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## **Academic Qualification**

2020: PG Diploma in Counselling and Psychotherapy

2020: M.A. in English Literature, The American College, Madurai.

2018: B.A. in English Literature, The American College, Madurai.

## **Additional Qualification**

2019: National Eligibility Test for Assistant Professor

## M.A Project

Title: Mohsin Hamid's *The Reluctant Fundamentalist*: A New Historicist

Reading

Submitted to the PG & Research Department of English,

The American College, Madurai.

## **Memberships**

An active member of Council of Counselling & Psychotherapy (CPC).

#### **Research Interests**

- Literary Criticism and Theory
- New Literatures in English
- English Language Teaching



- Cultural Studies
- Sports Literature
- Film and Literature

# Seminar/Workshop/Conference/Theatre works/FDP/Resource Person

2023:

Participated and acted as a resource person to give a academic discourse on "AI in Education: An Academic's Ally or Rival? A Discourse on its Effective and Ethical Use", for the 7 Day National Level Faculty Development Programme, organised by the PG & Research Department of English, Nazareth Margoschis College, Pillaiyanmanai.

2023:

Participated in One - Day International Seminar on "Opportunities, Challenges & Expectations for the Current Dynamic Teaching and Learning Processes", organised by the Department of English, St. Justin Arts & Science College for Women, Cholapuram, Sivagangai.

2023

Acted as a resource person to conduct an in-person skill development workshop titled "Watching Skills: A Novel English Language Learning Strategy", organised by the Department of English Language & Literature and Britto English Language and Literary Association, Arul Anandar College (Autonomous), Madurai.

2023:

Acted as a resource person to give a guest lecture on "Enhancing Report Writing Skills", organised by the Department of Psychology, The American College, Madurai.

2023:

One of the Assistant Directors for the production of Shakespeare's *Othello*, produced by the English Literary Associations & Maverick Theatre of the Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2023:	Taught the online course <i>Modern Indian Poetry in English</i> at Constantine the Philosopher University in Nitra, Slovakia
	during spring semester of 2022 & 2023.
2023:	One of the jury members for the Auditions conducted by the English Literary Association, Department of English, The American College, Madurai, for the department's cultural term '23.
2023:	One of the members of the organising committee, for the International Conference (hybrid) on "Postmodernist Perspectives in English Language, Literature & Cultural Studies", organised by the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.
2023:	Acted as a jury for mine act, a part of Panoramia - 2023 organised by the Department of Visual Communication, The American College, Madurai.
2023:	Acted as a jury for the The American College cultural team auditions 2022-2023.
2023:	One of the Co-directors for the College Day Skit for the College Day '23 by The American College Theatre, The American College, Madurai.
2023:	Acted as one of the quiz masters for the Pegasus '23 titled "Climate Change and Literature", organised by the English Literary Association, Department of English, The American College, Madurai.
2022:	One of the Co-directors for the production of a light and sound play titled <i>The Light @ Bethlehem</i> by The American College Theatre, The American College, Madurai.
2022:	One of the Co-directors for the production of a light and sound play titled <i>Zumbro: The Butterfly</i> by The American College Theatre, The American College, Madurai.

One of the Assistant Directors for the production of Shakespeare's *Macbeth*, by the English Literary Association & Maverick Theatre of the Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2022:

Participated in the Two-Day International Hybrid conference on Applied Theatre sponsored by the Government of India, Ministry of Culture, South Zone Culture Centre, Thanjavur and organised by the Research Department of English, Sri S. Ramasamy Naidu Memorial College, Sattur on 20 & 21 May 2022.

2022:

Acted as the resource person to conduct an in-person workshop on "Theatrical Skills", organised by The Department of English Language and Literature, Arul Anandar College (Autonomous), Karumathur, Madurai.

2022:

Attended an online Faculty Development Programme titled "Technology Enhanced English Language Learning and Teaching: Web Tools for Teaching and Learning English Language and Literature", organised by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development & Shrimathi Devkunvar Nanalal Bhatt Vaishnav College for Women, Chennai.

2022:

Attended a lecture by Dr. Kannan on "Life Positions", organised by the English Literary Association (ELA), Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2022:

One of the Assistant Coordinators for an International Webinar by Dr. Justin James on "E-Resources to Boost English Communication Skills", organised by the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2022:

Attended an online discussion on "Accelerating Women in STEM in India", organised by The U.S.-India Alliance for Women's Economic Development.

Attended an online discussion on "Countering Disinformation - Identifying Real Information", organised by Dosti House: Your American Space (Former American Library) & SHPT School of Library Science, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.

2021:

Attended an Online lecture on "Reflections on Language and Thought" by Prof. Noam Chomsky, organised by St Berchmans College, Changanaserry, Kerala.

2021:

Attended an Online Training on "Misinformation & Fact Checking of COVID-19", organised by Fact Shala – INDIA MEDIA LITERACY NETWORK, hosted by The American College, Madurai.

2021:

Invited as a resource person for a National Level Webinar by Providence College for Women, Coonoor, T.N to give a talk on "Criticism and It's Approaches: A perspective".

2021:

Attended the Three-day National Webinar on "Education For Social Emancipation, organised by the Department of English(SFW), Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Pasumalai, Madurai.

2021:

Attended the special lecture on the topic "Material Existence of Ideology" by Professor Slavoj Zizek, organised by the Department of English, St Berchmans College, Changanaserry, Kerala.

2021:

One of the workshop coordinator of the online workshop titled "Content Writing and Employment Opportunities", conducted by the PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2020:

Attended a webinar "The Left reflects on the Global pandemic" by Gayatri C. Spivak, organised by Transform Europe.

2020:

Participated in the National Webinar on "Human Trafficking and COVID-19", organised by the Department of Social Works, The American College, Madurai, in collaboration with International Justice Mission (IJM).

Presented and Published a Paper titled "Acquisition of Speaking Skills through Fables and Folklores", in 10<sup>th</sup> National Conference on A 360° View of Language Teaching Materials:

Development, Utilisation and Evaluation conducted by English Language Teaching Institute of Symbiosis (ELTIS), Pune.

2020:

Worked in and acted as the protagonist (Doctor Faustus) in Doctor Faustus produced by Maverick Theatre of Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2020:

Presented a paper titled "Changed History of Changez in Mohsin Hamid's *The Reluctant Fundamentalist*", in one-day international conference on **Asian Literatures in English as an Asian Language** jointly organized by Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai and L Ordine Nuovo Publication.

2019:

Attended the International Seminar on Globalization of English and Changing Definitions of Proficiency jointly organized by Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai and Department of English, Anna University, Chennai.

2019:

Presented a Paper titled, "Ecological Impressions in Aravind Adiga's *The White Tiger*", in the International Conference on **New Approaches in English Language and Literature Studies** jointly organized bby Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai and L Ordine Nuovo Publication.

2019:

Participated in the Worshop on English for Career

Development, conducted by the Postgraduate Department of English

(SF), The American College, Madurai.

2019:

Participated in Two-Day International Conference on Reminiscence of Revolutionary Reality of African Literature, conducted by PG and Research Centre of English, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai.

Attended a Special Lecture on **Toni Morrison** by Dr Nancy Ellen Batty, Professor of English, Red Deer College, Alberta, Canada, jointly organized by Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai and the Study Centre for Indian Literature in English and Translation (SCILET), The American College, Madurai.

2019:

Participated in the Translation Workshop Conducted by Dr Mini Krishnan, organized by the Study Centre for Indian Literature in English and Translation, The American College, Madurai.

2019:

Worked and acted in the play *The Duchess of Malfi*, produced by the Fourth Wall Theatre of the Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

2018

Participated in the One-Day National Seminar on **Emerging Literatures of the World**, Conducted by Research Department of
English, The American College, Madurai.

\*Currently registered my PhD, titled "Mobile Assisted Language & Literature Learning: An Attitudinal Study" in Madurai Kamaraj University under the guide-ship of Dr J. John Sekar, Associate Professor, PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai.

#### **Notable Achievements and Participations**

2020: Attended the intensive workshop on Body Language held at CPC Training Centre, Arappalayam, Madurai, organized by the

Council of Psychotherapy and Counselling (CPC).

2019:

Participated in "JOMUZERT 2019" a State Level Inter Collegiate Christian Music Fiesta, organized by St. John's College, Palayamkottai, and won first prize.

2018:

Participated and successfully completed ISL101 – Introduction to Indian Sign Language, organized by Deaf Enabling Technologies and Services (DETS).

London. 2018 Participated in the event Talentia of Lit-Hit '18, National Level Inter-Collegiate Competition, conducted by the Department of English, Bishop Heber College, Trichy. 2018: Passed the Certificate 'c' examination in A grade in National Cadet Corps (NCC), under the authority of Ministry of Defence, Government of India. 2017: Certified in the Attachment of NCC Personnel to Regular Army, Naval and Air Force/Ships/Establishments/Installations, when attached to Ship Attachment Camp – 2017, Mumbai. 2017: Passed the Certificate 'b' examination in B grade in National Cadet Corps (NCC), under the authority of Ministry of Defence, Government of India. 2017: Attended the Combined Annual Training Camp, Organized by the NCC Directorate (Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Andaman Nicobar Islands) at Police Recruit School, Perurani, Tuticorin. 2016: Attended the Combined Annual Training Camp, Organized by the NCC Directorate (Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, and Andaman Nicobar Islands) at The American College, Madurai. 2015: Awarded Certificate "A" when served as a NSS Volunteer of S.B.O.A Matriculation and Higher Secondary School, Madurai. **Faculty Escorts** 2023: Escorted P.G aided students of the PG & Research Department

of English, The American College, Madurai to Kerala for their annual

college tour.

Completed Grade III Music Theory, in Trinity College,

2018:

2022: Escorted the college cultural team for The American College
Alumni Meet, Madras Centre, to Chennai on behalf of the Students'
Service Committee of The American College, Madurai.

Escorted U.G aided students (54 students) of the Department of English, The American College, Madurai to Kerala for their annual college tour.

#### **Committee Works**

2022:

Worked as a Steering Committee member for the NAAC visit 3rd cycle of The American College, Madurai.

2022: A member of the Audio-visual & Backstage Committee,
Pegasus-2022, Department of English, The American College,
Madurai.

2022: Worked in PG admission committee, PG & Research

Department of English, The American College, Madurai; for the
academic year 2022-2023.

Worked in both U.G and P.G admission committee in PG & Research Department of English, The American College, Madurai; for the academic year 2021-2022.

2021: Served as polling officer 3 (195 - Thiruparankundram) in the General Elections of TNLA, 2021