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Designation: Assistant Professor

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Date of Joining: 16. 06. 2017

Teaching Experience at The American College: 8 years 2 months

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CAREER OBJECTIVE:

As an English professor with 8 years of experience, I aim to help students become confident global citizens through effective teaching, mentorship, and inclusive education. I support The American College's mission by:

1. Developing practical communication skills for students to succeed in a globalized world,
2. Fostering an inclusive classroom that celebrates diverse cultures and Christian values,
3. Ensuring equal learning opportunities for all students,
4. Nurturing creativity, ethical thinking, and service-mindedness through education,
5. Building a supportive academic environment that combines faith with modern teaching methods.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION:

Degree	Subject	College / University & Place	Year Completed
PhD	English Language Teaching	Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Pursuing
UGC NET	English	National Testing Agency, New Delhi	Dec. 2024
M. Phil	English Literature	The American College, Madurai	2017
MA	English Literature	Lady Doak College, Madurai	2016
BA	English Literature	Lady Doak College, Madurai	2014
HSC	Math – Biology	St. Paul's Matric. Hr. Sec. School, Kovilpatti	2011
SSLC	Matric. Syllabus	St. Paul's Matric. Hr. Sec. School, Kovilpatti	2009

CAREER ACHIEVEMENTS

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

S. No.	Positions held / currently holding	Year - From (month/year) To month/year)
1.	Treasurer, PG & Research Department of English	2024 – till date
2.	Academic Advisor for 25ENS (B) Students	01 July 2025 – till date
3.	Syllabus Revision Sub-committee Member, PG & Research Department of English	2023 – 2024, 2024 - 2025
4.	Sub-committee Member of Annual Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA), PG & Research Department of English	2023 – 2024
5.	NIRF Department Representative for Data Collection (UG English - SF)	2023 – 2024
6.	Finance Committee Convenor (ELA – Pegasus 2023, Pegasus 2024, Pegasus 2025)	March 2023, March 2024, March 2025
7.	Department Time Table Committee	Nov. 2017 – Nov. 2019, June 2023 – Nov. 2024
8.	Student Christian Movement (SCM) Staff in charge (Dept. of English - SF)	July 2019 - till date
9.	Mentor for 22ENS(B) students (22ENS117- 22ENS140)	July 2022 – April 2025
10.	Committee Member of College Freshmen Orientation Programme	2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20
11.	Admission Committee Member (Dept. of English SF)	2018-2019
12.	Mentor for 19ENS(B) (24 Students)	2021-2022
13.	Mentor for 18ENS(B) (26 Students)	2020-2021
14.	Academic Advisor for 18 series BA English SF (First batch of Forenoon shift) students	June 2018 - February 2020
15.	Hostel Superintendent (Noyes Garden)	June 2017 - April 2019

Membership in Professional Bodies (held / currently holding):

1. Member of **English Language Teachers' Association of India (ELTAI)** since 2017 till date.
2. Member of **Board of Studies**, Department of English, The American College, Madurai since 2017 till date.
3. **External Examiner**, Fatima College, Madurai for the academic years 2023 – 2024 and 2024 – 2025.
4. **External Examiner**, Meenakshi Govt. College of Arts and Science for Women, Madurai for the academic years 2021 – 2022 and 2023 – 2024.
5. **Domain Expert**, In-house text book – **25 ENG/ENS 1201 Listening and Speaking Skills**, June 2025.
6. **Domain Expert**, In-house text book – **24 ENG/ENS 1408 History of English Literature - I**, January 2025.
7. **Domain Expert**, In-house general English text book – **ENG/ENS 2204 (24 ENG/ENS 2202) Language Through Literature - II**, December 2023.
8. **Domain Expert**, In-house general English text book – **ENG/ENS 2203 (24 ENG/ENS 2201) Language Through Literature - I**, June 2023.
9. **Editorial Board Member** - Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science - Volume 3 Special Issues 1 – 4 in February 2019.
10. Member of **internal subject expert committee**, Dept. of English, American College - **Community College** for 2 years (2017 - 2019)
11. Member of **Board of studies** in American College - **Community College** for 2 years. (2017 - 2019)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

1. **Assistant Professor** at the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai for **6 months** (February 2025 - till date)
2. **Lecturer** at the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai for **7 years and 8 months** (June 2017 – January 2025)
3. **Part-time Lecturer** at the Department of English, American College- Community College for **2 years** (2017 - 2019)

Specialisation in Teaching: English Language Teaching, Linguistics, British

Literature, Media Studies

Courses Taught (Since 2017):

1. English Phonetics and Phonology (French Supportive)
2. English for Media/ Writing for Media
3. Translation Studies/ Literary Translation
4. Literary Terms & Forms
5. Introduction to English Studies/ Introduction to English Literature
6. History of English Literature I, II
7. Short Stories
8. British Prose I, II
9. British Fiction I, II, III
10. British Poetry I, II
11. British Drama I, II
12. English Grammar and Usage / Modern English Grammar and Usage
13. Critical Reading and Writing
14. Indian Literature in English
15. English Language Education
16. Introduction to Modern Linguistics
17. Varieties of English
18. Methods of Teaching English
19. British Literature: Drama I
20. British Literature: Fiction I
21. Modern English Grammar and Usage
22. Christian Studies
23. Film Appreciation/ Introduction to Cinema (NME)
24. Science Fiction (NME)
25. Spoken English (LS)
26. English for Placement (LS)
27. Conversational Skills (Part II)
28. Listening and Speaking Skills (Part II)
29. Reading and Writing Skills (Part II)
30. Study Skills (Part II)
31. Career Skills (Part II)
32. Language through Literature I, II (Part II)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Specialisation in Research: Contemporary British Literature, English Language Teaching

Research Interests: English Language Teaching, Contemporary British Literature, Contemporary Indian Literature.

Research Details:

1. Pursuing PhD in English Language Teaching under the guidance and supervision of Dr. J. John Sekar, Former Head & Associate Professor, Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2. 2017 - M. Phil Dissertation: **Kate Atkinson's Select Novels: A Study in Existentialism** (under the guidance and supervision of Dr. S. Stanley Mohandoss Stephen, Former Head & Associate Professor, Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai)

3. 2016 - M. A. Project: **A Cross-Cultural Study of Monica Ali's *Brick Lane*** (under the guidance and supervision of Ms. Felcia Vasanthakumari, Associate Professor (former), Department of English, Lady Doak College, Madurai)

Research Guidance:

Project guide for PG students (Since 2017 – till date).

S. No.	NAME OF THE STUDENT & ROLL NO.	TITLE OF THE PROJECT	ACADEMIC YEAR
1.	A. Narmatha (16PSE17)	Incidental Inclinations: A Psychological Study of Paul Auster's <i>The Book of Illusions</i>	2017 – 2018
2.	R. Karpagavalli (16PSE41)	T.C.Boyle's <i>A Friend of the Earth</i> : An Eco-Critical Study	2017 – 2018
3.	S. Oviya (17PSE24)	Incongruence State in <i>The Last Time They Met</i> by Anita Shreve: A Psychoanalytic Study	2018 – 2019
4.	G. Poornima (17PSE40)	Tamsin Winter's <i>Being Miss Nobody</i> : A Psychological Study	2018 – 2019

5.	J. V. Ashlin Bibina (18PGE06)	Science Students' Acquisition of Communication Skills: An Analysis	2019 – 2020
6.	M. Nancy Sahana (18PGE27)	Revathi's <i>Vellai Mozhi</i> : A Psychoanalytic Study	2019 – 2020
7.	X. Esther Rajathi (19PSE13)	Tamsin Winter's <i>Jemima Small Versus Universe</i> : A Postmodern Study	2020 – 2021
8.	J. Trinita Maria Joy (21PSE44)	Sang Young Park's <i>Love in the Big City</i> : A Study on Gender Trouble	2022 – 2023
9.	S. Vaishali (21PSE45)	Perumal Murugan's <i>Rising Heat</i> : A Study in Diaspora	2022 – 2023
10.	K. Vetri Kumaran (21PSE46)	Tayari Jones' <i>An American Marriage</i> : A Study in Feminism	2022 – 2023
11.	R. Vedha Rooba (22PSE47)	Fredrick Backman's <i>A Man Called Ove</i> : A Study in Narratology	2023 – 2024
12.	T. R. Goodwin (22PSE48)	Lydia Millet's <i>A Children's Bible</i> : A Psychoanalytic Reading	2023 – 2024
13.	V. Eanest Paul Joseph (23PSE11)	Jhumpa Lahiri's <i>Whereabouts</i> : A Psychological Reading	2024 – 2025
14.	Febin William Fenn (23PSE12)	Mark Lawrence's <i>Prince of Thorns</i> : A Psychological Analysis	2024 – 2025

Research Articles Published in International/ National Journals:

1. Published a paper titled “**Baited Betrayals in Savi Sharma’s *Stories We Never Tell***” in the Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science special issue on “Cross-cultural Negotiations: Emerging Literary Discourses in Contemporary Multicultural Societies”, Vol. 9 Spl. issue 4 in October 2024. E- ISSN: 2456-5571. pp. 128 – 132.
https://www.bodhijournals.com/pdf/spl/oct2024/Bodhi_V9S4.pdf
2. Published a paper titled “**Enhancing Speaking Skills through Practice-based**”

Learning: An Exploratory Study” in the Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science, Vol. 9 Spl. issue 3 in October 2024. E- ISSN: 2456-5571. pp. 108 – 112.

https://www.bodhijournals.com/pdf/spl/oct2024/Bodhi_V9S3.pdf

3. Published a paper entitled **“Self Manifestation in Savi Sharma's Everyone Has a Story – 2”** in the ELTIS Book titled *Literary Kaleidoscope: From Bookshelves to Classrooms* in 2020, with ISBN: 978-81-922548-6-9. pp. 130 -137.
4. Published a paper entitled **“Investigating the Inevitable Identity in Kate Atkinson's Emotionally Weird”** in Bodhi International Journal - an online, peer reviewed, refereed and quarterly journal. Vol. 3 Spl. Issue 4 in February 2019 E- ISSN: 2456-5571. pp. 14 - 16.
https://www.bodhijournals.com/pdf/spl/February2019/Bodhi_V3S4.pdf
5. Published a paper entitled **“Monica Ali's Brick Lane: A Cross-cultural Study”** in American College Journal of English Language and Literature (ACJELL), a peer reviewed International Journal, in 2018, issue no. 7 with ISSN: 1725 2278 876X. pp. 46 – 49.
6. Published a paper entitled **“A Journey Towards Authenticity in Kate Atkinson's Life After Life”** in the American College Journal of English Language and Literature (ACJELL) in 2017, issue no. 6 with ISSN 1725 2278 876X. pp. 29 – 33.
7. Published a paper entitled **“Metaphysical Existence in Kate Atkinson's A God in Ruins”** in the **UGC approved** ROOTS International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research (Journal No. 48991) in December 2017, Vol. 4 Spl. Issue - 1 pp. 314 - 317 with ISSN 23498684. Impact factor - 3.487.

Research Articles Published in Conference Proceedings:

1. Published a paper entitled **“Generation Gap: A Problem in Gaining Self - identity in Monica Ali's Brick Lane”** in the conference proceedings of an International Conference on Innovations in the Teaching of English Language and Literature (ICITELL 2016) conducted by VIT University, Vellore on 12th and 13th August 2016, with ISBN 978-93-86176-18-9.

Conference / Seminar Presentations:

1. Presented a paper titled **“Teaching English through Visual and Performing Arts: A Multimodal Approach”** in an International Conference on “Literature, Art & Culture” organized by PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 07 February 2025.
2. Presented a paper titled **“Baited Betrayals in Savi Sharma’s Stories We Never Tell”** in the Bodhi International Conference on “Cross-cultural Negotiations: Emerging Literary Discourses in Contemporary Multicultural Societies” held at Women’s Christian College, Chennai, Tamilnadu, India on 08 October 2024.
3. Presented a paper titled **“Enhancing Speaking Skills through Practice-based Learning: An Exploratory Study”** in the Bodhi International Conference on “Innovations in English Language Teaching and Literary Studies” held at Madurai Sivakasi Nadars Pioneer Meenakshi Women’s College, Sivagangai, Tamilnadu, India on 04 October 2024.
4. Presented a paper titled **“Practice as Pedagogy in Improving Writing Skills”** in the One Day International Conference on “Myriad Mysteries: Contemporary Global Perspectives on Language & Literature” organised by PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu, India on 27 March 2024.
5. Presented a paper titled **“Need for Practice Based Learning in ESL Classroom”** in the One Day International Conference (Hybrid Mode) on “Recent Trends in Digital Humanities: A Focus on Language and Literature” held at Madurai Kamaraj

- University, Madurai, India on 14 December 2023.
6. Presented a paper titled “**Self Manifestation in Savi Sharma's *Everyone Has a Story – 2***” in the 9th National Conference entitled "The Literary Kaleidoscope: From Bookshelves to Classrooms" held at English Language Teaching Institute of Symbiosis (ELTIS), Pune, Maharashtra, on 8th and 9th February 2019.
 7. Presented a paper titled “**Autobiographical Elements in Savi Sharma's *Everyone Has a Story***” in an International Conference at Mother Teresa Women's University - Research and Extension Centre, Keelakuilkudi, Madurai on 29th January 2019.
 8. Presented a paper titled “**Investigating the Inevitable Identity in Kate Atkinson's *Emotionally Weird***” in an International Conference on New Approaches in English Language and Literature Studies held at the American College, Madurai on 25th January 2019.
 9. Presented a paper titled “**Extricating the Enclosed Episodes: A Psychoanalytic Reading of Savi Sharma's *Everyone Has a Story***” in an International Conference on English Literature and Education held at St. Charles College of Education, Madurai on 12th October 2018.
 10. Presented a paper titled “**A Cross-cultural Study on Monica Ali's *Brick Lane***” in an International Conference on Teaching Literatures in English for Cross Cultural Communication at Annammal College of Education for Women, Thoothukudi, organized by ELTAI Thoothukudi Chapter on 27th July 2018.
 11. Presented a paper titled “**Metaphysical Existence in Kate Atkinson's *A God in Ruins***” in an International Conference on Emerging Trends in Multidisciplinary Research (ICETMR 2017) organized by The American College, Madurai in association with Roots International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches at Umar Pulavar Tamil Language Centre, Singapore on 27-30 December 2017.
 12. Presented a paper titled “**Effectiveness of Vertical Scaffolding in ELT**” at the National Conference on Innovations in English Language Teaching Pedagogy (IELTP) conducted by KCG College of Technology, Chennai on 2nd & 3rd September 2016.
 13. Presented a paper titled “**Generation Gap: A Problem in Gaining Self-esteem identity in Monica Ali's *Brick Lane***” in an International Conference on Innovations in the Teaching of English Language and Literature (ICITELL 2016) in VIT University, Vellore on 12th & 13th August 2016.

Conferences / Symposiums / Lectures / Workshops / Seminars/ Webinars/ FDP attended:

1. Participated in a Webinar titled **Multilingual Assessment in Central Asian Context: Tasks & Translanguaging Strategies** by English Language Teachers’ Association of India (ELTAI) on 29 June 2025.
2. Participated in a **5 Days National Level Online FDP on “Integrating AI in English Language Teaching”** organized by Department of English, Bon Secours College for Women (Autonomous), Thanjavur, Tamilnadu & A.C.T. Academy, Kerala from 24.06.2025 to 28.06.2025.
3. Participated in the **Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on “Generative AI Tools for Smart Teaching”** organized by All India Association for Christian Higher Education (AIACHE), New Delhi from June 9 to June 13, 2025.
4. Participated in an International Conference on “**Literature, Art & Culture**” organized by PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 07 February 2025.
5. Attended “**AI for Excellence: A Two - Part Workshop Series on S. M. A. R. T. Prompting and Evaluation**” conducted by Life Bridge Foundation, Madurai on 17th and 18th of January 2025.
6. Attended a **7 Day Online Faculty Development Programme on Paradigm Shifts in**

Emergent English Literary Discourses organized by Nazareth Margoschis College at Pillaiyanmanai, Tuticorin District, Tamilnadu from 24 November 2024 to 30 November 2024.

7. Participated in the Bodhi International Conference on “**Cross-cultural Negotiations: Emerging Literary Discourses in Contemporary Multicultural Societies**” held at Women’s Christian College, Chennai, Tamilnadu, India on 08 October 2024.
8. Participated in the Bodhi International Conference on “**Innovations in English Language Teaching and Literary Studies**” held at Madurai Sivakasi Nadars Pioneer Meenakshi Women’s College, Sivagangai, Tamilnadu, India on 04 October 2024.
9. Participated in an hour-long professional development webinar on “**Doing Literature Review in Qualitative Research**” organised by ELTAI on 28 July 2024.
10. Attended **5 Days National Level Faculty Workshop cum Faculty Recharge Programme** on “**Innovative Teaching Strategies and Tools in the Digital Age**” conducted by Progrezz Academic Training & Research Institute, Tirupur, Tamil Nadu from 19.06.2024 to 23.06.2024 with the resource person, Dr, Najma Pathan, CVM University, Gujarat.
11. Attended a **7 Days International Level Faculty Development Programme** (Online) titled “**English Language Education: Teaching, Resources, and Evaluation**” from 20.05.2024 to 26.05.2024 conducted by Progrezz Academic Training & Research Institute, Tirupur, Tamil Nadu.
12. Attended **Free National Level Online Seminar / Lecture** for English Faculty and Students on “**Literature Responds to Crisis**” delivered by Dr. L. Santhosh Kumar, Asst. Professor of English, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru, Karnataka conducted by Progrezz Academic Training & Research Institute, Tirupur, Tamil Nadu on 20. 05. 2024.
13. Participated in the **International Online Lecture Trilogy, “Midsummer Memories: Celebrating Shakespeare,”** organised by the Department of English, Chikkaiah Naicker College, Erode from 22 April 2024 to 24 April 2024.
14. Coordinated and participated in the **One Day International Conference** on “**Myriad Mysteries: Contemporary Global Perspectives on Language & Literature**” organised by PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu, India on 27 March 2024.
13. Participated in a **5 Day International FDP on Exploration of Literature, Research & Teaching Strategies** organised by Department of English (SF), PSG College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore, Taminadu from 04.03.2024 to 08.03.2024.
14. Participated in the National Seminar on “**Media Studies**” held on 23 February 2024, organised by PG Department and Research Centre of English, Lady Doak College, Madurai.
15. Attended the **36th Prof C A Sheppard Memorial Lecture** delivered by **Dr Preetha Mani**, Associate Professor of Soth Asian Literatures, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA, organised by St Berchmans College, Changanacherry, Kerala on 05 February 2024.
16. Attended a Webinar on **Work Based Learning: Bridging the Gap between Education and Industry** organised by English Language Teachers’ Association of India (ELTAI) on 28 January 2024.
17. Attended the **Extramural Lecture (Online) by Nobel Laureate in Physics (2003) Sir Anthony James Leggett** on the topic “**Why Can’t Time Run Backwards?**” organised by Bharata Mata College, Thrikkakara, Kerala on Friday, 19 January 2024.
18. Participated in a **Three-Day Faculty Development Programme on Artificial Intelligence in Teaching and Learning the English Language** organized by Anna University, Chennai in Collaboration with Department of English, Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur from 14.12.2023 to 16.12.2023.
19. Participated in an International Conference on **Recent Trends in Digital**

- Humanities: A Focus on Language and Literature**, jointly organised by Madurai Kamaraj University, Bharathiyar University, Euro-Balkan University (North Macedonia, Europe) & Shanlax Journals, Tamilnadu, India on 14.12.2023.
20. Participated in a **7 Day National Level Online Faculty Development Programme on Recent Trends in English Studies** organized by PG & Research Department of English, Nazareth Margoschis College at Pillayanmanai, Nazareth, Thoothukudi Dist., from 23 November 2023 to 29 November 2023.
 21. Participated in a Webinar on **To AI or not to AI: Leveling the playing field in an ELT Classroom** organized by the **English Language Teachers' Association of India** on 26 November 2023, with Dr Anej Somaraj, CELTA (University of Cambridge, UK) Assistant Professor (senior scale) & Research Guide, Department of English, Christian College Chengannur, as the resource person.
 22. Participated in a **Two-Day National Workshop on UGC- NET/SET Preparatory Course** organized by PG & Research Department of English, St Mary's College (Autonomous), Thoothukudi on 6th and 7th October 2023.
 23. Attended a Webinar titled **Writing ELT Abstracts and Full Paper** conducted by English Language Teachers' Association of India (ELTAI) on 19th July 2023.
 24. Attended the special lecture by **Prof Noam Chomsky** entitled **The Corporate War on Science: From Tobacco to Silicon Valley** on 03 May 2023, conducted by the Department of English, St Berchmans College, Changanacherry, Kerala.
 25. Coordinated and Participated in an One Day **International Conference on Postmodernist Perspectives in English Language, Literature and Cultural Studies** (Hybrid) organized by PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 18 March 2023.
 26. Attended a One-Day Interactive **Workshop on Art & Science of Methodical Scientific Writing and Publishing in a High – Impact Journal**, organized by IQAC and Office of Dean for Curriculum and Research, The American College, Madurai on 06 March 2023.
 27. Participated in a Virtual International Conference on **Gender Concerns in Language and Literature** organized on 10 November 2022 by the Department of English SF, PSG College of Arts and Science in association with PSG Center for Academic Research and Excellence (CARE), Coimbatore.
 28. Attended the Centenary Special Lecture, **“After Rilke: Renderings, Parodies, Rejoinders, Animadversions”** by **Christopher Norris**, Emeritus Professor, School of English, Communication and Philosophy, Cardiff University, conducted on 09 November 2022 by the Department of English, St Berchmans College, Changanacherry, Kerala in collaboration with University of Wales Trinity Saint David Lampeter, UK.
 29. Attended the **Faculty Development Program (Online) on The Nuances of Scientific Writing and Publishing** from 11th July to 19th July 2022 jointly organized by All India Association for Christian Higher Education (AIACHE), New Delhi and Madras Christian College, Chennai.
 30. Attended an Online Lecture by Dr Jeyaraj John Sekar on **‘Experiential English Language Learning through Story Telling’** organized **English Language Teacher’s Interaction Forum (ELTIF)** on 09 July 2022.
 31. Attended the **Centenary Special Talk** by **Prof Akeel Bilgrami**, Sidney Morgenbesser Professor of Philosophy at the University of Columbia, New York, conducted on 5th July 2022 by Department of English, St. Berchmans College, Kerala on the topic, **“The Past and Present of Indian Secularism”**.
 32. Participated in the **Webinar** entitled **Fairy Tales and Ageing** organized by the PG & Research Centre of English, Lady Doak College and funded by United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia under the WPE Digital Content Development Grant - 2021
 33. Participated in the International Webinar on **E-Resources to Enhance English**

- Communication Skills** conducted by the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 4 March 2022.
34. Participated in the 5 – Day **Faculty Development Programme on Contemporary Critical Theory** organized by the PG & Research Department of English, Bishop Heber College, Trichy held between 28 February and 4 March 2022.
 35. Participated in the National Webinar on “**A Pandemic Year for Women – What are We Learning?**” organized by The Ladies Club of The American College, Madurai on 30th June 2021.
 36. Participated in an Online Workshop on **Content Writing and Employment Opportunities** on 27 April 2021, conducted by the Department of English, The American College, Madurai.
 37. Participated in the International Webinar on “**The Power to Change the World**” organized by the Women’s Forum, The American College, Madurai on 8th March, 2021.
 38. Attended the Shepherd Memorial Lecture 2021(online) by **Homi K. Bhabha**, Ann F. Rothenberg Professor, Harvard University conducted on 12th January, 2021 on the topic *Humanities in the Time of Pandemic*, conducted by St. Berchmans College, Kerala.
 39. Attended a one week (online) Short Term Training Programme (STTP) on **Research Essentials in English Language and Literature** organized by Dept. of English, B. S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology from 4th to 8th January, 2021.
 40. Co-ordinated and participated in Bodhi International Congress – BIC20, An International Online Conference on **Paradigm Shifts in Teaching Language, Literature & Culture** on 30th, 31st October & 1st November, 2020.
 41. Attended a Five-day National Online Training Programme on **Demystifying NET & SET** organized by the Research Department of English, Fatima College, Madurai from 10th to 14th July, 2020.
 42. Participated in an International Webinar on **Energy Humanities** by Dr. Imre Szeman, University Research Chair, Professor of Communication Arts, University of Waterloo, Canada conducted by the Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 9th July, 2020.
 43. Participated in a Webinar on **Doing Cultural Studies in India** by Dr. Uma Maheshwari Bhrugubanda organized by the Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai on 25th June, 2020.
 44. Participated in the Webinar conducted by the Ladies Club of The American College on 27th May, 2020.
 45. Attended a one-day International Conference on "**Asian Literatures in English as an Asian Language**" at The American College, Madurai on 23rd January, 2020.
 46. Attended a One-day State Level Faculty Development Programme on "**Teaching English at the Tertiary Level**" at Velammal College of Engineering and Technology, Viraganoor, Madurai on 5th August 2019.
 47. Attended an International Conference on "**Inclusive and Equitable Quality Education in ELT (IEQEELT 2K18)**" organized by Department of English, SSN College of Engineering, Chennai on 26 & 27 October 2018.
 48. Attended an International Conference on **English Language, Literature and Linguistics** at The American College, Madurai on 26 July 2017.
 49. Attended the NAAC sponsored National Conference on **Strategies of Quality Initiatives, Enhancement and Sustenance in Higher Education** at The American College on 21 & 22 February 2017.
 50. Attended an International Conference on **Re-interpreting Shakespeare** at St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli on 15th December 2016.
 51. Attended a workshop on "**New Directions in Language and Literature**" as a part of an International Conference at VIT University, Vellore on 12 & 13 August 2016.

52. Attended a workshop on "**Shakespeare 400 - A Year of Celebrations**" as a part of an International Conference at VIT University, Vellore on 12 & 13 August 2016. 42. Attended an Intercollegiate Symposium on "**English Language Teaching, Literary Theories and World Literature**" conducted by The American College, Madurai on 29 June 2016.
53. Participated in the "**Storytelling / Narration Workshop**" organized by SCILET, The American College, Madurai on 27 & 28 January 2016.
54. Attended an International Conference on "**Comparative Perspectives in Classical Literature**" at Lady Doak College, Madurai on 15, 16, 17 December 2015.
55. Attended a National Seminar on "**Shakespeare in the 21st century**" organized by Cuckoo, an International literary magazine in association with PG and Research Department of English, V. O. Chidambaram College, Thoothukudi on 20 September 2014.

Overseas Academic Visits:

1. Visited Singapore & Malaysia to attend and present a research paper in an International Conference in December 2017.

Award of Excellence:

1. Recipient of Prof. S. Abraham Robert Jeyarajan Prize for **Best Library User among Self – Financed Faculty (Cash Award)** at The American College, Madurai during the academic year 2024 – 2025.
2. Conferred with the **Best Young Researcher Award** by Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science, India powered by UG and PG Departments of English, Women's Christian College, Chennai on 08 October 2024.

Other Activities / Academic Credentials:

Invited Talk:

1. **Felicitations** for Annual Day Celebration – Diadem 2024 at The Little Flower School, Aundipatti on 10th February, 2024.
2. Delivered **Graduation address** for Kindergarten Graduation 2022 – 2023 at The Little Flower School, Aundipatti on 25th March, 2023.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR AND CO-CURRICULAR ACHIEVEMENTS

Workshops attended

1. Participated in a workshop on **Mural Art** from 20 June 2012 to 2 July 2012 organized by Lady Doak College, Madurai.
2. Participated in a workshop on **Photography** from 20 November 2012 to 3 December 2012 organized by Lady Doak College, Madurai.

Other Courses Completed

1. Completed diploma in Old Testament "**Biblical Wisdom Literature**" in March 2015 certified by Christian Educational Council of Tamilnadu.

2. Completed diploma in New Testament "**Essence of Christian Faith**" by merit in March 2014 certified by Christian Educational Council of Tamilnadu.
3. Completed an "**Advanced Course in Christian Education**" conducted by St. Andrew Centre for Human Resource Development and Counseling of the India Sunday School Union, Coonoor from 21 - 31 May, 2012.
4. Completed a **Carnatic Vocal course** during the year 2011- 2012 in Centre For Music (CFM), Lady Doak College, Madurai.

Certificates of Achievements

1. Awarded **Certificate of Personal Meritorious Achievement** by Lady Doak College, Madurai on 22 March 2014.
2. Awarded **Certificate of General Honour** by Lady Doak College, Madurai on 22 March 2014.

Notable Participations, Achievements and Responsibilities Held

1. **College Choir Member** since 2016 – till date at The American College.
2. **Organising Committee Member** of the Annual Alumnae Meet – “Kadhaipoma” on 05 April 2025, organised by the American College Alumni Cell (ACAC) at The American College, Madurai.
3. **Master of Ceremony** for the Annual Alumnae Meet – “Kadhaipoma” on 05 April 2025, organised by the American College Alumni Cell (ACAC) at The American College, Madurai.
4. **Judged** Group Singing Competition (Vocal Jam) in Conscientia 2025, A State level Inter-collegiate meet, conducted by the Department of Psychology, The American College, Madurai on 19 February 2025.
5. **Master of Ceremony** for the Inauguration Ceremony of **Honeywell Centre for Sustainability Studies** at **Madurai Kamaraj University**, implemented by **ICT Academy** and with the esteemed chief guest **Dr. Palanivel Thiaga Rajan, Hon’ble Minister for Information Technology & Digital Services Department, Govt. of Tamilnadu** held on 03 September 2024.
6. **Judged** Group Singing Competition (Fine Arts Competitions 2024) at St. Joseph’s Matric. Hr. Sec. School, Madurai- 9 on 12 August 2024.
7. **Master of Ceremony** for Alumnae Meet on 01 April 2024 at The American College, Madurai.
8. **Master of Ceremony** for Women’s Day Celebrations on 08 March 2024 at The American College, Madurai.

9. **Master of Ceremony** for One-Day Workshop on “**Fabric Tanjore Painting**” conducted by Women’s Forum, The American College, Madurai on 25 September 2023.
10. **Co-convenor** for the Hospitality **Committee** for the play production of **Shakespeare’s Othello by Maverick Theatre**, The American College, Madurai in September 2023.
11. **Co-convenor** for the Hall **Management Committee** for the play production of **Shakespeare’s Macbeth by Maverick Theatre**, The American College, Madurai in August 2022.
12. **Judged** various competitions such as Singing, Group Singing, Instrumental, Talenta, Verse Writing, Literary Parade, Mime, Bible Quiz in SSC & ELA Auditions, Pegasus – literary event, and SCM at the college level.
13. **Master of Ceremony** for Alumnae Meet on March 2019 at The American College, Madurai.
14. **Discipline Committee member** 2017 -2019 during College Day Programme at The American College, Madurai.
15. **Registration Committee Convenor** for Pegasus 2019, The American College, Madurai.
16. **Certificate Committee Convenor** for Pegasus 2018, The American College, Madurai.
17. **Organized** Hostel Christmas Celebration 2017 & 2018 as Resident Hall Superintendent at The American College, Madurai
18. **SCM Cabinet Member** at The American College for the academic year 2016- 2017.
19. **Class representative** during the M. Phil course in the year 2016 – 2017 at The American College, Madurai.
20. **Organist** in the Wilcox Chapel, Lady Doak College, Madurai for five consecutive years from 2011- 2016.
21. **Assisted and coordinated the playback singers** in the musical play **Annie** directed by Dr. Beatrice Anne D'coutho which was staged by the Department of English, Lady Doak College, Madurai on the literary festival **Arcadia 2014** and as **College play** for the public in **February 2015**.
22. **Music Director** for the play “**Routhiram Palagu**” directed by **Mr. Ramasamy (a well-known Cine artist and play director)** organized by the Department of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai **in 2014**.
23. **Assisted as a playback singer** in the musical play **Sound of Music** directed by Dr.

Beatrice Anne D'coutho which was staged by the Daughters of the Stage (DOTS), Department of English, Lady Doak College, Madurai on the Literary festival **Arcadia 2013**.

24. **Assisted as a musician and playback singer** in the musical play of the novel **Christmas Carol** written by **Charles Dickens** which was staged by the Arcadia Club, Lady Doak College, Madurai, directed by Dr. Beatrice Anne D'coutho on the literary festival **Arcadia 2012**.
25. **College Choir and Centre for Music (CFM) Treasurer** in Lady Doak College for the academic year 2015- 2016.
26. **General Committee Member** of the **Student Christian Movement of India (SCMI)** during the biennium 2013- 2015 and attended the **26th General Committee Meeting of SCMI** in Ranchi, Jharkhand from 27 - 30 May 2013.
27. **SCM & Chapel President and College Union Member** of Lady Doak College during the academic year 2013- 2014.
28. **SCM & Chapel Secretary** of Lady Doak College for the academic year 2012- 2013.
29. Participated and held the place of **Winners** for Lady Doak College, Madurai in **Aachi - Sing the Season 2012**, an Annual Carol Competition held on 1 December 2012 in Tirunelveli which was telecasted by Sathyam TV.
30. Participated and held the place of **1st Runners** for Lady Doak College, Madurai in **Aachi - Sing the Season 2011**, an Annual Carol Competition held on 17 December 2011 at Madras University Centenary Auditorium, Chennai which was telecasted by Star Vijay TV on 25 December 2011.
31. Won many prizes in the literary and cultural events conducted by the various English Literary Associations and colleges all over Tamil Nadu.
32. Won prizes and medals in University level youth festival competitions conducted by Madurai Kamaraj University.
33. Participated and secured **First Place** in the **Semifinals of Devaragangal 2009** in the Children's category conducted by Good News Television, Chennai which was telecasted by Tamilan TV.
34. Participated and secured **Third Place** in the **Finals of Devaragangal 2009** in the children's category conducted by Good News Television, Chennai which was telecasted by Tamilan TV.

Special Interests:

Singing, Reading, Music (Keyboard & Drums), Composing songs, Craft work, Drawing, Poetry Writing, Script writing, Acting, Choreography, Preaching, Social Networking, Producing Instructional Materials for teaching

Key Skills:

1. Communication Skills
2. Interpersonal Skills
3. Leadership Skills
4. Presentation Skills
5. Mentorship Skills
6. Organisation Skills