# S. PRAVEEN KUMAR

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR** 

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE

# **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION**

- 2018- Bachelor of Arts in English, The American College, Madurai.
- 2020- Master of Arts in English, The American College, Madurai
- Qualified in UGC NET December 2020
- Ongoing PhD from Madurai Kamaraj University titled study on the hybridization of Posthumanism and Transhumanism on the MaddAddam trilogy of Margal Atwood".

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## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Posthumanism, Transhumanism, Science-Fiction

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **FEBRUARY 2021 – JUNE 2023**

Assistant Professor of English, NMS S.Vellaichamy Nadar College, Madurai (2 years and 4 months)

#### JULY 2023 - TILL DATE

Assistant Professor of English, The American College, Madurai

## **Notable Achievements**

i)Participated and acted as college organizer in World Record event titled "Longest Virtual Event on the Significance of Science and Culture in Building Harmonious Society" for 120 continuous progressive hours on 01.08.2021 organized by Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University, Chennai.

ii)English Language Trainer and Content Writer for Prime Source Consulting LLP.

#### FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Attended a training program on "Using ICT Tools to create E-Source" organized by SVN College.

#### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR CONTRIBUTIONS**

Light Gaffer in Maverick Theatre's Othello- 2023 Light Gaffer in Maverick Theatre's Dr.Faustus- 2020

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Published an article titled "Towards a Posthuman Future: Species Cosmopolitanism in Frank Herbert's *Dune*" in Transcending the Human, A Critical Posthuman reader.

(ISBN: 9798867566807)

Published two papers in Academic journals

- i) Psychological Analysis of Santiago in The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho.
- ii) Mysticism in Murakami's Kafka on the Shore

Published multiple creative writing pieces in Kavithalaya 2018 & 2019 by SCILET, The American College.

## **ONLINE CERTIFICATE COURSE**

Completed an online course on content writing from Udemy

Participated in an online course on "Quarantine Literature" organized by Department of English, APC Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi on 25.06.2020.

### Workshops, Conferences and Programs Attended

- 1. Attended a Special Lecture on the topic *Material Existence of Ideology* by Prof Slavoj Zizek on 18 May 2021 by St. Berchmans College, Changanaserry, Kerala.
- 2. Attended three annual creative writing workshops conducted by SCILET and mentored by acclaimed national authors, Cyrus Mystry, Saikat Majumdar, Shinie Antony.
- 3. Attended Translation workshop conducted by Mini Krishnan organized by SCILET.
- 4. Attended Research Writing workshop conducted by PG Department of English, The American College, Madurai.
- 5. Attended One day international conference on 'Asian Literatures in English as an Asian Language' organized by Research Department of English.
- 6. Attended One day national seminar on 'Emerging Literatures of the World' organized by the research department of English, The American College, Madurai.
- 7. Attended International Conference on 'New Approaches in English language and Literature Studies', The American College, Madurai.
- 8. Attended Two-day International Conference on Reminiscence of Revolutionary Reality of African Literature organized by PG & Research Centre of English, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai.
- 9. Participated in an online workshop titled "Content Writing and Employment Opportunities" on 27.04.2021 organized by Research Department of English, The American College.
- 10. Attended National Webinar on *Revitalizing Education in the New Normal* by PMT College, Usilampatti 30.07.2020.
- 11. Attended International Webinar on AN INTRODUCTION TO CULTURAL STUDIES organized by The Department of English, VHN Senthikumara Nadar College, Virudunagar on 25.03.2021

## Workshops, Conferences and Programs Organized

- 1. Organized One day Workshop on "Translation for Aesthetics and for Career" by Department of English, S.Vellaichamy Nadar College and Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College.
- 2. Organized One day Workshop on "Languages and Competitive Examinations" in Department of English, S.Vellaichamy Nadar College.

I, the undersigned certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the resume correctly describes my qualification and myself.