

ENGLISH MAHILA

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THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

SRI PADMAVATI MAHILA VISVAVIDYALAYAM, TIRUPATI

15th & 16th Issues



The Department of English is happy to bring forth the combined 15th & 16th issues, of the newsletter, ENGLISH MAHILA covering the vibrant activities/events from May to December 2025.

As usual academic activities moved on smoothly. The final year students [batch 2024-26] were given a fitting farewell by their juniors. Classes were in full swing for both I & III semesters students.

We are glad to co-ordinate with Ms. Angela Bakula, US Fellow from America to teach Communicative English to the other departments on the campus

As part of Literary Association, to encourage the students book prizes were given to them on various categories - Well read, Sincere and hand working, most Creative and most Friendly.

The staff busied themselves in carrying out Projects and conducting Workshops on the campus.

As it is done annually, to honour the memory of our beloved Late. Prof. Veena Noble Dass, the Department organized Prof. Veena Noble Dass Endowment Lecture-8 on **Decolonizing Environmentalism: The Ecofeministic way**, delivered by Prof. Ramesh Kotti, Department of English, Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajamahendravaram.

We invite the alumnae to share your success stories and keep us informed about your Professional accomplishment.

Faculty

Prof . T. Bharathi

*Chairperson, BoS
Dean, Development.*



Prof. Y. S. Sharada

*Head ,
Dean, Library & Learning
Resources, Central Library.*

Prof. P. Hari Padma Rani

*Point of Contact for ELF
from the U.S.*



Prof. M. Neeraja

*Coordinator, Soft Skills
Improvement & Language Lab.*

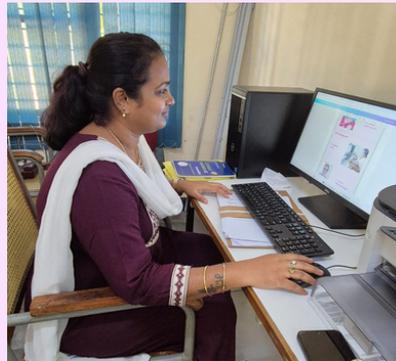


Prof. V. Nirmala

Deputy Director NIRF.

Non-Teaching Staff

K. Navani
Clerk.



C. Rukmini
OfficeSubordinate.

Departmental Activities...

Prof. Veena Noble Dass Endowment Lecture - 8

The Department organized Prof. Veena Noble Dass – 8th Endowment Lecture **Decolonizing Environmentalism: The Eco feministic way** on 05.12.2025. Dr. Ramesh Kotti, Professor of English from Adikavi Nannaya University, Rajamahendravaram, delivered the lecture.



Teachers' Day Celebration

Students celebrated Teachers' Day in the Department and felicitated their Teachers



**P.G. Students of English Department Celebrating Halloween festival
along with Ms. Angela Susan Bakula**



Workshops conducted on the Campus by Prof. P. Hari Padma Rani held on 23rd & 24th of December 2025.

Workshop on Academic Writing to Ph.D. Scholars



Workshop on Communicative Skills for P. G. Students

MBA Final YEAR



B. Sc. Nursing & GNM



MCA 1st YEAR





MBA 1st YEAR

MCA 2nd YEAR



Visitors to the Department...

Foreign students from Japan visited the department and interacted with the faculty on 15.09.2025



Faculty Activities

Prof. T. Bharathi

- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 17.06.2025 by Gitanjali Institute of Science and Technology, Nellore.
- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 23.06.2025 by Mother Theresa Institute of Engineering and Technology, Palamaneru.
- Attended as Subject Expert for selection of the Guest Faculty of English, National Sanskrit University, Tirupati on 26.06.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 02.07.2025 by Annamacharya Institute of Technology and Sciences, Tirupati.
- Attended as Subject Expert for Selection of Academic Consultants for English, S. V. University held on 04.07.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 18.08.2025, Sri Sai Institute of Technology & Sciences, Rayachoti.
- Delivered Malathi Chandur Endowment lecture on 21 August 2025, SPMVV, Tirupati.
- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 28 August 2025, by Siddartha Academy Group of institutions, C. Gollapalli
- Published a paper entitled, “ Indira Goswami: A Voice against Exploitation” International Journal of Multi-Disciplinary Educational Research, (IJMER), ISSN: 2277-7881, Peer Reviewed and Referred International Journal, Index Copernicus Volume:5.16, International Scientific Indexing Value:2.286.
- Member , selection committee to select the Full Time Consultant (Internal Audit) in National Sanskrit University on 13.10.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting held on 18-10-2025 at Sir C. V. Raman Institute of Technology and Sciences, Tadipatri.
- Attended as member of selection committee on 26.06.2025, National Sanskrit University.
- Attended DAC online meeting on 03-11-2025, VIT, Vellore.
- Published a paper titled “Suffering and Salvation: A Version of Crime and Punishment” in the International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews (IJRAR), **Multi-disciplinary peer reviewed** and refereed monthly Journal , Vol.12, Issue 29-October-2025, Pp: IJRAR25D1632. E-ISSN: 2348-1269, P-ISSN: 2349-5138, Impact Factor 7.17.

- Attended as Guest of Honour in the 2nd anniversary of Tirupati Writers Association held on 21.12.2025.
- Member , selection Committee for recruitment of Controller of Examinations, National Sanskrit University, 23.12.2025.

Prof. Y. S. Sharada

- Nominated as Expert member of the Board of Studies of Vaagdevi Institute of Technology & Science, Proddutur by JNTUA, Anantapuramu for a period of three years from June 2025 to May 2028.
- Went to Hyderabad on RUSA Project field work for two days i.e. on 09.06.2025 and 10.06.2025 and met the Transgender Community and interacted with them.
- Presented the mid-term evaluation report of RUSA Project entitled “Experiences and Exploitation of Transgenders in Telangana and Andhra Pradesh - A Study” on 11.06.2025 at Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.
- Attended a one week online National Level Faculty Development Programme on “Narratives in Popular Culture: Female Power Perspective” organized by B R B College of Commerce, Raichur, Karataka in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 12.06.2025 to 18.06.2025.
- Published a paper in Conference Proceedings of AWM 2025 10th Annual Women’s Meet on 01.03.2025 at Chennai titled “The Role of Media in Shaping Workplace Gender Narratives – Insights from Telugu Cinema”, Venus Internation Foundation, 18.06.2025, ISBN – 978-81-969897-8, Ed. Satish Kumar & T . R. Ganesh Babu.
- Attended the first Doctoral meeting of M. S. Keerthana research scholar of Dr. Anil online held at Vellore Institute of Technology on 19.06.2025 .
- Invited as Chief Guest to the farewell ceremony of B.Sc. Horticulture students at Horticultural University, Anantarajapeta on 20.06.2025.
- Participated in the International Yoga day on 21.06.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting of PVKK Institute of Technology, Ananthapuramu held on 23.06.2025 at 3 pm.
- Met Director Venu on 28.06.2025 at Hyderabad as a part of PM USHA Project field work.
- Attended online BoS meeting of Gates Institute of Technology, Gooty, Anantapur on 05.07.2025.

- Attended online BOS meeting of Sri Venkateswara College of Engineering, Tirupati on 07.07.2025.
- Published a paper titled “Reel Histories, Real Lessons: Biopics of Indian lives as Tools for Education” in the **International Journal of Research and Scientific Innovation (IJRSI)**, ISSN 2321-2705 Vol. XII, Issue VI 10.07.2025.
- Attended a week long online FDP on “From Margins to Mainstream: Transgender Narratives as Agents of Social Transformation” organized by Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social sciences, Gokul Global University, Siddhpur Gujarat in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 10th to 16th July 2025.
- Attended online BOS meeting of Chaitanya Bharathi Institute of Technology, Proddatur on 18.07.2025.
- Attended online BOS meeting of Annamacharya Institute of Technology and Sciences, Kadapa on 21.07.2025.
- Attended the online BoS meeting of Siddhartha Institute of Engineering and Technology, Puttur on 23.07.2025.
- Attended online BOS meeting of Vaagdevi Institute of Technology and Science, Proddatur, on 24.07.2025.
- As co-author published a paper titled “ Nurturing Soft Skills in Young Minds: An Experimental Approach through Indian Knowledge Systems” in International Journal of Environmental Sciences, a Scopus indexed journal, Vol. 11, No. 19, 2025. pp. 1907-1915, ISSN: 2229-7359.
- As co-author published a paper titled “Subaltern Cinema: Breaking the Barriers and Hitting the Box Office” in International Journal of Environmental Sciences, a Scopus indexed journal, Vol. 11. No. 21, 2025. Pp. 4202-4208, ISSN: 2229-7359.
- Presented a joint paper titled “Revitalizing the Medicinal Plants Sector in India Integrating Tradition, Innovation and Sustainability” at the two day National Conference on “Prospects and Challenges in Medicinal Plants sector in India” organized by Sai Radha Krishna Educational Society, Tirupati in Association with AP Medical and Aromatic Plants Boards& Dept. of Botany, S. V. University, Tirupati on 1st & 2nd August 2025.
- Attended a Webinar on “Editorial Best Practices-Elevate your research to publication: ONOS” organized by WILEY on 20.08.2025 from 3-5pm.
- Attended Malathi Chandur Endowment Lecture organized by the Department of Telugu Studies on 21.08.2025.

- Attended a one week long FDP on "Reimagining Representation: Disability Studies in Literature and Film" from 18-23 August 2025 organized by A.V.P. College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development.
- AS a University nominee attended on online BOS meeting of the Department of English, Chadalawada Ramanamma Engineering college, Tirupati on 28.08.2025.



- Honoured with State Best Teacher Award on 05.09.2025.

- As Dean, Library and Learning Resources, attended an online meeting regarding Shodh- Chakra portal maintained by INFLIBNET on 10.09.2025.
- As Chairperson, BoS of the Dept. of English Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore attended the BoS meeting online scheduled on 19.09.2025.



- Donated blood in the Blood Donation Camp organized by NSS cell & Health Center, SPMVV as part of the "Swasth Nari Sashakt Parivar Abhiyan" under soft component Activity 40 on 22.09.2025.

- Attended a one week long online FDP program on "Teaching Literature through popular culture" organized by Babbar Akali Memorial Khalsa College, Garshankar Punjab, Internal Quality Assurance cell & Department of English in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 22-27 September 2025.
- Biographical profile has been included in Vol. XIV of **Asian Admirable Achievers** on 23.09.2025.
- Received appreciation certificate for donating blood in the closing ceremony of the NSS celebrations held on 24.09.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting of the Department of English, Vellore Institute of Technology on 09.10.2025 and 15.10.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting of the Department of English, Osmania College (A), Kurnool on 14.10.2025.

- Presented a paper entitled “Addressing Healthcare Barriers and Stigma in Transgender people: A Multidisciplinary Approach” in the international conference on **Multidisciplinary Research in Health care** Organized by school of Nursing, SPMVV & CIR, SPMVV in collaboration with SNTD women’s University, Mumbai, ICMR & NIN, Prince of songkla University, Thailand & LOS Angeles community college USA held in hybrid mode at SPMVV on 23rd & 24th October-2025.
- Participated in a National Level Three –Day Virtual Faculty Development Programme on “New Frontiers in English Language Teaching” from 29.10.2025 to 31.10.2025, organized by Division of English, Freshman Engineering Department, Lakireddy Balireddy college of Engineering, Mylavaram NTR (DT), A. P.
- Acted as convenor, Cultural Decor & Inaugural & Valedictory committee, for the international Dance event “Nritya Vahini” held from 13-15th November 2025 organized by the Center for International Relations, SPMVV, under the aegis of PM-USHA.
- Attended an online BoS meeting of the Dept. of English, SV college of Engineering, Tirupati on 07.11.2025.
- Attended an online BoS meeting of the Department of English, Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore on 13.11.2025.
- As chairperson, BoS of the Department of English Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore attended an online meeting on 26.11.2025.
- Attended a one week long online FDP on “The Indigenous voices and Living Oral Traditions of Tamilnadu & Kerala “organized by Babbar Akali Memorial Khalsa College, Garhshankar, Punjab, IQAC and Department of English in Collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 30th October to 5th November 2025.



- As Dean Library and Learning Resources organized Library week celebrations from 14th -20th November 2025 and conducted competitions on My Favourite Book – five minute video, Poster- making and creative writing poem& story competitions in both English and Telugu.

- Attended an online short term course on “ Empowering Educators: AI- Powered Design Tools for Future Classrooms” organized by B. R. B college of Commerce, Raichur, Karnataka in collaboration with Nucleus of learning and Development from 24th to 29th November 2025.
- As Dean, Library and Learning Resources, attended the online meeting chaired by the secretary, UGC and Director INFLIBNET on 03.12.2025 regarding the progress of the implementation of Shodh- Chakra and to discuss the effective use of two web platforms PRAGYA and patent Repository Management System launched by INFLIBNET.
- Invited to attend CAS interviews on 04.12.2025 at Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore as BoS Chairperson, Department of English.

- Participated in the one week long online National level Faculty Development Programme on “Cultural Resistance and Oral Tradition: A Study of Easterine Kire’s works” Organized by Nucleus of Learning and Development from 18 to 24 December 2025.
- As Dean, Library & Learning Resources, attended the 34th Annual General Body Meeting of DELNET held in hybrid mode on 22.12.2025.
- Received the Asian Admirable Achievers Award 2025 on 22-12--2025 from Rifacimento International Foundation, New Delhi.

Prof. P. Hari Padma Rani

- Attended the International Yoga Day Celebrations at the University on 21-06-25, jointly organised by NIN,Pune, Centre for Gandhian Studies, Tirupati and Sri Padmavati Mahila University.
- Attended the Gender Sensitization Session by Dr. Sanvi Jethwani organized by the Department of Music, Dance and Fine Arts, SPMVV on 26-06-25.
- Served as subject expert on the interview board for the Central University of Andhra Pradesh on 01-07-25, for the selection of Assistant Professors on contractual basis.
- Attended the online BoS meeting of the Department of Basic Sciences and Humanities, RISE Engineering College, Ongole on 04-07-25.
- The scholar D. Swati finished her Ph. D. Viva on 21-07-25 on the topic " Translating the 1960's Telugu novel "Repoti Velugu" into English - A Study of Challenges".
- Attended the steering committee meeting of APSET-25, as a nominated member, at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam on 22-07-25.
- Attended the day-long endowment seminar on Malathi Chandur organised by the Telugu department of SPMVV on 21-08-25.
- Attended as external member, the BoS meeting of SPW Degree & PG College on 16-09-2025.
- Participated in the Five day long Training Program on Nurturing Future Leadership at IIT, Chennai from 22nd to 26th September.
- Published a book review on Galla Aruna Kumari’s Sweeya Charitra in the journal Jyanavi published by SPMVV, vol. 1 Issue: 4, ISSN: 3049-2882.
- Attended the BoS meeting of Vignana Nirula college of Engineering, Guntur on 09.10.2025 as JNTUK nominee.
- Served as subject expert on the CAS scrutiny committee for Krishna University, Machilipatnam on 13.10.2025.

- Delivered an invited talk on the topic “Reflections on Ambiguity” at the Department of English, Krishna University on 13.10.2025.
- As convener and one of the resource persons, conducted a one-day Workshop on Communication skills for the MCA final year students (103 in number) on 16.10.2025. Ms. Angela Susan Bakula, the English language Fellow on the campus from the US, has also served as resource person at the workshop.
- Conducted a workshop on Communication Skills for the first year B. Sc. Nursing and GNM students (73) with Angela Susan Bakula as one of the resource persons on 23.10.2025.
- Member, TESOL International Association for the year 2025-26.
- As convener and one of the two resource persons, conducted a day-long workshop on Communication Skills for 97 MCA first year students at the Department of Computer Science, SPMVV on 06-11-25. Ms. Angela Susan Bakula, the English Language Fellow from the US, served as the second Resource Person.
- Served as the convener of the compering committee for the three-day international cultural exchange dance festival "Nritya Vahini ' organised by Sri Padmavati Mahila University from 13-15 November 2025.
- As convener and one of the two resource persons, conducted a day-long workshop on Communication Skills for 51 MBA final year students at the Department of Business Management, SPMVV on 20-11-25. Ms. Angela Susan Bakula, the English Language Fellow from the US, served as the second Resource Person.
- As convener and one of the two resource persons, conducted a day-long workshop on Communication Skills for 54 MBA final year students at the Department of Business Management, SPMVV on 21-11-25. Ms. Angela Susan Bakula, the English Language Fellow from the US, served as the second Resource Person.
- Organised a Two-day workshop on Academic Writing for research scholars/faculty of SPMVV, with Ms. Angela Susan Bakula, the English Language Fellow as the principal Resource Person, at the Committee Hall, Saaveri Guest house, SPMVV on 22-23 of December 2025. The workshop was organised as a joint collaborative programme between the Centre for International Relations and the Department of English.
- As a member, attended online, the scrutiny committee for Senior professor selection under CAS for Yogi Vemana university, Kadapa on 29th December 2025.

Prof. M. Neeraja

- Attended an online BoS meeting , on 27.06.2025. Anantha Lakshmi Institute of Engineering and Technology, Anantapur .
- Attended an online BOS meeting , on 05.07.2025, Viswam Engineering College (UGC Autonomous), Madanapalle.
- Attended Malathi Chandur Endowment Lecture organized by the Department of Telugu Studies on 21.08.2025,SPMVV, Tirupati.
- Attended one week long online research workshop on Systematic Literature Review for Beginners from 01.09.2025 to 06.09.2025 organized by Nuhianwali Education Society Haryana.
- Attended FDP lecture series conducted by the Dept. Of English, KL University 04th, 11th, 18th and on 25th September 2025.
- As a member of the verification committee attended and completed physical verification of MAT Lab Software installed at the School of Engineering & Technology on 19th September, SPMVV.
- Participated in the Five days National Level Faculty Development Programme(Virtual) on “ A Roadmap to Ethical Governance and Excellence in Higher Institutions” held from 08.10.2025 to 12.10.2025 organized by PG and Research , Department of Mathematics & Department of Computer Applications , Jayaraj Annapackiam college for Women (Autonomous) , Periyakulam, Theni(D. t.).
- Published a paper entitled “Violence Against Women: A Comparative Study of Ancient And Contemporary Times” in the Lex Localis –Journal of Local Self-Government, **Scopus Q2** indexed Vol. 23, No. S5 (October2025), ISSN: 1581-5374E-ISSN: 1855-363X. Pp: 2448-2452 .
- Participated in the 5days online National level Faculty Development Programme on “Advanced Research Writing and Publication” from 17th to 21st, November 2025 organized by Department of Management Studies, Sri Venkateswara college of Engineering & Technology , Kerala.
- Member of Board of Studies, Department of English, National Sanskrit University on 10.12.2025.

- As co-author published an article titled “Redefining Family Ties: Nisha’s Path to Freedom and Self- Worth as a ‘New Woman in Home” in International Journal of Research in English , A Peer Reviewed , Refereed, Indexed Journal, Vol. 7, Issue 2, Nov 2025, P-ISSN:2664-8717, E-ISSN: 2664-8725, pp-725-727.
- As co-author published an article titled "Unpacking Trauma and Its Gendered Dimensions: Voices of All Generations in Select Novels of Manju Kapur" in JYANAVI, a quarterly peer reviewed journal Published by Sri Padmavati Mahila University, Tirupati, Vol. 1, Issue 3, July 2025, ISSN: 3049-2882, pp-33-39.

Prof. V. Nirmala

- Participated in the virtual NAAC peer- team visit on the 15th & 16th May 2025 as Member co-ordinator.
- Published a paper titled Leading From “The Margins-Lacking The Space In History: An Introduction to the “FIREFLIES”- The Biographies of the Unsung Heroic Women” in International Journal of Multi-Educational Research (IJMER), ISSN:2277-7881(Print); IMPACT FACTOR :9.014(2025); IC VALUE:5.16; ISI VALUE:2.286 Peer Reviewed and Refereed International Journal (Fulfilled Suggests Parameters of UGC by IJMER) Volume:14, Issue:5(4), May: 2025 Scopus Review ID: A2B96D3ACF3FEA2A . Pp 133-138.
- Participated in online National Certificate Course on “Mythological Paradigms: Greek Mythology and Its relevance in Contemporary Literature” organized by Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Gokul Global University, Sidhpur, Gujarat in Collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 29th May to 11th June 2025.
- Participated in the One week online National level FDP on “Exploring Gerontology through Select Fiction” organized by Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Gokul Global University, Sidhpur, Gujarat in Collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 5th June to 11th June 2025.
- As part of the project work under RUSA, as a Co-Investigator interacted with the Trans people in Hyderabad on the 9th & 10th June 2025.
- Participated in the Online NAAC Peer Team visit for University of Technology, Jaipur, and Rajasthan as Member Coordinator from 17th to 19th June 2025.
- As part of the project work under RUSA, as a Co-Investigator interacted with the Transpeople in Kadapa and Vempalli on the 26th June 2025.
- As an external member on BoS of Anantha Lakshmi Institute of Engineering and Technology, Anantapur, participated in the Online BoS meeting on 27th June 2025.

- As part of the project work under PM USHA as the Principal Investigator interacted with the film directors on the 28th and 29th June 2025.
- As an external expert on the Three Member Assessment Committee participated in the assessment of the research work of JRF and SRF scholars in the department of English in SV University, Tirupati on 06-07-2025.
- Participated in the One Week FDP on “Transgender Narratives as Agents of Social Transformation” organized by Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Gokul Global University, Sidhpur, Gujarat in Collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 10-07-2025 to 16-07-2025.
- Published a research article titled, “Mythical Consciousness in Modern Women’s Writings: Re-visiting and Re-telling the Myths from Women’s Perspective” in the International Journal for Multi Educational Research (IJMER) in Volume 14, Issue 07, July 2025, ISSN: 2277-7881, Impact factor 9.014.
- As the Principal Investigator, gave a presentation on the Half-yearly Report on the project “Subaltern Camera: A Critical Study of Representation, Identity and Social Change”, sanctioned under PM USHA, SPMVV, on 17-07-2025 and submitted the Half-yearly Report.
- Participated in the Seven Day International Online Faculty Development Programme on “Innovative Pedagogies and Research Frontiers in English Language and Literature: Empowering Educators for Holistic Classroom Excellence” from 21-07-2025 to 29-07-2025, organized by Kongu Arts and Science College, Erode, Tamilnadu.
- As a Resource Person, delivered an Invited Talk on the topic, “Crossing the Borders and Barriers: Women Writing in India” in A Seven Day National Level (Virtual) Faculty Development Program on “Narratives Across Borders: Multilingual and Multicultural Explorations” on 25-07-2025, organized by PG and Research Centre of English, G.T.N. Arts College, Dindigul, Tamilnadu.
- Published a research paper titled “Kusumabale : A Reflection of Dalit Aesthetics and an Ardent Plea for Self-Assertion and Social Transformation” in IJRAR, International Journal of Analytical Research, Peer reviewed , refereed jurnal with Impact Factor: 7.17 | UGC Approved Journal No: 43602(19), in Volume 12, Issue 3, August 2025. ISSN-2348-1269.
- Published a paper titled, “Subaltern Cinema: Crossing the Barriers and Hitting the Box-office”, in the International Journal of Environmental Sciences ISSN (Online): 2229-7359 a Multi-disciplinary ,SCOPUS indexed Journal, Vol. 11 No. 21s, August, 2025 <https://theaspd.com/index.php>, pp 4202-4208.
- As an external expert and the Chairperson on the Viva-Voce Board, conducted a Ph. D. viva in the Department of English and Communications, Dravidian University, Kuppam on the 2nd August 2025.

- Participated and presented a paper titled “Kusumabale: A Plea for Social Transformation and Assertion of Self” in a Two-Day International Conference on “Digital Humanities, Cognitive Linguistics & Contemporary Literatures” during 11 & 12 August 2025, organized by the Dept. of English, KL Deemed University in collaboration with Cambridge University Press & Assessment Organizers.
- Attended a One Week FDP on “Reimagining Representation: Disability Studies in Literature and Film” from 18.08.2025 to 23 .08. 2025, organized by A.V.P. College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development.
- Attended Malathi Chandur Endowment Lecture organized by the Department of Telugu Studies on 21.08.2025.



- Received the University Research award for the Inter-disciplinary/Trans-disciplinary Research on 05.09.2025 from SPMVV, Instituted by Prof. P. Vijayalakshmi, in memory of her father Late Sri Peddiboyina Somaraju.

- Participated in the One Week Online National FDP on “Reel to Real Learning: Pedagogical Perspectives on Cinema in Higher Education” from 08.09.2025 to 13.09.2025, organized by Sanatana Dharma College, Ambala cantt, Haryana in collaboration with Nucleus of learning and Development.
- Attended the Online Research Review Meeting of the Dept. of English, Yogi Vemana University, KADAPA, on 09.09.2025 as an external member on BoS.
- Participated in the One Week Online National FDP on “Teaching Literature through Popular Culture” from 22.09.2025 organized by Babbar Akali Memorial Khalsa College Garhshankar, Punjab in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development.
- Published an article titled, “Walk with Dr. M. R. Rajagopal to Learn Lessons for “Healing Beyond Medicine” in IJMER, International Journal of Multi-disciplinary Educational Research, Volume 15, Issue 2, September 2025. ISSN; 2277-7881. IMF-9.014.
- As a Co- author, published a research paper titled,” The Journey of the ‘ I’ in the search for Self and Strength” in the Quarterly Journal JYANAVI, published by SPMVV, Vol. 1, No. 4 (October –December 2025), ISSN: 3049-2882. Pp: 165-169.
- As an external member on BoS, in the Dept. of English, Srinivasa Institution of Technology, Kadapa, participated in the BoS meeting on 10th October 2025.
- Participated and presented a paper titled, “ Walking with the Weary: Compassion , Policy and the Human Spirit in Healthcare and the Evolution of palliative care in India” in the International Conference on Multidisciplinary Research in Health care held by the School of Nursing & CIR , SPMVV, during 23rd & 24th October 2025.

- Participated in a National Level Three –Day Virtual Faculty Development Programme on “New Frontiers in English Language Teaching” from 29.10.2025 to 31.10.2025, Organized by Division of English, Freshman Engineering Department, Lakireddy Balireddy college of Engineering, Mylavaram NTR (DT), A. P.
- Participated in the International Cultural Exchange Dance Festival as a Co-Convenor on Reception Committee from 13th November to 15th November 2025, organized by the Center for International Relations, SPMVV, under the aegis of PM-USHA.
- Participated in the 2-Week Online National IKS Certificate Course on the theme “Integrating Indian Knowledge Systems in Academia through NEP 2020: A Vision for Civilizational Reclamation” from 17.11.2025 to 28.11.2025 organized by Nucleus of Learning and Development, Vadodara, Gujarat.
- Published a paper titled “Seeds of Oppression, Roots of Resistance:Ecofeminist Study of Atwood’s The Handmaid’s Tale” in the International Journal of Novel Research and Development (IJNRD), Multi-disciplinary peer reviewed and refereed monthly journal in Vol 10, Issue 11, November 2025, Pp b636-b641. ISSN: 2456-4184. Impact factor 8.76.
- Participated in 5-day Online National FDP on “Research Structuring & Publication Process” from 24th to 28th November 2025, organized by National Foundation for Entrepreneurship Development (NEFD), Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India.
- Participated in the One Week online National Level Faculty Development Program on “Digital Humanities in English Studies: Theory and Praxis” organized by Teacher Reskilling Cell and Online Education & LMS Cell I.N.M. PG College, Meerut, in collaboration with Nucleus of Learning and Development from 4th to 10th December 2025.
- Nominated as Subject Expert for conducting the interviews for the post of Professor in English under CAS at Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore on 04-12-2025.
- As an External Expert, conducted a Ph.D. Viva-voce examination on 12.12.2025, in the Dept. of English, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.
- Published a paper titled, “Arise, Awake and Stop Not till You Reach Your Goal”: Motivating Towards Equality in the Workplace through Feminist Literary Perspectives” in Volume 13, Issue 12, December - 2025 of International Journal of All Research Education & Scientific Methods (IJARESM), An ISO Certified Peer-Reviewed Journal, ISSN: 2455-6211, Impact Factor: 8.536.
- Delivered a lecture in the One Day Workshop on “ The Aspects of Effective Communication” in One Day Workshop on “Communication and Soft Skills” in Dr. Abdul Haq Urdu University, Kurnool on 29.12.2025.

Dr. K. Revathi

- Participated in the Five-day Online Employee Development Program (EDP) on “Strategies to Develop Employability Skills: Understanding the Changing World of Work” organized by VIT-AP school of Social Sciences and Humanities from 23 to 28-07-2025.
 - Presented a paper, entitled, “Innovative Pedagogical Strategies: A Successful and Trendy Student-Centric Approach” in a two-day International Conference, conducted by ANITS, Vishakapattanam on 27th and 28th June, 2025.
 - Published an article, entitled, “The Challenges of Machine Translation from Telugu Literary Text to English: Textual and Contextual Analysis” (second author) published in an International Journal of Intelligent Systems and Applications in Engineering, 28th April 2025. ISSN: 2147 6799. Page Nos: 160-167.
 - Published an article entitled, “Efficacy of MT on Select Telugu Poem to English: A Critical Study” (as a second author) in an International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research and Analysis. ISSN (Print) 2643-9840, ISSN (Online): 2643-9875.
 - Published an article in the monthly Telugu journal, “Misimi” entitled, “Vana Pilla – Machine Anuvadham” August issue, 2025. Pp. 64-66.
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Scholars' Achievements.....



N. Hemavathi Ph.D. (Full- Time) Scholar got through National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted UGC during July, 2025.



C. Mary Prasanthi Ph.D. (Full- Time) Scholar got through State Eligibility Test (APSET) , 2021.



Ms. M. Sweeti, (Full -Time) research scholar of Prof. Y. S. Sharada has been awarded Doctoral Degree on 19.07.2025.



Ms. D Swathi, (Part-Time)research scholar of Prof.P. Hari Padma Rani has been awarded Doctoral Degree on 21.07.20025.

Scholars' Activities...

T. Sireesha

- T. Sireesha & Prof. M. Neeraja jointly published an article titled "Unpacking Trauma and Its Gendered Dimensions: Voices of All Generations in Select Novels of Manju Kapur" in JYANAVI, a quarterly peer reviewed journal Published by Sri Padmavati Mahila University, Tirupati, Vol. 1, Issue 3, July 2025, ISSN: 3049-2882, pp-33-39.
- T. Sireesha & Prof. M. Neeraja Jointly published an article titled "Redefining Family Ties: Nisha's Path to Freedom and Self- Worth as a 'New Woman in Home'" in International Journal of Research in English , A Peer Reviewed , Refereed, Indexed Journal, Vol. 7, Issue 2, Nov 2025, P-ISSN:2664-8717, E-ISSN: 2664-8725, pp-725-727.

G.Bhargavi

- G.Bhargavi & Prof. Y. S.Sharada jointly published an article titled "Social Media as a Tool of Discourse – Divulging Women's Well-being " in JYANAVI, a quarterly peer reviewed journal Published by Sri Padmavati Mahila University, Tirupati, Vol. 1, Issue 3, July 2025, ISSN: 3049-2882, pp-82-90
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PG Students' Activities

Literary Association

The Outgoing students (2024batch) were given book prizes as a token of appreciation



G .Pragna-Sincere and hardworking



S. Divya – Most friendly



G. NagaLakshmi –Most Creative



K. Anitha – Well Read

**Farewell to the final years (2024-2026) by their juniors on
05.07.2025**



Final year students with the faculty Members



Feedback on the fourteenth issue of **ENGLISH MAHILA**

Just glanced through the issue. Faithful reflection of the accomplishments of your department.

I hope that the Saga goes on ...

Good Wishes and Regards.

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Glimpses of Nature



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