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Designation: Assistant Professor

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Educational Qualifications

- (i) PhD**
- (ii) M.A., M.Sc., M. Phil.,**
- (iii) B.Sc., ADCA., PGDFM., (PGCTE)**

Specialization: African American Literature

Professional Experience

- Assistant Professor (2008 – Present): Bharathidasan Institute of Technology, Anna University, Tiruchirappalli
- Lecturer (2006-2007): Tamilnadu College of Engineering, Coimbatore

Awards and Honours

- Received the certificate from the School of Excellence-NLP Training Institute, Chennai for successfully completed **Master Practitioner** of Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) course approved by International Hypnosis Association I.L.C and the American Board of Neuro Linguistic Programming (ABNLP) in the year May, 2014 at **Bangkok-Thailand**.
- Member, (ELTAI) English Language Teachers Association of India from the year 2012 onwards.
- Active Advisory and Editorial Board Member-“Notions a Journal of English Literature”, Anu Books, Meerut from the year 2010 onwards.
- Won a gift from **British Council** and **Cambridge** in the Business English Certificate coordinators Meet **QUIZ** competition in Chennai held on 13th Nov, 2010.
- Successfully received an Internationally recognized Certificate from the **University of Cambridge ESOL** in collaboration with the **British Council** for each of the three modules in **TKT** (Teaching Knowledge Test) examination in the year 2008.
 - Module-I – Language and background to language learning and teaching
 - Module-II – Lesson planning and use of resources for language teaching
 - Module-III – Managing the teaching and learning process

- Qualified for the Certificate of **Excellence in Teaching** and received an amount of **Rs. 1000/-** for produced 100% result in the subject “Technical English” in the Anna University theory Examinations held in the year 2007 at Tamilnadu College of Engineering, Coimbatore.
- Received the certificate for successfully completed modules of Power User curriculum on 30th April 2002 with a grade of ‘O’ conducted by **IBM Advanced Career Education**.
- Tamilnadu State **Technical Official** for Athletics.
- Tamilnadu State **Referee** for Kho-Kho game.
- Participated in **All - India Inter University** Kabaddi Tournament twice respectively held at Tirunelveli in the year 2000-01 and 2002-03.
- All – India Inter University Tournament Kabaddi **Team Captain** in the year 2002-03.
- Participated in the village sports meet held on 4th and 5th Aug 2001 in the connection with police-public relationship and took part in the event of Kabaddi as a player of **Erode District Police team**.
- **State Kabaddi Championship** in the year 2001 conducted by **Tamilnadu Olympic Association** and it’s affiliated to Kabaddi Federation of India.
- Qualified for the award of **Three Stars** for the National Physical Fitness Programme conducted by **Ministry of Human Resource Development** held on 25th Feb 2000.

GUEST LECTURE DETAILS (15)

- Cambridge Presenter from Cambridge English, Language Assessment-Part of the University of Cambridge to deliver a talk on **BEC orientation seminar** for the III year B.E/B.Tech students at PSNA College of Engineering and Technology, Dindigul on 23/07/2014.
- “Motivating Children” in the Winter Science Camp organized by Anna Science Centre-Planetarium for the students of 7th, 8th and 9th standards at Trichy on 27/12/2013.
- “Personal Effectiveness” organized by the Placement Cell for the Engineering students of Bharathidasan Engineering College, Vellore on 18/10/2013.
- “Personal Effectiveness” organized by the Placement Cell for the **Faculty members** of Bharathidasan Engineering College, Vellore on 19/10/2013.
- “How to involve in IGD” organized by Tamilnadu State Council for Science and Technology (**TNSCST**) for the Engineering students of Shivani Engineering College, Tiruchirappalli. on 30/01/2012.
- “To Know Yourself” organized by Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, **Nehru Yuva Kendra, Govt. of India** for National Integration Camp students at Mohammed Sathak Polytechnic College, Kilakarai, Ramanathapuram on 22/01/2012.
- “Train the Trainers” programme to the faculty members in **KNSK** college of Engineering, Nagerkoil on 15/10/2011.
- “Group Discussions and Interviews” to the final year students in **KNSK** college of Engineering, Nagerkoil on 15/10/2011.

- “Group Discussions and Interviews” to Pre-Final year students in **Periyar Maniyammai University**, Vallam, Thanjavur on 12/02/2011.
- “Professional Placement Training Programme” for the final year students of **Seethalakshmi Ramaswami College**, Tiruchirappalli on 05/01/2011.
- “Job Opportunities and Personality Development Skills” to Pre-Final year students in **Periyar Maniyammai University**, Vallam, Thanjavur on 13/07/2010.
- Soft skills programme in **Anna University Tiruchirappalli**, Tiruchirappalli on 10/11/2009.
- Career guidance programme “Mock Interview and Group Discussions” at **Sudharsan Engineering College**, Pudukkottai on 08/09/2009.
- One day Orientation Programme “Communication and Soft skills Laboratory” to the **Faculty members** from all the affiliated colleges of Anna University, Tiruchirappalli in **Anna University Tiruchirappalli**, Tiruchirappalli on 18/07/2009.
- Career Development programme “Interviews and Business English Certificate” in **Anna University Tiruchirappalli**, Tiruchirappalli on 10/11/2008.

Publications: 15

INTERNATIONALLY REFEREED JOURNALS: 3

- “Detective techniques used in Ishmael Reed’s Mumbo Jumbo and Reckless Eyeballing”. The Criterion: An online **International Refereed e-Journal** in English. Volume II, Issue III – (Sept. 2011). ISSN 0976-8165.
- “Hoodoo detective plays a major role in Ishmael Reed’s Novels”. The Criterion: An online **International Refereed e-Journal** in English. Volume I, Issue II. ISSN 0976-8165.
- “Neo-Hoodooism needs Christianity in the select novels of Ishmael Reed”. The Literary Musing-**Refereed Journal** of English Language and Literary Writings. Sunrise Publishers and Distributors. Volume I, Issue II. ISSN 0976-4976.

INTERNATIONAL JOURNALS: 4

- “Neo-Hoodoo Black Aesthetics in Ishmael Reed’s Novels”. Notions a Journal of English Literature. Anu Books, Volume. 1 No. 2, ISSN 0976-5247.
- “Women Craving for Freedom in Girish Karnad’s The Fire And The Rain”. Notions a Journal of English Literature. Anu Books, Volume. 1 No. 2, ISSN 0976-5247.
- “African American Literature and Ishmael Reed’s Hoodism”. Language in India: Strength for today and Bright Hope for Tomorrow. Volume 10:5 July 2010. ISSN 1930-2940.
- “Some Aspects of Teaching-Learning English as a Second Language”. Language in India: Strength for today and Bright Hope for Tomorrow. Volume 10:5 May 2010. ISSN 1930-2940.

NATIONAL JOURNALS: 2

- “Toni Morrison’s creative genius succeeds on the twin principles of racism and sexism in Beloved”. ‘Woman’s world, words and wounds’. Vital Publications, Jaipur. **ISBN:** 978-93-81 169-17-9.
- “Toni Morrison’s creative genius succeeds on the twin principles of racism and sexism in Beloved”. ‘Minority Literature in English-Conceptions and Presentations’. Vital Publications, Jaipur. **ISBN:** 978-93-81 169-16-2.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES: 3

- **WOMEN NOVELISTS IN ENGLISH** - The Plight of Young Widows - A special reference to Mamoni Raisom Goswami’s *The Moth-Eaten Howdah of a Tusker*. Virudhunagar Hindu Nadar’s Senthikumara Nadar College, Research Centre in English, Virudhunagar. **ISBN:** 978-93-81723-20-3.
- **TRENDS IN MODERN LITERATURE: EAST AND WEST** – “How to forge the way towards healthy unity for a wholesome future in the select novels of Toni Morrison”. Alagappa University, Karaikudi. **ISBN:** 978-93-80481-04-
- **SEXOLOGY – LOVE AND RESPONSIBILITY**. Volume II-Sup 1. Aakash fertility Hospital, Hotel Green Park, Chennai.

NATIONAL CONFERENCES: 3

- “A study of Intertextuality in the select novels of Ishmael Reed”. **A bi-Annual Literary Research Journal** (Special Edition on Post Modernism) Volume III, No.2, March 2011. HERMES-ISSN-0975-3516.
- **Urban Catharsis: The Psycho-Moral Cleansing Effects of Literatures in English (NCUC 2012)** - “Women without voice in Girish Karnad’s Tale-Danda”. Lingaya’s University, Faridabad, Haryana. **ISBN:** 978-81-909732-6-7.
- **Urban Catharsis: The Psycho-Moral Cleansing Effects of Literatures in English (NCUC 2012)** - “Women without voice in Girish Karnad’s Tale-Danda”. **An Anthology on Catharsis**. Lingaya’s University, New Delhi. **ISBN:** 978-81-909732-9-8.

Seminar/Conference/Workshop

Attended: 47

TRAINING COURSES ATTENDED: (5)

- Attended **NLP Mater Practitioner** Course organized by School of Excellence – NLP Training Institute, Chennai an approved institute of Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) from 7th to 13th May, 2014 at Park Plaza, Soi 18, Sukhumvit, Bangkoklam, **Bangkok-Thailand**.
- Attended **NLP Practitioner Course** organized by School of Excellence – NLP Training Institute, Chennai an approved institute of Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) from 7th to 12th April, 2014 at “Hotel Matthan, Old Airport Road, Bangalore.
- Attended **NLP Practitioner Course** organized by School of Excellence – NLP Training Institute, Chennai an approved institute of Neuro Linguistic Programming (NLP) from 3rd to 8th Feb, 2014 at Residency Towers, Chennai.
- Attended the **Cambridge ESOL Presenter** training at Chennai organized by Cambridge English Language Assessment (CELA), part of the University of Cambridge from 14th to 15th March, 2013.
- Attended Teacher Support Programme for the **BEC** (Business English Certificate) conducted by **University of Cambridge ESOL** in collaboration with the **British Council** at Chennai held on 7th, 8th and 9th May 2007.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME ATTENDED (2)

- Attended a two-day Faculty Development Programme - “Empowering Faculty on Life Skills” (EFLS) at Tirupati (A.P) conducted by Sree Vidyanikethan Engineering College (Autonomous) under TEQIP II from 5th to 6th April, 2013.
- Attended a one-day Faculty Development Programme - “Enhancing employability among engineering students through language teaching” at Coimbatore conducted by Info Institute of Technology on 22nd Jan, 2010.

SYMPOSIUM ATTENDED (1)

- Participated in the Symposium on Teaching Learning in Higher Technical Education jointly sponsored initiative of TEQIP, Tamilnadu and Teaching Learning Center, CCE, IIT Madras from 28th to 29th May, 2014 at Chennai.

SEMINARS ATTENDED (3)

- * Participated in the National Seminar on “**LITFEST 2010**” at Dr. M.G.R Research Institute, Chennai from 23rd to 24th July, 2010.
- * Participated in the National Seminar on “**NEW TRENDS IN SPORTS MEDICINE** at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore from 26th to 27th Feb, 2007.
- * Participated in 33rd District Assembly conducted by **Rotaract Club** of Cochin East in Cochin held on 19th and 20th Feb, 2005.

WORKSHOP ATTENDED (9)

- * Attended the **BEC** (Business English Certificate) Coordinators Workshop focusing on **Classroom Management** conducted by **University of Cambridge ESOL** in collaboration with the **British Council** at Chennai held on 3rd Sep, 2013.
- * Attended a one-day International workshop on **The art of Journal and Thesis Writing** (WAJTREW-2012) organised by Centre for Research and Development at **PRIST University**, Vallam, Thanjavur on 5th Jan, 2012.
- * Attended a one-day workshop on **English for Scientists, Engineers and Technologists Preamble** organised by School of Social Sciences and Languages (English Division) at **VIT University**, Vellore on 21st Jan, 2011.
- * Attended in the UGC sponsored national level workshop on **Communitainment** conducted by E.M.G.Yadava Women’s College in Madurai held on 8th Jan, 2011.
- * Attended the **BEC** (Business English Certificate) Coordinators Workshop focusing on **Importance of the four skills of communication** conducted by **University of Cambridge ESOL** in collaboration with the **British Council** at Chennai held on 13th Nov, 2010.
- * Participated in a two-day workshop on “Adapting New Methodologies in Teaching” in **Anna University of Technology**, Tiruchirappalli held from 22nd to 23rd Sep, 2010.

* Attended a two-day Workshop on **Writing Up for Thesis and Publications** at PSG college of Technology in Coimbatore from 4th to 5th Sep, 2010.

* Attended a one-day Workshop Training Programme - **Communication English** in Coimbatore conducted by **E-BEK Language Laboratories P Ltd** on 26th April 2008.

* Attended a one-day **Communication Skills Laboratory Training Programme** at Tamilnadu College of Engineering, Coimbatore held on 20th Jan 2007.

ORIENTATION COURSE ATTENDED (1)

- Attended the UGC sponsored 76th Orientation Programme organised by the Academic Staff College, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli from 15.11.2012 to 12.12.2012 (28 days).

UGC Sponsored SAM Workshop ATTENDED (1)

- Participated in the UGC sponsored five day SAM workshop on Capacity Building of Women Managers in Higher Education (Residential) from 25.02.2013 to 01.03.2013 at Cauvery College for Women, Tiruchirappalli.

BRIDGE COURSE ATTENDED (2)

- Attended a two-day programme on the Bridge Course organised by Anna University, Chennai from 20.06.2014 to 21.06.2014.
- Attended a two-day programme on the Bridge Course organised by Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli from 29.07.2013 to 30.07.2013.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES (10)

- 2nd International Language Conference (ILC) 2011 on **DEVELOPING SOFT-SKILLS IN LANGUAGE LEARNERS – TEACHING INTERPERSONAL SKILLS.** International Islamic University, **Malaysia.** 22nd, 23rd and 24th April 2011.
- International Seminar on **WOMEN NOVELISTS IN ENGLISH - THE PLIGHT OF YOUNG WIDOW- A SPECIAL REFERENCE TO MAMONI RAISOM GOSWAMI'S THE MOTH-EATEN HOWDAH OF A TUSKER.** Virudhunagar Hindu Nadar's Senthikumara Nadar College, Research Centre in English, **Virudhunagar** on 24th Jan, 2014.
- UGC Sponsored International Conference on **Teaching English for Employability (TEE 2013) – TEACHING OF EFFECTIVE WRITING SKILLS IN LANGUAGE CLASSROOM.** Annammal College of Education for Women. Thoothukudi. 21st and 22nd Nov 2013.
- International Conference on **TRENDS IN MODERN LITERATURE: EAST AND WEST – HOW TO FORGE THE WAY TOWARDS HEALTHY UNITY FOR A WHOLESOME FUTURE IN THE SELECT NOVELS OF TONI MORRISON.** Alagappa University, **Karaikudi. ISBN: 978-93-80481-04-3.** 4th and 5th Jan 2011.
- 3rd International Conference on **SEXOLOGY – LOVE AND RESPONSIBILITY** Volume II-Sup 1. Aakash fertility Hospital, Hotel Green Park, **Chennai.** 13th and 14th Feb 2010.
- 7th World Conference (WASLE) and 15th All India English Teachers' Annual Conference on **GLOBALISATION AND LITERATURE AND INDIAN ENGLISH**

- NOVEL IN THE NEW MILLENIUM-HOODOOISM NEEDS GLOBALISATION IN ISHMAEL REED'S FLIGHT TO CANADA.** Anjuman – e- Islam's Nehru Arts, Science, Commerce, BBA, BCA college and PG Centre, Hubli, **Karnataka**. 23rd and 24th April 2010.
- 40th Conference **INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR AMERICAN STUDIES (IAAS) - NEW BLACK AESTHETIC MOVEMENT IN THE SELECT NOVELS OF ISHMAEL REED.** Bharathiar University, **Coimbatore**. 11th, 12th and 13th August 2010.
 - 4th International Conference of Organization for Studies in Literature and Environment (OSLE -India) on **ECOLOGY:TEXTS AND CONTEXTS – ECO CRITICISM IS THE RESULT OF NEW CONSCIOUSNESS.** National College, **Tiruchirapalli**. 25th and 26th Sep 2009.
 - 5th International Congress on **ENGLISH GRAMMAR – DEFINING SEMANTIC STRUCTURE: A MODEL THEORY.** GNITS, Hyderabad, **Andhra Pradesh**. 6th to 11th Jan 2008.
 - 3rd International and 39th Annual ELTAI Conference on **LEARNING TO TEACH: A LIFE LONG JOURNEY – MOTIVATION FOR TEACHER DEVELOPMENT.** Sathiyabhama University and ELTAI with the support of British Council, **Chennai**. 7th, 8th and 9th Feb 2008.

NATIONAL CONFERENCES (13)

- 3rd National Conference on **ELT - ACTIVITY-BASED TECHNIQUES OF TEACHING GRAMMAR TO LARGE CLASSES.** The English Language Teaching Institute of Symbiosis (ELTIS). Pune, Maharashtra. 8th and 9th Feb 2013.
- National Conference on **URBAN CATHARSIS: THE PSYCHO-MORAL CLEANSING EFFECTS OF LITERATURES IN ENGLISH NCUC 2012** - WOMEN WITHOUT VOICE IN GIRISH KARNAD'S TALE-DANDA. Lingaya's University, Faridabad, **Haryana**. ISBN: 978-81-909732-6-7. 3rd and 4th Feb 2012.
- National Seminar on **CHALLENGES IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING - DRAMA ACTIVITIES FOR THE CLASS ROOM.** Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan College of Arts and Science for women, **Perambalur**. 3rd Feb, 2011.
- National Conference on **INDIAN LANGUAGE COMPUTING – AN IN-DEPTH STUDY OF THE DIFFERENT ELLIS PROGRAMS.** Cochin University, **Kerala**. 19th and 20th Feb 2011.
- State Level Seminar on **THEMES AND TECHNIQUES OF POST MODERN WRITINGS IN ENGLISH – A STUDY OF INTERTEXTUALITY IN THE SELECT NOVELS OF ISHMAEL REED.** St. Joseph's College, **Tiruchirappalli**. HERMES-ISSN: 0975-3516. 4th March 2011.
- National Conference on **RECENT ADVANCEMENTS IN SCIENCE AND HUMANITIES – TESTING AND EVALUATION IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING.** United Institute of Technology, **Coimbatore**. 18th and 19th March 2011.

- National Conference on **MODERN METHODOLOGIES IN TEACHING ENGLISH LANGUAGE SKILLS - PERSONALITY AND SOFT SKILLS FROM ACADEMIA AND CORPORATE PERSPECTIVES.** Kamaraj College of Engineering and Technology, **Viruthunagar.** 9th Sep 2011.
- National Seminar on **ACADEMIC ENGLISH- DEVELOPING HOLISTIC APPROACH IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING.** Anna University, **Chennai.** 5th and 6th Feb 2010.
- National Conference on **ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING FOR SOCIO-PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS EFFICIENT ENTERPRISE DECORUM – MANAGING STRESS.** Kathir College of Engineering, Neelambur, **Coimbatore.** 5th Dec 2009.
- National Conference on **COMMUNICATION AND SOFT SKILLS FROM ACADEMIA AND CORPORATE PERSPECTIVES (CACP 2009) - HOW TO CREATE MORE TIME EVERYDAY AND MAXIMIZE OUR ACTIVITY.** National Institute of Technology – Warangal, **Andhra Pradesh.** 5th and 6th Jan 2009.
- Silver Jubilee National Conference on **MODERN TRENDS IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING AND LEARNING INDUSTRY INSTITUTE PERSPECTIVES (ELTAL 2009) – ELLIS: SOFTWARE TO COURSEWARE.** Kongu Engineering College, Perundurai, **Erode.** 6th and 7th Feb 2009.
- 4th National Conference on **APPLICATION OF EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES – ADVANCES AND NEEDS OF QUALITY MANAGEMENT IN INDUSTRIES.** Adhiyamaan College of Engineering, **Hosur.** 4th and 5th April 2007.
- UGC Sponsored National Seminar on **“VOICES OF MARGINALIZED” – GENDER SOLIDARITY THROUGH WOMEN BONDING.** Nirmala College for Women, **Coimbatore.** 2nd Feb 2007.

PROGRAMMES CONDUCTED - 10 (Faculty members - 2, Students’ – 8)

- 1) A one-day seminar on **Study Opportunities in UK & IELTS** to the students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., MCA., programme on 30th July, 2014 in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
- 2) **TEQIP II** sponsored one week Faculty Development Programme on **Teaching and Learning of English for Communication Skills and Softskills** from 2nd to 8th Dec, 2013 to the faculty members of Anna University affiliated colleges in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
- 3) **TEQIP II** sponsored two days seminar on **Effective English for Engineering students’ – EEE’13** from 28th to 29th Nov, 2013 to first year students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., programme in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
- 4) A one-day workshop on **Skills for Work - CV Writing and Interview Skills** to the students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., MCA., programme on 3rd Oct 2013 in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
- 5) The grasp course for TOEFL and GRE from 8th April to 11th April, 2013 to all the final year students of B.E., B.Tech., MBA., MCA., M.E., M.Tech., programme in Anna University: Chennai, BIT Campus, Tiruchirappalli.
- 6) A one-day orientation programme for **Business English Certificate** on 16th Sep 2011 in Anna University of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.

- 7) A one-day orientation programme for **Education in UK** on Sep 24th 2010 in Anna University of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.
- 8) A two-day workshop for the **Train the Trainers 2010 programme** to the faculty members of Anna University Tiruchirappalli affiliated colleges from 22nd to 23rd Sep, 2010 in Anna University of Technology, Tiruchirappalli.
- 9) Three training programmes for certification in BEC-Preliminary, Vantage and Higher have been conducted in Anna University Tiruchirappalli, (Main Campus) and some B.E/B.Tech students of the University wrote the examination and most of them have been certified by British Council with distinction so that Anna University Tiruchirappalli has received a **Silver Membership of the British Council Examinations Partnership Programmes** within short span of time in the year 2010.
- 10) A one-day orientation programme for **Business English Certificate** on 15th Dec 2009 in Anna University, Tiruchirappalli.



Silver Membership of the British Council Examinations Partnership Programmes in the year 2010 for certification in BEC



Train the Trainers programme to the faculty members in the year 2010



TEQIP II sponsored seminar on “Effective English for Engineering Students” (EEE) from 28th to 29th Nov, 2013.