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TEACHING EXPERIENCE (14 YEARS)

Ganjam College, Ganjam : State Selection Board Lecturer (Oct 2018- till date)

- Teach English Literature to English (Honours) students, English Language and Professional Communication to Graduate Students under CBCS system

N.B.C College, Kendupadar (Ganjam): State Selection Board Lecturer (November 2016- Sept 2018)

- Teach English Literature to English (Honours) students, English Language and Professional Communication to Graduate Students under CBCS system.

KIIT University (Odisha, Bhubaneswar) : Assistant Professor, (November 2010 – Oct 2016)

- Teach English Literature to Graduate students, English Language and Professional Communication to B Tech students.
- Take sessions in Bridge Course for Foreign students.
- Contributed for the development of syllabi, Subject Coordinator.
- Soft skills Trainer for Executive and Non-Teaching staff.

GMR Institute of Technology (Under JNTU, Hyderabad): Assistant Professor from 2006 to 2010.

- Teach English Language and Professional communication to B Tech and MCA students.
- Trainer for Campus placement. (English Grammar- Communication skills- Personality Development- Email Etiquette- Telephone Etiquette- English Phonetics- Group Discussion etc.)

SUBJECTS TEACHING

- English Literature papers to English Honours BA Students
- Communication Skills to Graduate Level Students
- English to Intermediate Level Students

RESEARCH AREA

Indian English Literature, Partition Literature, Post-War British Drama, Dalit Literature, English Language Teaching.

RESEARCH PUBLICATION

- “Down Memory Lane: An Eco-critical Approach to Bibhutibhusan’s Aranyak-of the Forest” co-authored in Vol.2, No.3, September, 2017 in Daath Voyage :An International Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies in English.

- "Interrogating the gender question through an ancient character in Pratibha Ray's *Yajnaseni*" In *Drishti : the sight*, A Refereed (Peer-Reviewed) Bi-Annual National Research Journal, Vol-V, Issue:I (May,2016 - Oct, 2016)
- "A Postcolonial Discourse of Thakazhi Sivashankara Pillai's 'Chemmeen'." In *Drishti : the sight*, A Refereed (Peer-Reviewed) Bi-Annual National Research Journal, Vol. IV, Issue : II (Nov 2015 –April 2016)
- "Teaching English to Non-native learners and English vs 'Englishes' in a Globalised World" in *Research Journal of English Language and Literature (RJELAL)*. Vol.3. Issue 2 July-Sept 2015
- "Social Vision in the Short Stories of Mulk Raj Anand and Manoj Das" in *International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities (IJEL LH)* Vol-III, Issue-II, April-2015.
- "Human Rights, Women And Children: A Study of Arundhati Roy's Selected Writings" in *Journal of English and Literature (JEL)*, Vol. 5, Issue 1, Jun
- "Problem of Victimization and Women in Arundhati Roy's *The God of Small Things*" in *IJELR: A Quarterly, Indexed, Refereed And Peer Reviewed Open Access International Journal* (Vol-2,Issue-1,2015)
- "Alienation and Disintegration of Self : A Postmodernist reading of Harold Pinter's *The Birthday Party*" in *Drishti : the Sight*, Vol-III, Issue : II (November, 2014 - May,2015)
- "Absurd dramatic tradition and Pintereque elements: A study with reference to *The Room and The Birthday Party*" in *Lapis Lazuli -An International Literary Journal (LLILJ)* Vol.3/ NO.2/Autumn 2013.
- "Humour as a mode of correction in the short stories of Manoj Das" in a Peer-Reviewed *International Journal : Rock Pebbles* Vol XVI,No-I in Jan-June 2012.
- "Challenges of Teaching Phonetics and Mother Tongue Influence: A Brief Study" in the book '*Spoken English and Phonetics*' Ed. By D. Murli Manohar by Atlantic Publishers,New Delhi,2012.

PAPERS PRESENTED IN SEMINAR AND CONFERENCES

- "Revisiting Partition Memory and Minority Perspective: A study of Khushwant Singh's *Train to Pakistan*" in a National Seminar at Gopalpur College,Ganjam,Odisha,8th-9th January 2020.
- "Memories of Partition of India : A Study of Nisid Hajari's *Midnight Furies*" in an International Seminar at Berhampur University, February 2019.
- "Voices of Resistance in Arundhati Roy's *The God of Small Things*" in a State Level Seminar at Ganjam College,Ganjam,Odisha in Jan 2019.
- "Dalit Identity and Marginal Existence in Bama's *Karukku*" in an 'International seminar on Recreating Spaces : Language,Culture and Gender Issues' at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam on 8 -9th December 2017.
- "Genre of Climate Fiction : A Case Study of Ian McEwan's *Solar*" in an International Seminar at Berhampur University, Dec 2016.
- "Emerging gender issues in Pratibha Ray's *Yajnaseni*" in an 'International seminar on Gender Issues : Transcending Boundaries of Culture' at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam on 19-20 Sept 2014.
- "Social Vision in Mulk Raj Anand's Selected Short Stories" in a National Seminar held at Rama Devi Women's College, Bhubaneswar on 17 March 2013.
- "Innovative Language Teaching and Learning Methodologies : Current Practices,Challenges and Possibilities" at Malaviya NIT,Jaipur during 18th-19th Jan 2013.
- "Using Body Language in English Teaching : Importance and Implication" in NIT, Warangal (Andhra Pradesh) during 5-6th January,2009.

- “Resonant Voices of Protest against the patriarchal hegemony: A study of Arundhati Roy’s The God of Small Things” UGC Sponsored-National Seminar at Andhra University during 25-26th November 2008.
- “Victimization of Women: A study of Arundhati Roy’s The God of Small Things” in an UGC Sponsored National Seminar held at Aska Science College, Odisha during 9-10th July, 2008.

TRAINING AND WORKSHOP ATTENDED

- Two Day Workshop on “Optimum Utilization of Language Laboratory” conducted by Higher Education Department, Odisha during 23-24 Feb, 2018.
- One Day Workshop on “Soft Skills for Employment” on 12th March 2017.
- One Day Workshop on “Administrative, Academic, Financial Management and Accountability” on 29th March 2017.
- Two Day Training Programme on Successful Institutional Development Plan for World Bank assisted Project” held at XIM, Bhubaneswar on 15-16 January 2017.
- Two Day workshop on “Capacity building workshop on media convergence & use of social media in development practice ” held at CYSD, Bhubaneswar during 29-30 July, 2015.
- Faculty Development Program on “Enhancing skills of English Teachers in Technical Colleges” held at CV Raman College of Engineering, Bhubaneswar during 9-13 June, 2015.
- National Conference on “Role of Self Financing Institutions in Quality Assurance in Higher Education” sponsored by NAAC at KIIT Univ. Bhubaneswar during 3-4th August 2013.
- Workshop for Research Scholars and Faculty at Utkal University during 17-20th March 2012.
- 5th Vigyan Sancharak Sammelan (Science Communicators’ Meet) as delegate held at KIIT University, Bhubaneswar during 4th-5th Jan 2012.
- TRAIN THE TRAINER workshop held at Infosys Limited, Bhubaneswar 14-16th 2011.
- Short Term Course “Language, Cognition and Communication” at IIT- Kharagpur, during 2-8 Dec, 2009.
- Two-Day workshop “Relevance and Meaning in the Teaching and Learning of English Language and Communication Skills” in Vijay Jyothi Institute of Technology, Hyderabad during 25-26th July, 2008.
- Two-Day Training Program on “Thought Structuring and English Communication Skills” in JNTU, Hyderabad during September, 2007.
- State Level One-Day Workshop on “Changing Trends in Journalism and Opportunity Ahead” in Bhubaneswar, Orissa during October 2005.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

- Visiting Faculty to **APG Shimla University, Shimla, Feb-March 2016**
- Reviewed a book titled “**Technical Communication: Principles and Practices**” Second Edition, Oxford University Press, India during 2014.

OTHER EXTENTION ACTIVITIES

- NCC Naval In-charge
- Proctor for Students
- Career Counseling Coordinator
- UGC Committee Member