict in the writings of Regi Siriwardena, Shyam Selvadurai, and Shobasakthi</i>	2010	American College
13	Bincey, M.	<i>Activity Based Learning in learning Grammar</i>	2010	American College
14	Gunaseeli, W. Jean Ida.	<i>Use of English in judiciary in Tamil Nadu: a study in politics of language</i>	2011	American College
15	Mythili, K.	<i>The role of ICT in ELT: an assessment</i>	2011	American College
16	Princely, Samuel.	<i>Acquisition of Reading Skills at Undergraduate level: a Longitudinal Analysis</i>	2012	American College
17	Rajan, Immanuel.	<i>English text books under uniform system of school education scheme</i>	2012	American College
18	Ukkirapandian, K.	<i>ELT Policies in India: a SWOT analysis</i>	2012	American College
19	Malar, V.	<i>Translations of Select Essays of Irai Anbu from Tamil to English.</i>	2012	Madurai Kamaraj
20	Sowmya	<i>Validity of CLT in India: teachers' perspective</i>	2013	American College
21	Jiresh, Jehoson, J.	<i>Enhancement of Speaking Skills through Music.</i>	2013	American College
22	Ishwarya, S.	<i>Tamilized English: A</i>	2013	American

		<i>Study in Assimilatory Processes and Patterns.</i>		College
23	Samuel, R. Allen D.	<i>Computer Assisted Language Teaching: a Study in Prospects and problems</i>	2013	Madurai Kamaraj
24	Benitez, Joseph E. Ahiman.	<i>Vikas Swarup's Novels: A Study in Narratology</i>	2013	American College
25	A. Dinesh	<i>Collaborative & Cooperative Learning for Skills Development</i>	2014	American College
26	Vinothini, M	<i>Composition Skills of Final Year Undergraduate Students: A Study in Error Analysis</i>	2014	American College
27	Sathya Krishan Sundar, N	<i>Promotion of Speaking Skills through Learner Autonomy</i>	2014	American College
28	Bharani	<i>Strategies of Teaching Listening Skills at Upper Primary Level</i>	2014	American College
29	R. Raja	<i>Role of Newspapers in Acquisition of Reading Skills</i>	2014	American College
30	Renuga, S	<i>Sustained Reading: Myth or Reality</i>	2014	American College
31	Jeano, J	<i>Teaching Listening: A Study on Teacher Cognition</i>	2015	American College
32	Moses, J	<i>College Students' Reading Proficiency: A Study</i>	2015	American College
33	Arokya Vajitha, A	<i>Learning English Pronunciation: A Constructivist Approach</i>	2015	American College

34	Samuel Joseph, K.	<i>Promoting Speaking Skills through Task-based Learning</i>	2015	American College
35	Ramamoorthy, S	<i>Dalits' Attitude toward English: A Needs Analysis</i>	2015	American College
36	Joseph Paul Bezaleel	<i>Deconstructing English Language Policy in India</i>	2015	American College
37	Gayathri, M	<i>Moving Status of Dalits in Pre- and Post-Independence India</i>	2015	American College
38	Rajiv, C.P	<i>Listening: A Study in Learner Performance</i>	2015	American College
39	A. Sherlin Raja	<i>A Study in Teacher Attitude toward Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA)</i>	2016	American College
40	J. Leeli chalcedony	<i>Teaching English Sounds to Mentally Challenged Children: An Eclectic Approach</i>	2016	American College
41	S.A.S. Joseph	<i>Teaching Idioms: A Constructivist Approach</i>	2016	American College
42	S. Guna Sundari	<i>Impact of Technology on Composition Writing: An Analysis</i>	2016	American College
43	S. Kalaimathi	<i>Materials Production for Enriching Pronunciation</i>	2016	American College
44	S. Velayutham	<i>English Language Needs of Transgenders: A Study</i>	2016	American College
45	S. Stanley Devaraj	<i>Teaching English Grammar through youtubes</i>	2016	American College
46	J. Faustina	<i>Developing Paragraph Writing Skills through</i>	2017	American College

		<i>Collaboration</i>		
47	P. Linus Herta	<i>Developing Interactive Skills through Play: A Socio-Cultural Approach</i>	2017	American College
48	K. Primrose	<i>Animation Films in Developing Fluency</i>	2017	American College
49	G. Priyanka	<i>Visual Listening: An Experimental Study</i>	2017	American College
50	A. Samuel Nava Chelvam	<i>A Longitudinal Study of Listening Proficiency</i>	2017	American College
51	K.S. Saranya	<i>Promoting Conversation Using Collocation through Task-based Learning</i>	2017	American College
52	S. Senthilnathan	<i>Flipped Classroom in Indian Context: A Feasibility Study</i>	2017	American College
53	T.S. Sridevi	<i>Teaching of Tense through Task-based Approach</i>	2017	American College
54	N. Isaac Christian	<i>General English Textbooks at The American College: An Appraisal</i>	2018	American College
55	R. Abinaya		2018	American College
56	S. Sathiyar Periasamy Daniel	<i>Role of Academic Autonomy in ELT</i>	2018	American College
57	S. Nivetha	<i>English Textbooks under Uniform System of Education (USE) in Tamil Nadu: An Appraisal</i>	2018	American College
58	V. Shanmuga Priya	<i>Task-based Approach to Develop Communication Skills of Secondary Learners</i>	2018	MK University
59	Daisy Raichel, D	<i>Value-Based ELL: A</i>	2018	MK University

		<i>Study of Upper Primary Textbooks</i>		
60	S.P. Lejoe Pracilla	<i>Project-Based Learning in Indian ESL Classrooms: An Experiment in LSRW Skills</i>	2019	The American College
61	K. Roja	<i>Challenges of English Studies in India: A Constructive Approach</i>	2019	The American College
62	E. Irudhaya Jesintha	<i>Challenges of Enhancing Speaking Skills: A Study in Learners' Metacognition</i>	2019	The American College
63	G. Indhulekha	<i>Gender Subalternity in Chitrlekha Banerjee Divakaruni's The Palace of Illusions</i>	2020	MK University

In-service Courses/Workshops Attended

- Jan/Feb 1988:** Non-violence from 20 Jan. to 2 Feb at the Department of Gandhian Studies and Ramalinga Philosophy, Madurai Kamaraj University.
- June 2013:** Certificate Course in Soft Skills from 10 to 15 (50 hours) at Osmania University Centre for International Programmes, Hyderabad.
- Dec.2013:** Cambridge English Teacher Support Program on 13 & 14 Dec. 2013 at Vickram College of Engineering

- August 2016:** Emerging Trends in Language Teaching and Research on 12 August 2016
- August 2016** New Directions in Language and Literature Research on 13 August 2016
- January 2018** Comparative Literature: Theory & Praxis on 30 January 2018 at Sadakathullah Appa College of Arts & Science, Palayamkottai
- October 2018** NAAC Revised Norms and Procedures at Bharathiar University on 26 and 27 October 2018.
- December 2018** NAAC Revised Assessment and Accreditation Framework for Higher Education Institutions in India on 15 and 16 December 2018.
- March 2019** National Symposium on Autonomous Colleges Marching toward University Status at St Joseph's College, Trichy on 4 and 5 March 2019.

**Invited Talks on Communication/Pronunciation Skills/English in the
21st Century/Literary Theories**

1. Fatima College
2. Wakf Board College
3. Mannar Thirumalai Naiackar College

4. Meenakshi Govt College for Women
5. EMG Yadava College for Women
6. AKD Dharma Raja Women's College, Rajapalayam
7. TBAK College for Women, Kilakarai
8. Ramanathan Umayal College for Women, Karaikudi
9. Annai Matha College of Engineering Namakkal
10. KLN College of Information & Technology, Madurai
11. Ultra College of Engineering for Women, Madurai
12. Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam
13. Sri Adi Chuchanagiri Women's College, Cumbum
14. **(28 Sept 2013)** One Day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Indian Writing in English: A Literary Uprising, MTN College, Madurai
15. **(18 & 19 Oct 2013)** Two Day National Conference on Rethinking the Role of Humanities in Technical Education: Pedagogies and Possibilities", BITS, Pilani-Hyderabad Campus
16. **(27.01.2014)** Psychology and Literature at ANJA College under the the Virudhunagar Cluster of Colleges Joint Faculty Programme.
17. **(27 Aug 2014)** Research Skills. Govt Meenakshi College for Women, Madurai

18. **(10 Sept. 2014)** Introduction to Research, Reading and Interpretations, & English in the 21st Century, SFR College for Women, Sivakasi
19. **(18 Sept. 2014)** Endowment Lecture on Literary Theories: Confessions & Confusions at St Joseph's College, Trichy.
20. **(25 Oct. 2014)** English in the twenty first century. Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women, Periyakulam.
21. **(29 Oct. 2014)** Character of English. Tamil Nadu Theological Seminary, Madurai
22. **(26 Nov 2014)** Reading Habits & Sentence Skills. Vivekananda College, Tiruvedakam, Madurai 625 214.
23. **(19 December 2014)** Literature Reading Strategies. MTN College, Madurai 625 004.
24. **(23 January 2015)** Research Methodology during Research Convention at Avinashilingam University, Coimbatore.
25. **(12 February 2015)** English Language Classroom at Fatima College, Madurai
26. **(14 February 2015)** Postmodern Trends in English Literary Criticism, Cluster Colleges Lecture, Sree Kaliswari College of Arts and Science, Sivakasi.
27. **(21 March 2015)** English as a Commodity, GIANTS International, Madurai

28. **(7 April 2015)** Challenges and Prospects of ELT in India. St Stephen' College of Education, Madurai
29. **(25 May 2015)** Innovative Teaching Methods; ICT for learning Literature; Testing and Evaluation methods for Literature; Incorporating service learning in the syllabus—how? When? Developing evaluation rubrics for service learning; Industry expectations of an English Studies programme; Textual Analysis. One Quality Improvement Programme at Christ University, Bangalore.
30. **(16 June 2015)** Why is Listening Most Neglected? A One Day Workshop on ELT at St. Antony's College of Arts and Science for Women, Dindigul
31. **(22 June 2015)** English as THE language of Higher Education in India. Inaugural Talk at a Weeklong Bridge Course at GTN Arts College, Dindigul.
32. **(26 & 27 June 2015)** How to Teach Speaking Skills? Anna University, Chennai
33. **(4 July 2015)** Character of English Pronunciation. Faculty Workshop at SEV Matriculation School, Madurai
34. **(8 August 2015)** Valedictory Address at a Two Day National Conference on "Emerging Revolutionary Advancements in

English Language Teaching” at Rathinam College of Arts and Sciences, Coimbatore on 7 & 8 August.

35. **(13 September 2015)** “Distinctive Indian English” Dr Zahir Hussain College, Ilayangudi.
36. **(6 November 2015)** “Indian English Flavour” Inaugural Speech at TTS, Madurai
37. **(29 June 2016)** An Overview of Literary Theories at the American College, Madurai
38. **(14 November 2016)** Reading at SBOA, Madurai 19
39. **(27 January 2017)** English as Life Skill at NGM College, Pollachi.
40. **(13 April 2017)** Multiple Roles of Teacher under Autonomy for Accreditation, MTN College, Madurai
41. **(20 May 2017)** Flipping English Classroom, Refresher Course to KV English Teachers at KV, Narimedu, Madurai.
42. **(20 September 2017)** Literary Theories, UGC Refresher Course in English for College Teachers, University of Madras.
43. **(26 February 2018)** Innovative Teaching and Learning Methodology, organised by the IQAC under UGC Autonomous Grants at E.M.G. Yadava Women’s College, Madurai.

44. **(31 July 2018)** Linguistics Simplified at CNC, Erode.
45. **(4 August 2018)** English as an International Commodity at
RAMCO Institute of Technology, Rajapalyam.
46. **(5 January 2019)** Communication Skills at SA College,
Palayamkottai.
47. **(20 March 2019)** Is Listening a Learnable Skill? At Bishop
Heber College, Trichy.