

FACULTY PROFILE TEMPLATE FOR WEBSITE

Basic Details:

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- **Area of Specialization: AMERICAN LITERATURE**
- **Affiliation: SRM Institute of Science & Technology, College of Science & Humanities, Ramapuram**

Educational Details:

- **Degree – Ph.D**
- **Area or Subject – AMERICAN LITERATURE**
- **University – ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY, CHIDAMBARAM**
- **Awarded Year –2022**
- **Degree – MA**
- **Area or Subject – ENGLISH LITERATURE**
- **University – PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, COIMBATORE (BHARATHIYAR UNIVERSITY)**
- **Awarded Year – 2016**
- **Degree – BA**
- **Area or Subject – ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE**
- **University – SEETHALAKSHMI RAMASWAMI COLLEGE, TRI CHY (BHARADHIDASAN UNIVERSITY)**
- **Awarded Year –2014**

Other Details:

Courses:

- ✓ Introduction to Cultural studies
- ✓ Indian Folklore
- ✓ Communication Skills
- ✓ Business English
- ✓ Universal Human Values
- ✓ General English

Research Interests: American Literature, Cultural studies, Indian English Literature

Selected Publications:

1. **Ecocriticism: A Study on Environmental Issues in Literature**- International Journal of Early Childhood Special Education (INT-JECS) ISSN: 1308-5581 Vol 14, Issue 04 2022 (1844-1847) (WOS)
<https://www.int-jecse.net/issue.php?volume=14&issue=34&page=12>
2. **Establishing Native American and Magical Realist Literary Traditions** -Journal of Positive School Psychology, ISSN: 2717-7564(online) 2022 Vol.6 No.4,(10359-10366) (SCOPUS INDEXED) <https://journalppw.com/index.php/jpsp/issue/view/31>
<https://journalppw.com/index.php/jpsp/article/view/6368>
3. **Influence of Digitalization On Teachers' Education in India** - Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai, (ISSN:0972-0766) Vol.: XCVI, No:3, 2022 (UGC CARE LISTED)
4. **Is Digitalization a boon for education in India** -An Analysis Journal of the Asiatic Society of Mumbai, (ISSN:0972-0766) Vol.: XCVI, No:3, 2022 (UGC CARE LISTED)
5. **Maxine Hong Kingston's The Woman Warrior and Reclaimed Identities** Rabindra Bharati: Journal of Philosophy (ISSN: 0973-0087) Vol.: XXIII, No:10, 2022 (UGC CARE LISTED)
6. **Magical Realism as Postcolonial Device: Rewriting Identity Loss in Toni Morrison's Beloved** - Shodha Prabha (ISSN:0974-8946) Vol 47, Issue: 1, 2022 (UGC CARE LISTED)
7. **Defying Magic: Louise Erdrich's Use of Imagistic Realism in Tracks and The Plague of Doves** - Kanpur Philosophers (ISSN 2348-8301) Vol VIII, Issue VI (Winter) 2021(UGC CARE LISTED)
8. **The Hand of Motivation in Learning Foreign Language** – BODHI: International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science (E-ISSN: 2456-5571) Vol. 6 Special Issue 1 October 2021(UGC CARE LISTED)

Papers Presented:

- Presented a paper entitled **Is Digitalisation a boon for Education in India** in the International Conference on Transforming Business through Digitalisation: Insights, Tools, and Techniques organised by Department of Management Studies, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Ramapuram on 02nd February 2022.
- Presented a paper entitled **Acculturation VS Assimilation in Manju Kapur's The Immigrant** in the National Seminar on Diaspora Literature: Problems and Perspectives organised by Department of English, Annamalai University on 07th to 09th March 2022.
- Presented a paper entitled **Cultural Liberation through Alternative Sexuality in Manju Kapur's A Married Woman** in the International Conference on Studying Convergence and Divergence of Culture in the Modern Era organised by PG Department of English, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Kattankulathur on 04th March 2022.
- Presented a paper entitled **Complexity of Female Psyche in Rohinton Mistry's The Family Matters** in the International Conference on Studying Interdisciplinary Narratives through Literature, Language

and Media organised by Department of English , SRM Institute of Science and Technology ,Trichy on 11th to 13th March 2022.

Academic Experience: 2 years 6 months

Other Professional Experience:

Achievements:

Workshop

Workshop on **Deciphering English Language**

Workshop on **Exploring the world of English Language**

Workshop on **Success Ahead: Boost your Wellbeing**

FDP's

Coordinated a Five- Day FDP on **The Art of Effective Teaching**

Conference

Three-day Virtual International Conference on **Redefining theories of Communication: 21st century perspectives in Language and Literature**

Workshops /Seminars/Conferences: 100+

Achievements and Awards:

- ✓ Received Certificate of Appreciation for Translating the NPTEL files of the course English –I offered by IIT- Madras 2022.
- ✓ Received Certificate of Appreciation for Translating the NPTEL files of the course Elements of Visual Representation offered by IIT- Kanpur 2020.

Academic / Professional Membership:

- ✓ Indian Society for Technical Education
- ✓ All India Forum for English Students, Scholars and Trainers (**AIFEST**)

