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SUMMARY:

An enthusiastic Assistant Professor driven by passion for studies and research in the domain of literature, and loves working with college students to produce erudite and socially responsible citizens.

WORKING EXPERIENCE:

- Currently working as Assistant Professor in English at **Holy Cross College (Autonomous)**, Tiruchirappalli, since 2022.
- **1 Year experience (2020-2021)** as Assistant Professor in English in **Sona College of Technology (Autonomous)**, Salem.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE:

- Literary Theory and Criticism
- Children's Literature
- Medical Humanities
- Darwinian Literary Studies
- Linguistics & Phonetics

OTHER COURSES COMPLETED:

- *History of English Language and Literature* with **Elite** grade in October 2023 (SWAYAM NPTEL)
- *Introduction to Literary Theory* with **Elite Silver** grade in December 2022 (SWAYAM NPTEL)
- Completed **BEC (Business English Certificate) "Vantage Level"** with **Grade "B2"**, an international course offered by the **Cambridge University for English Proficiency**.

GUEST LECTURES

- Served as the **Chief Guest** and delivered a lecture on *Becoming a Better Teacher* for the faculty of Don Bosco School, Dharmapuri on 21st October, 2022
- Served as the **Resource Person** in the **Two day Webinar** of Trinity College for **Women**, Namakkal, and delivered two lectures on "*Professional Communication in English*" on 29th and 30th December 2020

- Acted as **Chief Guest**, delivered a **Lecture** on *English Poetry*, and inaugurated the Poetry Club of **Loyola College**, Mettala on 9th Sep 2019
- Invited as an **honorary alumnus** to **preside over** and **inaugurate** the *English Literary Association* of Jayarani MHSS, Salem

PROJECT DETAILS:

- Guided an **M. A. project** titled *Unveiling the Crooked Mind: An Exposition of the Dark Triad Theory in Agatha Christie's 'Crooked House'* and a **UG project** titled *Voices of Humanity in a Killer's Life as Portrayed in Un-Su-Kim's 'The Plotters'*
- Successfully completed a **Doctoral Thesis** titled *The Flick of a Domino: A Physiological Pensive of Characters in the Select Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen*
- Successfully completed an **MPhil dissertation** titled *Situational Dexterity and Symbolical Vicissitude in the Select Novels of Dan Brown*
- Successfully completed **PG project** on *Expression of Humaneness in J.M. Coetzee's 'Waiting for the Barbarians'*
- Contributed three articles on “**Dreams**”, “**Quidditch**” and “**The Pyramids**” to the college magazine as a part of the **UG project**

PUBLICATION DETAILS:

- Awaiting publication of an article titled “**Health Humanities: The Role of Literature and Music in Promoting Hope and Health amidst Catastrophes**” to *The IUP Journal of English Studies* indexed in Elsevier and EBSCO
- Published an article titled “**Notions of Max Weber's Asceticism and Mysticism in Leo Tolstoy's The Three Hermits and Sri Ramakrishna's Faith, Devotion and Resignation**” in the international peer reviewed open access journal *LangLit* with impact factor 5.61 (March 2023)
- Published an article titled *Evolving Matrices in Artificial Intelligence: An Acumen into Robotic Literature* in the Scopus indexed **GIS Science Journal** with an impact factor of **6.1** (Oct 2020)
- Published an article titled *The Theme of Love: An Exposition of Affinities in Shakespeare's Twelfth Night and the Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen* in the Scopus Source Indexed Journal “**The International Journal of Analytical and Experimental Modal Analysis**”, a journal with an **impact factor of 6.3** (Aug 2019)
- Published an article titled *Altered Milieus due to Voluntary and Involuntary Hybridity in the Select Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen* in the Scopus Source Indexed Journal “**The International Journal of Analytical and Experimental Modal Analysis**”, a journal with an **impact factor of 6.3** (July 2019)

- Published an article titled *A Comparative Study on the Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen with respect to Charles Perrault, Oscar Wilde and C. S. Lewis* in the journal **Review of Research**, which is a UGC approved journal and is indexed in EBSCO USA with an **impact factor of 5.7631** (Oct 2018)
- Published an article titled *Lack of Discernment – A Study on the Select Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen* in the UGC approved journal– **International Journal on Multicultural Literature (IJML)** (July 2018)
- Published a paper in the **International Journal of Trends in Research and Development**, titled *A Study on Narcissism and Its Inimical Precipitates on Select Characters from the Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen*, with **impact factor 4.004** (Mar 2018)
- Published an article titled *A Study on Comedy of Manners in the Select Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen* in **The Bodhi International Journal** approved by the UGC (Feb 2018)

PAPER PRESENTATIONS:

- Presented a paper titled “**The Ultimate Conflict: Interpreting Thirukkural by Contrasting the Translations of Google and G. U. Pope**” in the **National** conference on *Exploring Digital Humanities in Literature and Language Studies* conducted by St. Mary’s College, Thoothukudi.
- Presented a paper on the title “**Pretensional Fallacy and Political Satire in Hans Christian Andersen’s Fairy Tale The Emperor’s New Clothes**” in a **National** seminar conducted by Sankara College, Kanchipuram and was published as an article in the collection *The Influence of Literature in the Modern World*
- Presented a paper titled “**A Comparative Study on Andersen’s Thumbelina and Grimm’s Rapunzel**” in an **International** conference conducted by KSR College, Thiruchengode, and was published as an article in the collection *A Study on Comparative Prospects in Tamil-English Literature*
- Presented a paper on *A Study on Narcissism and Its Inimical Precipitates on Select Characters from the Fairy Tales of Hans Christian Andersen* at the **International** conference Vivekananda College of Arts and Sciences for Women, Tiruchengode.
- Presented a paper on *The Concept of Marginalization in Coetzee’s Novel: ‘Waiting for the Barbarians’* at the **National** level in Gonzaga College, Krishnagiri

WORKSHOPS/FDPs:

- Participated in the *Seven Days National Level Virtual FDP on Personality Development for Teachers in HEI’s* organized from 26th June 2023 to 4th July 2023 by **IOT Academy**, Coimbatore
- Participated in the *UGC- Sponsored Twelfth Faculty Induction Programme* from 28th October 2022 to 26th November 2022 and obtained the **Grade A**

- Participated in the *Six Day FDP on Research Methodology for English Literature and Language* organized by the Department of English and Foreign Languages, **Bharathiyar University**, and Department of English, **Sree Saraswathi Thyagaraja College**, Pollachi from 11th to 16th July 2022.
- Attended and **International Webinar** on *Environmental Theatre and Language Teaching* conducted by Madras Christian College, Chennai (24th -26th Aug 2020)
- Attended a **National Webinar** on *Be Ready for Anything with English as a Life Skill* conducted by Post Graduate Government College for Girls, Chandigarh (18th Aug 2020)
- Attended a **National Webinar** on *Intersectionality: Reflections on Gender and Race* conducted by Dr. MGR Educational and Research Institute (Deemed University), Chennai (17th Aug 2020)
- Attended an **International workshop** on *Canadian Post-Colonial Literature* at Sri Sarada College for Women, Salem. (31st July 2018)
- Attended a One Day **National Workshop** on *Research Methodology In Practice: Problematizing & Evolving Dialectics, Applying Critical Tools and Minding the Research Language* at Chikkaiah Naicker College, Erode (3rd Feb 2018)
- Attended an **International workshop** on *Current Trends and Theories in Literature* at Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathyamangalam (7th Dec 2017)

SPECIAL ROLES:

- **Core Team Member** for **Reporting and Documentation** at the **Holy Cross Innovation and Incubation Council (HCIIC)** since June 2023
- Serving as the **Faculty Coordinator** for the **Rotaract Club of Holy Cross College** since April 2022
- In-charge for **NAAC Parameter 1- Curricular Aspects** for the department
- Served as the **Organizing Secretary** in the *Two Day International Conference on English Language and Literature Teaching and Research- A Global Perspective* organized by the PG & Research Department of English, Holy Cross College (Autonomous) held on 14th and 15th October 2022
- **Course Instructor** of *Advanced English* a two months online certificate course conducted by Sona College between 1st July and 21st August 2020 for **Foreign Students**.

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Awarded **First Prize** for **Solo Singing Competition** held on the occasion of Teachers' Day Celebrations at Holy Cross College in 2022
- Awarded **Second Prize** for **Dumb Charades** held on the occasion of Teachers' Day Celebrations at Holy Cross College in 2022

- Emerged as **Runner** in the **Throw Ball Tournament** for teachers held on the occasion of Teachers' Day Celebrations at Holy Cross College in 2022
- **Gold Medallist** at the **PG level** for **First Rank** in Academic Excellence
- **Second Rank Holder** at **Periyar University** at the **UG level**
- Awarded cash prize and certificate for **M. Phil First Rank Holder**
- Awarded with the title "**Best Orator in English**" by the Elocution Club of Nirmala College
- Won the "**Latha Arunachalam Special Prize for Securing the Highest Mark in English**" and "**Group Proficiency Prize**" for two consecutive years in Nirmala College
- Won the **First place in the National level Essay Writing** competition conducted by **United Bank of India**
- Bestowed with the title "**The Best Supporting Actress**" by the Literary and Debating Association of Nirmala College
- Won the **First place** in many **intercollegiate competitions** in **Literary Quiz, Debate, Spell Bee, Dumb Charades and Elocution** conducted by **PSG College of Arts and Science** and **Sri Krishna Arts and Science College, Coimbatore.**

EXTRA CURRICULARS:

- Served as the **Master of Ceremony** for the **Sports Day** of Holy Cross College, Holy Cross College **Staff Retirement Function** and for the **Christmas Family Get Together** in the year 2022.
- Played the part of **MoC** and organized many events at the **intercollegiate level** in Nirmala College
- Organised cultural events during the **NAAC** visit in Nirmala College
- Awarded with title "**The Miss Personality of Nirmala**" during the Intracollegiate Beauty-Cultural Fest in Nirmala College
- Have been a lead member of the **college and parish choir**
- Have been selected as the **Female National Ex-Co** at the **state level YCS/YSM** movement in the year 2009, and have been to **Pune** on a mission to **represent Tamilnadu**, in the **National Ex-Co Meet**

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Date: 14. 10. 2024

Place: Tiruchirappalli