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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

S.No	Degree	Name of the college/University	Year of Passing	Class
1	M.A.	PONDICHERRY CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, PONDICHERRY	APRIL, 1996	I
2	M.Phil.	BHARATHIDASAN UNIVERSITY, THIRUCHIRAPALLI	AUGUST , 1997	I
3	SET	BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY , COIMBATORE	AUGUST 2011	
4	Ph.D.	BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY , COIMBATORE	MARCH 2020	

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

S. No.	Name of the college/University	Date of joining	Date of Leaving	No. of years
1	L.R.G. GOVT ARTS COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, TIRUPUR	07.07. 2008	15.09.2009	1 year 2 months
2	CHIKKANNA GOVT ARTS COLLEGE, TIRUPUR	16.09.2009	30.07.2015	5 years 7 months
3	GOVERNMENT ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE, SIVAKASI	31.07.2015	01.08.2016 (AN)	1 year
4	GOVERNMENT ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE, THIRUVADANAI	02.08.2016 (FN)	TILL DATE	

Area of Research

- Literary theory and Criticism
- Indian Writing in English

Additional Responsibilities

- Co-ordinator - Women's Empowerment Cell
- Co-ordinator - Placement Cell
- College Co-ordinator - Vivekananda Cadet Corps (Alagappa University, Karaikudi)
- Member - Editorial Board for College Yearly Magazine
- Member - College council
- Member - IQAC
- Member - Anti-Ragging Committee
- Member - Eco Club
- General Library - in - charge since September 2018
- Secretary OSA
- Chief Superintendent of University Examination November 2019

Other Achievements

- Awarded Grant by ASRC (American Studies Research Centre, Hyderabad) for M.Phil Grant # U5-1503
- Team Member in the preparation of the CD " Shine with the power of English" Innovative Programme UGC 11 th plan at Chikkanna Government Arts College, Tirupur
- Organized a National Level Seminar on "New Literatures in English" on 19th Feb 2016 at Government Arts and Science College, Sivakasi . This was funded by TANSCH, Chennai

Papers Presented in Seminars/ Conferences / Workshops attended / organised

- Attended a Workshop on Canadian Studies - : Post - Modernism & Post Colonialism : Recent Trends " conducted by Centre for Canadian Studies, Bharathidasan University, Trichy.
- Presented a Paper in a National Level Seminar on "Centrepetal / Centrifugal force: Who decides on it? A comparative study on the protagonists of Anita Desai and Jaishree Misra" at P.K.R. Arts College, Gobi.
- Presented a Paper in the National Level Seminar on "The Aftermath of war as immortalised in Khaled Hosseini's " The Kite Runner " on 8th February 2010 at PSG Krishnamal College, Coimbatore.
- Presented a paper titled Maxim Gorky's The Mother : A Text Book of Life" at Periyar University, Salem.
- Presented a Paper titled " Munshi Premchand : Voice of the Subaltern" at TBAK College, Kilakarai in Collaboration with ELTAI.
- Published a research article entitled "Quest for identity in Carson McCullers' 'The Member of the Wedding". in the standard refereed journal named *Literary Explorations* with Vol. No. IV, No.1 , Page Nos. 121 -125 and year of publication is December 2015. ISSN : 2319-9946.
- Published a research article entitled, "Contesting against the construed identity : A Study of Carson McCullers' Clock Without Hands" New Literatures in English Page Nos 39-41 and year of publication is February 2016. ISBN : 978-93-5254-985-6.
- Attended a One-day workshop on " Curriculum Development" organised

by TANSCHÉ at Sri Meenakshi Women's College, Madurai

- Attended 104th Orientation Programme at UGC- HRDC, Bharathidasan University, Thiruchirapalli from 08.11.2018 to 05.12.2018
- Attended a One day workshop on "Gender sensitization" organised by the Women's Studies , Alagappa University
- Organised a One day workshop on " Student Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp " funded by EDII in collaboration with AIEDP on 19.09.2018 at our college
- Co-ordinated and executed a digital learning programme : *Lockdown Learning Series* during the Covid -19 outbreak which consists of two Quiz programmes and a Webinar.
- Gave a webinar on "Thinking beyond Syllabus : Connecting the dots" organised by Chikkanna Government Arts College, Tirupur on 05.06.2020