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Present Position

Assistant Professor, Department of English, Madras Institute of Technology, Anna University, Chennai .

Previous Positions

- Assistant Professor, Department of English, College of Engineering Guindy, Anna University, Chennai from July-2012.

Previous Additional Responsibility

- , , Anna University, Chennai.

Other Employment

- PROFESSOR, Jeppiaar Engineering College, Chennai for 2 MONTHS.
- PROFESSOR, Loyola Institute of Technology, Chennai for 4 MONTHS.
- SENIOR LECTURER, St. Xavier's Catholic College of Engineering, Kanyakumari Dt for 11 YEARS.

Degree

- ❖ in ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING, , ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY (2007 - 2008).
- ❖ M.A. S T HINDU COLLEGE, MANONMANIAM SUNDARANAR UNIVERSITY (1990 - 1992).
- ❖ B.A in ENGLISH LITERATURE, S T HINDU COLLEGE, MADURAI KAMARAJ UNIVERSITY (1987 - 1990).

Research Degree

- ❖ Ph.D. in COMPARATIVE LITERATURE MANONMANIAM SUNDARANAR UNIVERSITY (2002 - 2007).
Title: MATERIALITY, MORALITY AND IRONY IN THE SELECT SHORT-FICTIONAL WRITINGS OF GUY DE MAUPASSANT AND SUNDARA RAMASWAMY: A COMPARATIVE STUDY.
- ❖ M.phil. in DRAMA Thiyagarajar College , MADURAI KAMARAJ UNIVERSITY (1992 - 1994).
Title: Tragic Elements in George Bernard Shaw's Mrs. Warren's Profession, The Doctor's Dilemma and Saint Joan.

Area of Specialisation

- ENGLISH LITERATURE, COMPARATIVE LITERATURE, ELT, FILM STUDIES

Research Guidance

Papers Published in Journals

Research Papers Published in International Journals : 12
Research Papers Published in National Journals : 8

1. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, " Guy de Maupassant and Sundara Ramaswamy: Western and Eastern Perceptions of Morality", Aaivu Kovai, published by Indian University Tamil Teacher's Association, Ta. (2003).
2. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, "Guy de Maupassant's "Useless Beauty": A Feminist Viewpoint", Conference Proceedings, published by Scott Christian College, Nagercoil.. (2004).
3. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, " Sundara Ramaswamy and the Short Story: A Brief Survey", Aaivu Kovai, published by Indian University Tamil Teacher's Association, T. (2004).
4. Deepa Mary Francis, Susan G. Varghese, " Elements of Estrangement Engendered by Jealousy", International Journal of Linguistics and Literature , published by INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND. Vol. 2, Issue 1, pp. 25 - 30 (2013).
5. Susan G. Varghese, Deepa Mary Francis, " Fictional Reflections of Social Reality: A Cross-Cultural Reading", International Journal of English and Literature , published by TRANSTELLAR JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS & RESEARCH CONS. Vol. 3, Issue 4, pp. 149 - 154 (2013).
6. Deepa Mary Francis, Susan G. Varghese, "Grammatical Precision and English Proficiency: An Analysis ", Language in India, Vol. 2, (2014).
7. Deepa Mary Francis, " Self-management Traits in Chetan Bhagat's The 3 Mistakes of my Life and One Night @ the Call Center", International Journal of Linguistics and Literature , published by INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND. Vol. 3, Issue 1, pp. 35 - 40 (2014).

8. "Eco-consciousness in the Pre-ecocritical Period: a Comparative Reading of S.T.Coleridge's "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner" and D.H.Lawrence's "Snake"", International Journal of English Language, Literature and Translation Studies, Vol. 2, Issue 4, pp. 312-316 (2015).
9. " A Postcolonial Feminist Reading of Chitralkha Banerjee Divakaruni's The Palace of Illusions", International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches, published by Roots. Vol. 3, pp. 41-43 (2016).
10. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, Dr. S.P.Dhanavel, "Developing the Writing Skills of Semi-urban and Rural Engineering Students through Reading Skills", The English Classroom, published by Regional Institute of English. Vol. 18, Issue 2, pp. 46 - 55 (2016).
11. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, M. Thangaraj, "Arundhati Roy's The God of Small Things from an Ecocritical Viewpoint", International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Literature, published by Impact Journals. Vol. 4, Issue 8, pp. 76-82 (2016).
12. "Subjugation and Emancipation: a Comparative Reading of Kamala Das's "Flight" and Sarah Joseph's "Inside Every Woman Writer"", International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities, pp. 560 - 566 (2016).
13. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, " Advertisement-aided Language Teaching to LEP Students", The English Classroom, published by Regional Institute of English, Bangalore. Vol. 19, Issue 2, pp. 28 - 39 (2017).
14. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, " A Comparative Reading of Kamala Das' Marine Drive' and Sarah Joseph's The Masc. of Virgin from the Postmodern Perspective", International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities, published by Smart Moves. Vol. 7, Issue 4, pp. 412 - 423 (2019).
15. Dr. Susan G. Varghese and Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, "SUPPRESSED VOICES OF THE SUBALTERN IN THE SELECT TAMIL AND MALAYALAM MOVIES: AN ANALYSIS", Roots International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches, published by Bodhi Journals. Vol. 8, Issue 2, pp. 13 - 21 (2021).
16. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis and Dr. Susan G. Varghese, "REPRESENTATION OF POWER AND THE SUFFERINGS OF THE UNDERPRIVILEGED IN SELECT INDIAN MOVIES: A STUDY", Roots International Journal of Multidisciplinary Researches, published by Bodhi Journals. Vol. 8, Issue 2, pp. 22 - 29 (2021).
17. Elisha . I and Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, "Challenging Stereotypes: Introspecting the Emotional Intelligence of the Characters of the Movie Thappad", Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science, published by Bodhi Journals. Vol. 6, Issue 1, pp. 26 - 30 (2021).
18. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, "Multiperspectivity in the Movies Badla and Evaru", Bodhi International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science, published by Bodhi Journals. Vol. 6, Issue 1, pp. 7 - 10 (2021).
19. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis, " SPACE AND EMOTION IN KHALED HOSSEINIâ€™S THE KITE RUNNER", Langlit, published by Snehal Mothe's , LangLit and Research Center , Majage Nagar, Nadanvan. Vol. 8, Issue 1, pp. 94 - 100 (2021).

20. Dr. Deepa Mary Francis and Elisha Immanuel, "An Equitable Classroom and the Unbiased Teacher - the Propaganda and the Practices", *Journal of Indo-Canadian Studies*, published by Centre for Canadian Studies, Union Christian College, Alwaye, Kerala.. Vol. 10, pp. 44 - 46 (2021).

Papers Presented in Programmes

Research Papers Presented in International Programmes : 3
Research Papers Presented in National Programmes : 4

1. Deepa Mary Francis, "A Woman's Plight in Guy de Maupassant's "Rosalie Prudent" and Sundara Ramaswamy's "Pillai Keduthal Villai" presented in a National level seminar on National Seminar on Recent Trends in Comparative Literature, organised by Central University of Tamilnadu, Tiruvarur, INDIA from 21-Mar-2013 to 22-Mar-2013.
2. "Social Dilemma in Chetan Bhagat's One Night @ the Call Center " presented in a National level seminar on National Seminar on Indian Writing in English: A Literary Uprising, (UGC Sponsored), organised by Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai., India from 28-Sep-2013.
3. "Role of Grammar in Improving Communication Skills " presented in a International level conference on International Conference on Teaching English for Employability (UGC Sponsored), organised by Annammal College of Education for Women, Thoothukudi, India from 21-Nov-2013 to 22-Nov-2013.
4. "Grammatical Precision and English Proficiency: An Analysis" presented in a International level conference on 11th International Congress on English Grammar ICEG 2014, organised by SriRamakrishna Engineering College, Coimbatore, India from 23-Jan-2014 to 25-Jan-2014.
5. Susan G. Varghese and Deepa Mary Francis, "Alice Walker's The Color Purple and Sarah Joseph's "Inside Every Woman Writer" : a Juxtaposition. " presented in a National level seminar on National Level Seminar on Woman Novelists in English (UGC sponsored), organised by Virudhunagar Hindu Nadars' Senthikumara Nadar College, Virudhunagar., India from 24-Jan-2014.
6. Deepa Mary Francis, "Self-management Traits in Chetan Bhagat's What Young India Wants: Selected Essays and Columns and Revolution 2020: Love, Corruption, Ambition " presented in a National level conference on National Conference on Postcolonial Perspectives in Language and Literature (UGC sponsored), organised by Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, India from 31-Jan-2014.
7. Deepa Mary Francis, "A postcolonial Feminist Reading of Chitralkha Banerjee Divakaruni's The Palace of Illusions" presented in a International level conference on Literature: A Reflection of Society, organised by Government Arts & Science College for Women, Bargur, India from 07-Oct-2016.

Books Published

1. "Technical English I" authored by Deepa Mary Francis, Deepa Mary Francis and J.X.V. Clement and published by Tri Sea Publishers, Nagercoil.(2008)

Sponsored Projects Completed

1. "Measuring the Impact of Literature on the Self-Management of Engineering Students" (February-2013 - February-2014). Project Cost: 50000.00.

Programme Organized

1. Co-ordinator, International level conference on "First Virtual ILanguage, Literature and Cultural Studies in the 21 st Century" from 21-May-2021 to 22-May-2021.

Programme Attended

1. Participated in a National level conference on "National Conference on Innovative Approaches And Techniques of Teaching English" organized by Dept. of English, PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore , India from 13-Jul-2007 to 14-Jul-2007.
2. Participated in a National level workshop on "One- Day National Level Faculty Development Programme on Task Oriented Teaching" organized by Velammal Engineering College, Chennai , India from 01-Aug-2008.
3. Participated in a National level workshop on "Classroom Assessment and Evaluation" organized by Department of English, Anna University, India from 15-Jul-2013 to 17-Jul-2013.
4. Participated in a National level workshop on "Teacher Training Workshop on Continuous Professional Development for English Language Teachers" organized by Dept. of English, Anna University, India from 01-Feb-2016 to 03-Feb-2016.
5. Participated in a National level workshop on "One day Colloquium on "Emerging Theories and applications in English Literature and Language Teaching and Research" organized by B.S. Abdur Rahman University, India from 13-Feb-2016.
6. Participated in a International level workshop on "Teacher Training Workshop on Practical Ways to make the Class Test Learner-Friendly" organized by Dept. of English, Anna University, India from 14-Mar-2016 to 15-Mar-2016.
7. Participated in a National level workshop on "Practical ways to make the Class Test Learner Friendly" organized by Department of English, Anna University, India from 14-Mar-2016 to 15-Mar-2016.
8. Participated in a National level workshop on "Routledge Editorial Workshop 2016" organized by Taylor & Francis, India from 03-Aug-2016.
9. Participated in a National level workshop on "Integrating Technology in Language Teaching" organized by CEG, India from 23-Sep-2016 to 24-Sep-2016.
10. Participated in a National level workshop on "FDP on Student Evaluation and Question Paper Setting" organized by National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research, India from 13-Oct-2016 to 15-Oct-2016.

11. Attended a National level Short Course on "Instructional Management and Institutional Development" organized by NITTTR, Chennai, India from 08-Jul-2017 to 19-Jul-2017.
12. Participated in a National level workshop on "Introduction to Translation Studies" organized by Department of English, Anna University, India from 24-Jul-2017 to 28-Jul-2017.
13. Participated in a National level workshop on "Research Methodology, Statistical Data Analysis and Interpretation" organized by Institute for Statistics and Analytical Research, India from 18-Aug-2017 to 20-Aug-2017.
14. Attended a National level Short Course on "Knowledge Management: Inter and Multi-disciplinary Perspective" organized by Anna University, India from 01-Feb-2018 to 21-Feb-2018.
15. Participated in a National level workshop on "Business English" organized by Department of English, Anna University, India from 14-May-2018 to 15-May-2018.
16. Attended a National level Short Course on "Tami Nadu Government sponsored English Language Teacher's Training Programme" organized by Anna University, India from 12-Nov-2018 to 19-Nov-2018.
17. Participated in a National level workshop on "One Day Orientation Programme for Young Teachers" organized by Anna University: MIT Campus, India from 13-Feb-2019.
18. Attended a National level Short Course on "Online Refresher Course in English Language Teaching" organized by NPTEL, India from 30-Mar-2019.
19. Participated in a National level workshop on "URKUND: Plagiarism Detection Service" organized by Anna University, India from 03-Apr-2019.
20. Participated in a National level workshop on "Recent Shifts in Understanding Language and Literacy in Applied Linguistics" organized by Indian Institute of Technology Madras, India from 15-May-2019.
21. Participated in a National level workshop on "Publishing Academic Research" organized by Anna University: MIT Campus, India from 20-May-2019.
22. Participated in a National level workshop on "Recent Shifts in Understanding Language and Literacy in Applied Linguistics" organized by Department of English, Anna University, India from 21-May-2019 to 22-May-2019.
23. Attended a National level Short Course on "Developing Soft Skills and Personality" organized by NPTEL, India from 01-Aug-2019 to 31-Oct-2019.
24. Attended a National level Short Course on "Two-Week Faculty Development Programme on "MANAGING ONLINE CLASSES and CO-CREATING MOOCS"" organized by Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, India from 20-Apr-2020 to 06-May-2020.
25. Attended a National level Short Course on "Two-Week Faculty Development Programme on "ADVANCED CONCEPTS FOR DEVELOPING MOOCS"" organized by Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, India from 02-Jul-2020 to 17-Jul-2020.

26. Participated in a International level conference on "The South Asian Regional Online Conference on Critical Thinking in English Language Teaching" organized by RELO, Nepal from 20-Feb-2021 to 25-Feb-2021.
27. Attended a International level seminar on "Two-day International Online FDP on English Language, Literature and Culture " organized by Department of English, Kongu Engineering College, India from 16-Jul-2021 to 17-Jul-2021.

Invited Lectures

1. Delivered a Lecture on "Reading Skill" in Bridge Course Preparatory Session organized by Dept. of English, Anna University, Chennai (22-Jun-2015).
2. Delivered a Lecture on "Reading Skill" in Bridge Course Preparatory Session organized by Dept. of English, Anna University, Chennai (23-Jun-2015).
3. Delivered a Lecture on "On Making Effective Presentations" in FDP organized by Dept. of English, Anna University, Chennai (21-Dec-2015).
4. Delivered a Lecture on "Reading Skills" in Integrating Technology in ESL Classroom organized by Paavai Engineering College, Namakkal (20-Feb-2017).
5. Delivered a Lecture on "Writing Skills" in TN - AUTELE organized by Pt. LEE Chengalvaraya Naicker Polytechnic College, Chennai (26-Dec-2018).
6. Delivered a Lecture on "Teaching Grammar and Vocabulary" in TN - AUTELE organized by Murugappa Polytechnic College, Chennai (08-Feb-2019).
7. Delivered a Lecture on "Teaching Grammar and Vocabulary" in One-Day FDP on Activity Based Learning for Tertiary Level ESL Learners organized by Sri Sairam Engineering College, Chennai (24-Jul-2019).
8. Delivered a Lecture on "Word Order in English" in TEQIP III sponsored FDP organized by Government College of Technology, Coimbatore (16-Dec-2019).
9. Delivered a Lecture on "Expanding Academic Vocabulary" in TEQIP III sponsored FDP organized by Government College of Technology, Coimbatore (16-Dec-2019).
10. Delivered a Lecture on "Teaching Grammar" in TN-AUTELE organized by Department of English, Anna University, (Online) (26-Mar-2021).