

## FACULTY PROFILE

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**Publications** :

1. The article "Expatriation and Parsi Predicament in Rohinton Mistry's *Such a Long Journey*" is published in the Proceedings *Exploring the Terrains of Canadian and American Diaspora*. (ISBN- 978 81 929308 1 7), 2015 by the Department of English, Sree Ayyappa College for Women, Chunkankadai, Tamil Nadu.
2. The article "The Veiled Anguish: Troubled Female Psyche in Yasmina Khadra's *The Swallows of Kabul* and *The Attack*" published in *Misbah: Niche of Knowledge*, peer-refereed inter-disciplinary research journal of M.E.S. College, Nedumkandam, Kerala (ISSN 0976-2523), Book 14 Volume 14, 2015 July-December issue.
3. The article "The Life in Terror: Unleashing the Trauma of Existence in Yasmina Khadra's *The Swallows of Kabul*" is published in the Proceedings *Voices from Borderlands : Emerging Literatures, Ignored*

*Voices, Silenced Uproars and Evolving Theoretical Perspectives* (ISBN 978-81-928481-1-6) 2016, organized by the Department of English , St.Stephen's College , Pathanapuram.

**Participation and presentation of Research Papers in Seminars and Conferences:**

1. Participated in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar organized by the Dept. English, Sree Narayana College, Kollam on *History and Politics in Contemporary Indian Literature* held on 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2010.
2. Participated in the one day National Seminar organized by the Dept. English, University College TVM on *Reading Texts in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* sponsored by the Department of Collegiate Education, Govt. of Kerala on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2014.
3. Participated in the two day National Seminar organized by the Dept. English, University College TVM on *Changing Perspectives in Translation Studies* sponsored by the Directorate of Collegiate Education, Govt. of Kerala on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> December 2015.
4. Presented a paper on "The Destiny of the Dalit: The Poetic Universe of Sushila Takhbhore" in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Moving the Centre: Black and Dalit Literatures* organized by the Dept. of English T.K.M. College Kollam on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>st</sup> February 2014.
5. Presented the paper "Dovetailing the Cultural Disparities: A Critical Atomisation of 2 States" in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Indian Literature and Cinema* organized by the Dept. of Hindi, MES College Nedumkandam on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> November 2014.
6. Presented a paper on "Expatriation and Parsi Predicament in Rohinton Mistry's *Such a Long Journey*" in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Exploring the Terrains of Canadian and*

*American Diaspora* organized by the Dept. of English, Sree Ayyappa College for Women, Chunkankadai, Tamil Nadu and The Institute of English, University of Kerala on 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> September 2014.

7. Presented a paper on “*The Life in Terror: Unleashing the Trauma of Existence in Yasmina Khadra’s The Swallows of Kabul*” in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Voices from Borderlands : Emerging Literatures, Ignored Voices, Silenced Uproars and Evolving Theoretical Perspectives* organized by the Department of English , St.Stephen’s College , Pathanapuram on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 2015.
8. Presented a paper on “*Decapitate in the Name of God? Critiquing Islamic Fundamenatalism*” in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Voices of the Dead, The Spectacle of War: Agony and Trauma in History and Literature* organized by the Departments of English and History, Government College Kattapana on 10 and 11 December 2015.
9. Presented a paper on “*Conflict in Identity: Critiquing the Existential Angst in Yasmina Khadra’s What the Day Owes the Night*” in the Second Annual Singularities National Conference on **Space** organized by the Postgraduate Department of English, KAHM Unity Women’s College, Manjeri on 17 and 18 January 2017.
10. Presented a paper on “*Dead Man’s Share: Dissecting the Representation of Algerian Civil Strife in the Works of Yasmina Khadra*” in the U.G.C. sponsored National Seminar on *Literature, Media and Politics* organized by the Departments of English, Journalism and Political Science, Mary Matha Arts and Science College, Mananthavady on 6 and 7 February 2017.
11. Participated in the national Seminar on Dalit Literature, Art and Aesthetics: The Kerala Experience organized by Institute of English, University of Kerala on 16- 18 March 2017.

12. Participated in the national Seminar on Diaspora Reimagined: The Politics of Representation organized by Institute of English, University of Kerala on 11 - 13 October 2017.
13. Presented a paper on “Complexity Unresolved: The Trauma of Female Existence in the Works of Yasmina Khadra” in the National Seminar on *Craft, Context and Content: A Reading of Contemporary Women’s Writing in English* organized by the Department of English, BJM Government College, Chavara, Kollam on 28 and 29 November 2017.
14. Presented a paper on “In Search of ‘I’: Hunting for the Self in Yasmina Khadra’s *The Swallows of Kabul* and *What the Day Owes the Night*” in the National Seminar on *Contemplating the Contemporary: Emerging Trends in Literature and Culture* organized by the Department of English, MMS Government Arts and Science College, Malayinkeezhu on 29 and 30 November 2017.
15. Presented a paper on “From Dark to Light: The African Expedition in Yasmina Khadra’s *The African Equation*” at *Theorising Space: Three Day National Conference on the Intersections of Space and Culture* organized by the Department of Humanities, Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST) Thiruvananthapuram on 14 to 16 December 2017.

**Participated in other Seminars, U.G.C. National Seminars and conferences:**

1. U.G.C. National Seminar organized by the Dept. of Chemistry, MES College, Nedumkandam on *Conducting Materials Probing Methods, Novel properties and Emerging Applications* on 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> December 2013.
2. U.G.C. National Seminar organized by the Dept. of Commerce, MES College, Nedumkandam on *Financial Inclusion- Issues and Challenges in the Emerging Economy* on 19-21 November 2014.

3. U.G.C. National Seminar organized by the Dept. of Mathematics, MES College, Nedumkandam on *Abstract Algebra and its Applications* on 12-14 January 2015.
4. U.G.C. National Seminar organized by the Dept. of Computer Science, MES College, Nedumkandam on 'Cloud Computing' on 15-17 September 2015.
5. National Seminar on *A Historical Enquiry into the Nature Culture Relations in Idukki* organized by the Department of History, MES College, Nedumkandam on 11 January 2018.

**Workshop/Orientation/Training Programmes attended:**

1. Participated in the residential "Train the Trainer programme" for Master Trainers of Additional Skill Acquisition Programme[ASAP], Training Partner Scheme held at Maria Rani Centre, Thiruvananthapuram from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> April 2015.
2. Participated in the UGC Sponsored Orientation Programme at the UGC-HRDC, University of Mysore from 28 November 2016 to 25 December 2016.
3. Attended the one-day workshop on English organized by Mahatma Gandhi University held at CMS College, Kottayam on 11 October 2017.

**Other recognitions held:**

1. Master Trainer [English] of ASAP, Govt. of Kerala.
2. Core Committee Member of Add on Course (Humanities) Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam.

3. Served as the Chief Resource Person in the Recruitment Drive for Skill Development Executives (SDE) organized by the Additional Skill Acquisition Programme [ASAP] under Training Partner Scheme held at Skill Development Centre (SDC), Govt. Arts and Science College, Munnar on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2015.
4. Participated in the Proof Reading Workshop for Class IX English Textbook held from 24/01/2016 to 25/01/2016 at SCERT, Poojappura, Thiruvananthapuram.
5. Served as Resource Person in the Campus recruitment Programme of ASAP conducted at Government College, Kattappana on 01 March 2017.

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