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PUBLICATIONS

- Published a research article entitled "Healing Trauma and Asserting Identity in Rupi Kaur's Selected Insta Poems" in an internationally refereed peer reviewed e-journal of English Language, Literatures and Criticism Literary Cognizance (Impact factor 6.21) Vol.5, Issue 4, March 2025. ISSN 2395-7522 (online).
- Published an article titled "Writing the Body: A Feminist Reading of the Poems of Rajathi Salma and Kutty Revathy" in a peer reviewed and UGC Care listed Group 1 journal **DUJES** Volume 28, 2019-2020. ISSN 0975-5659(Print), 2581-7833(Online).
- Published a chapter titled "Reciprocity in the Loop: The Affect Theory of AI Tools among Literatti" in the Proceedings of the National Conference on Computer Science, Commerce, Management, Electronics and Artificial Intelligence 2024 (NCCCMEA) with the ISBN 9789334211412.
- Published a paper titled "Teaching Strategies for Learning Disabled Students" in the Proceedings of the UGC sponsored international seminar on Learning Disabilities and Inclusion with the ISBN 9788192946801
- Published a book in Malayalam titled *Muhammed Ali: Idikkoottile Irattachankan* with the ISBN 9788188021482, Lipi Publications, Kozhikod, Kerala.

ORIENTATION OR REFRESHER COURSES ATTENDED

- •Completed *NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitisation Programme* under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme MM-TTP of UGC organized by UGC-MMTTC, University of Kerala.
- •Participated in a seven-day international online workshop on *English Language Teaching and Literature: Current Issues* organized by the Department of English, Mannar Thirumalai Naicker College, Madurai in collaboration with the University of Madras, Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal and Society for Literature and Culture.
- •Attended an online training of *IEEE Xplore Digital Library* conducted at for Mahatma Gandhi University.
- Attended a seven-day international e-workshop on *Contemporary Critical Trends in Literature* organized by the Department of English, Pondicherry University.



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AREA OF RESEARCH: Indigenous studies, Counter cultural studies, Critical Race Theory, Queer studies, Subaltern

- •Attended a two-day international webinar on *Diaspora, Gender & Marginality* organized by the Department of English Literature, School of Literary Studies, The English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad.
- •Participated national webinar on *Indian Feminism* organized by K.J. Somaiya College of Science and Commerce.
- Attended an international seminar on *Thirukkural* conducted by the School of Letters and the Department of Students Services in Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.
- •Attended the national webinar series *Literary Currents of Today and Tomorrow Venturing into Children's Literature through Picture Books* organized by the Department of English, St. Aloysius' College, Edathua, Kerala.
- Attended national webinar on *Transnationalism*, *Nation-States and the Global South: Literary and Cultural Dialogues* organized by the Department of English, PSMO College, Tirurangadi, Malappuram, Kerala.
- •Attended national webinar on *Contemporary Feminism- Politics and Priorities* organized by the Department of English, HHMSPBNSS College for Women, Neeramankara, Thiruvananthapuram.
- •Participated *UTKARSH 2K25: A Two-Day National Workshop on Research Methodology for Authors A Bird's Eye View* organized by IHRD at College of Applied Science, Perissery, Chengannur, Kerala.

PAPERS PRESENTED IN NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS

- Attended *Eclectics 2020: International Webinar Series in Literature* organized by the Post Graduate Department of English and Research Centre, St. Xavier's College for Women, Aluva, Kerala.
- •Presented a paper titled "Constructing Cultural Identity in Writings: Male Rivers and Female Hills in India's North East" in the two-day international conference Gendering Literature and Culture: Australia and the Asia-Pacific organized by the Department of English, University of Madras.
- •Presented a paper titled "Folklore, Myth and Nature in Mamang Dai's Writing" in the national seminar on Articulating Silences: Indigenous Narratives as Resistance conducted by the Department of English, Chellammal Women's College, Chennai.
- •Presented a paper titled "The Effect of Affect Theory in the Technology affected Language Classrooms" at the UGC sponsored two-day national seminar on **Beyond the Tech Boom in ELT- Emerging Challenges and Opportunities** organized by Peet Memorial Training College, Mavelikara, Kerala.
- •Presented a paper titled "Teaching Strategies for Learning Disabled Students" in the UGC sponsored international seminar on Learning Disabilities and Inclusion.
- •Presented a paper in the regional seminar on *Innovative Practices in Teaching* held at Sree Narayana Training College, Nedunganda, Kerala.