

CURRICULUM VITIAE

NAME: Dr. Sylee Roy



ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

PhD (English)

M.A. English

B.A. (H) English

UGC NET (English Literature 2012)

Key Skills: British Literature/ Indian Writing in English/ Theatre Studies and Performance studies / English Language Teaching / Communication skills/ Business Communication// Public speaking/ Creative Writing/ Academic administration

Blood Group: O+

DOB: 02.01.1987

LANGUAGES KNOWN: English, Hindi and Bengali. (Full-Professional Competency).

ABOUT ME:

With a PhD in English, and also a UGC- NET in the same subject, I bring in 9 years of full-time teaching experience, having worked as an Assistant Professor at Amity Institute of English Studies and Research, AUJ and North Bengal St.Xavier's College, Rajganj, Siliguri. I have also served as an IGNOU Academic Counsellor and an IELTS trainer with the British Council. Passionate that I am about teaching, my expertise extends not only to core English Literature majors for undergraduate and postgraduate students, but also Business Communication, Technical Communication, Verbal Ability, and Legal English, Public Speaking and Academic Writing. I have been a spot evaluator and question paper setter for the University of North Bengal, and have comprehensive knowledge in conducting online classes through MS-Teams and Zoom, using CISCO Webex and other LMS systems for lectures, assignments, online examinations, and webinars. I have also been recognized for my outstanding contribution in organising a Five-Day Faculty Development Programme at Amity University Jharkhand. I have been an Indira Gandhi Postgraduate fellow during my Masters programme. As a contribution to the society I have been associated with Community College of NBXC and delivered Spoken English classes to students and grown-ups of

neighbouring villages. My ultimate objective is to contribute to the growth and development of young professionals with brilliant communication skills in addition to their domain knowledge. I believe in the motto of nation-building through education.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

1. Employed as full-time **Asst. Professor at Amity Institute of English Studies and Research, AUJ, Ranchi. July 2018 to Feb 2021.**
2. Employed as Full-time **Assistant Professor in English at North Bengal St.Xavier's College, Rajganj, Jalpaiguri** from September 2010 to Feb. 2016
3. TOTAL TEACHING EXPERIENCE OF **about 9 years.**
4. **IGNOU Academic Counsellor at North Bengal St.Xavier's College** centre for undergraduate and post-graduate courses in English.
5. **Former IELTS trainer with British Council at Global Education Services, Siliguri.**
6. **Lecturer (part-time) for Postgraduate course in English at Directorate of Distance Education** under University of North Bengal.
7. **Experienced in teaching Business Communication, Technical Communication, Verbal Ability, Legal English to undergraduate and Post-graduate(MBA, MCA, law and Engineering students.**

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

1. Appointed **spot evaluator of Honours (BA English) examination papers at University of North Bengal** on several occasions.
2. Appointed **question paper setter for Elective English under University of North Bengal.**
3. **Chief –Editor for college magazine “Expressions”** for three consecutive years from 2012 to 2015 at North Bengal St. Xavier's College.
4. **Co-ordinator of Department of English at at North Bengal St.Xavier's College, Rajganj, Jalpaiguri** from 2012 to 2015.
5. Member of **NAAC and IQAC (criteria in-charge) Committee at Amity University Jharkhand.**
6. **Moderator and Question Paper-setter** for several courses at Amity University Jharkhand.

7. **Convenor of Literary and Debating Society** at Amity University Jharkhand.
8. **Co-Convenor of Media Committee** at Amity University Jharkhand.
9. Active member of **Student Welfare and Cultural Committee** at Amity University Jharkhand.
10. **Master of Ceremony** for several grand events at North Bengal St.Xavier's College, Amity University Jharkhand and other independent organisations.
11. **Comprehensive Knowledge in LMS systems and conducting online classes** through MS-Teams and Zoom app., including conducting lectures, scheduling assignments, conducting online examinations, conducting **Webinars using CISCO-WEBEX** aps etc.

AWARDS:

1. **Topper of Loreto College**, Darjeeling English Honours batch of 2008.
2. Recipient of prestigious **INDIRA GANDHI POST GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP (2008-2010)**.
3. Received **Certificate of Appreciation from Vice-Chancellor Amity University Jharkhand for outstanding contribution in organising Five-Day Faculty Development Programme at AUJ**.

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS:

1. **“A Subaltern Within A Subaltern: Dismantling the forced decoding of Anglo-Indian Feminine Silence.”** - Presented at International Conference of Comparative Literature Association of India, Sahitya Akademi.(INTERNATIONAL)
2. **“ ‘Sense of an Ending’: De-stereotyping childhood through Arundhati Roy’s *The God of Small Things* and Pinki Virani’s *Bitter Chocolate*.**, at UGC sponsored Seminar at Loreto College, Darjeeling.(NATIONAL)
3. Attended UGC sponsored conference on **“Reading”**, organised by Department of English, University of North Bengal.(NATIONAL)

4. **“Not all is Child’s Play: Exploration of an Alternative Childhood in Arundhati Roy’s “The God of Small Things”, Book Chapter** published in the edited Volume *Indian Booker Prize Winners- A Re-Reading* by Dr.S Kannade. ISBN-9789264135, 2019. (NATIONAL)
5. **" Role of Tribal Women in Protecting the Environment: An Ecofeminist Perspective"** has been presented at the 3rd World Clean Environment Summit organised by **International Benevolent Research Foundation and Confederation of Indian Universities**. The abstract book has been published with ISBN no. 978-81-937346-6-7.
6. **"Role of Tribal Women in Protecting the Environment: An Ecofeminist Perspective"** published in *Purakala*, a UGC care listed journal with ISSN: 0971-2143 Vol-31-Issue-23-May-2020.
7. **"A Discourse in Dignity: A Comparative Overview of Dalit Literatures in Bengali and Marathi "** published in an edited volume *Literatures from the Fringe: Voices of the Marginalised with ISBN 13: 9789390459124*.
8. **“ ‘Taking Laughter Seriously’: How Ray subverts the ‘otherness’ of Laughter in *Abol Tabol*”** published in edited volume *Non-Sense and Sensibility : A Critical Study of Sukumar Ray’s Abol Tabol , ISBN : 978-93-83265-55-8*.
9. **“ Rebels with a purpose: The art of Characterisation in Mahashweta Devi;s *Draupadi*”** published with ISBN: 9789383265596.
10. **“ Role of Theatre in Education and creating Awareness in Rural and Semi-urban areas of India”** published in Indian Journal of Adult Education ISSN:0019-5006, VOL.82, NO.1(B).
11. **“ A New Theatre in the City: Fouzia Dastango and the revival of *Dastangoi*”** presented at the VII INTERNATIONAL Media Summit, organised by HSNC University Mumbai and KCC college Mumbai.
12. **“ A Shadow Pandemic: A study of increased Domestic Violence during the Covid Lockdown”** presented at the **International Conference on Transformations and consequences in Society due to Covid-19 Pandemic** at AAB College, Pristina Kosovo.

TRAINING PROGRAMMES:

1. **FDP/Workshop** on ‘Participant Centred Learning’, at **IIM Ranchi**, May 2019.
2. Completed an online course from **Harvard University EdX** entitled “**Storytelling for Social Change**”.
3. Attended **5-day Faculty Development Programme** at **Amity University Jharkhand**, June 2018.
4. Attended **Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights** at **Amity University Jharkhand**, February 2019.
5. Attended several other National and International Conferences of repute.

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