

FACULTY PROFILE

Name : B. Abinaya Bharathi

Designation : Assistant Professor

Department : English

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Educational Qualification : M.A., M. Phil., NET, SET

Area of Specialization : Canadian Literature

Indian Writing in English



- **NET/ SET Trainer** exclusively for English Literature in Elite Academy, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

Doctoral Research (Ph.D)

- **Year:** 2018 (In Progress)
- **University:** Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, India
- **Topic:** “Dominant, Emergent and Residual: A study of Cultural Syncretism in the select novels of Beatrice Culleton Mosionier and Maria Campbell”

UGC- NET/SET

- UGC-NET in January 2017- Reg. no-71005561
- UGC-NET in November 2017– Reg. No-72003317
- TNSET in April 2017 – Reg. No-18127152

Master of Philosophy:

- **Year:** 2017
- **Degree :** Master of Philosophy in English
- **Percentage:** 79.5%
- **College:** St. John's College, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli
- **Topic:** "The Mythically Subjugated and the Relegated Other: Woman as Manifestation of Victimization as revealed in Beatrice Culleton Mosionier's *In Search of April Raintree*".

Post Graduation

- **Year:** 2016
- **Degree:** Masters degree in English Literature (M.A)
- **Percentage:** 67%
- **Institution:** Ethiraj College for Women (Autonomous), Chennai
- **Topic :** "Hybridity and Identity: A Perceptive Study in Kiran Desai's *The Inheritance of Loss*"

Under Graduation:

- **Year:** 2014
- **Degree:** Bachelor's Degree in English Literature (B.A)
- **Percentage:** 71%
- **Institution:** St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli

Resource Person:

- A lecture was given to the students of the Department of English at Rani Anna Government College for Women, Tirunelveli on 15th October 2018 on the topic "*Techniques in Fiction and Drama*".
- Weekend NET/ SET Trainer for the students in the Elite Academy and motivated them to crack their exams.
- Acted as a Judge in the competitions held at A.P.C. Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.

Seminars / Conference/ Workshops Attended:

International Level:

- International seminar “*Theatre and Literature for Language Learning*” on 7th April 2017 organized by St. John’s College, Palayamkottai.
- International Seminar “*Globalization on Second Language Acquisition, Teaching, and Learning*” held on 23rd September 2017 organized by Sri Parasakthi College for Women, Courtallam.
- International Seminar on “*Women: Empowered to Lead- WEL-2018*” held on 7th February 2018 organized by A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.
- International Conference on “*Tamizhian Writing in English: New Directions and Perspectives*” held on 9th and 10th March, 2018 at Vivekananda Kendra, Kanyakumari organized by Lavender Literary Club in collaboration with Malankara Catholic College, Mariagiri, Kaliakavilai, Kanyakumari, TamilNadu.
- Science Academies’ lecture Workshop on “*Current Innovations and Development in Life Science*” held on 14th and 15th March 2018 organized by A.P.C. Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.
- Two Day Workshop on “*Women in Science and Research*” held on 27th and 28th July 2018 organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), V.O. Chidambaram College, Thoothukudi.
- International Seminar on “*Prospective Areas of Research in Computer Science with Health care Data*” held on 9th and 10th August 2018, organized by the Department of Computer Science and Department of Zoology in Collaboration with IQAC, A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.

National Level:

- National Seminar ‘*Thesis, Antithesis – Synthesis: The Scope of Postcolonial Theory and Literature*’ on 2nd and 3rd September, 2013 by Research Department of English, St. Xavier’s College, Palayamkottai.
- National Workshop on “*Recent Trends in Banking*” held on 6th July 2018 organized by A.P.C. Mahalaxmi College for women, Thoothukudi.
- National Level Multi Disciplinary Workshop on “*Research Ethics: New Directions*” on 31st August 2018 organized by St. John’s College, Palayamkottai.
- One-Day National Conference on ‘*Contemporary Theoretical Positions in*

Literature’ organized by Research Department of English, Rani Anna Government College for Women, Tirunelveli held on 7th September 2019.

- Workshop on the ‘NPTEL awareness’ conducted by IIT Madras on 19th July 2019 at Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli.
- One-Day National Conference on ‘Cultural Studies’ organized on 18th September 2019 by the Department of English, Kamaraj College, Thoothukudi.

State Level:

- The “*Orientation Programme for Young Researchers*” held on 5th December 2017 at Sarah Tucker College, Tirunelveli.
- State Level Workshop on “*Guidance Programme to attend Competitive Exams*” held on 29th January 2018 organized by A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.

Seminars/ Conferences/ Workshops Coordinated:

- National level Workshop “*The Glamour of Writing- GLOW-18*” on 5th January 2018 at A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi
- National level Workshop “*Why English*” on 18th February at A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.

Guest Lectures organized:

- Convened a guest lecture on “*Critiquing and Changing Society as a Whole*” on 15th July 2019 at A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi. Mr. K. Siva Rama Krishnan, Assistant Professor of English, Rani Anna Government College for Women, Tirunelveli delivered an effective lecture to the students of the Department of English.

Career Advancement Courses Completed:

- UGC Sponsored Orientation Programme, Batch 135 at Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC) and Regional Centres for Capacity Building (RCCB), University of Madras, Chennai held from 08.11.2018 to 05.12.2018 and obtained Grade “A”.

SWAYAM - Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC) Completed:

- Awarded National Programme for Technology Enhanced Learning (**NPTEL**) Online Certification (Funded by the Ministry of HRD) for successfully completing the course “*Literature for Competitive Exams*” and secured top 5% between July and September 2017 (8 Week Course) conducted by Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Madras.
- Awarded National Programme for Technology Enhanced Learning (**NPTEL**) Online Certification (Funded by the Ministry of HRD) for successfully completing the course “*Technical English for Engineers*” between July and September 2017 (8 Week Course) conducted by Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Madras.
- Awarded National Programme for Technology Enhanced Learning (**NPTEL**) Online Certification (Funded by the Ministry of HRD) for successfully completing the course “*Interpersonal Skills*” between July and September 2019 (8 Week Course) conducted by Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Madras.
- Awarded National Programme for Technology Enhanced Learning (**NPTEL**) Online Certification (Funded by the Ministry of HRD) for successfully completing the course “*Body Language: A Key to Professional Success*” between July and August 2019 (4 Week Course) conducted by Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Madras.

Research Publication:

International Journal:

- A paper entitled “*Literature of Diaspora including Immigration and Refugees in Kiran Desai’s The Inheritance of Loss*” Published in International UGC Approved Journal (J.No.44274) ISSN: 2456-5571 with Impact Factor held at Annai Fathima College of Arts and Science, Madurai, Tamil Nadu on 5th October 2017
- A paper entitled “*Mental Shift in the perception of Womanism in Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie’s Purple Hibiscus*” published in **Literary Endeavour** (An International Journal of English Language, Literature and Criticism) ISSN 0976-299X Two Day International Conference on Reminiscence of Revolutionary Reality of African Literature held on 10th and 11th of January 2019, organized by Department of English, Thirumalai Naicker Mannar College, Pasumalai, Madurai.
- A paper entitled “*The Relegated Other: Toward the Oblivion in Beatrice Culleton*”

Mosionier's "In Search of April Raintree" published in **IJELLH** (International Journal of English Language, Literature in Humanities) ISSN: 2321-7065 at Two-Day International Conference on New Waves in Language and Literature (NWLL 2019) held on 8th and 9th of February 2019 organized by Department of English, Sri Krishna Arts and Science College, Coimbatore.

- A paper entitled '*The Mythical Constraint: Pressure of the roots in Beatrice Culleton Mosionier's 'In Search of April Raintree'*' published in **BODHI** (International Journal of Research in Humanities, Arts and Science) E-ISSN: 2456-5571 at Two-Day International Conference on Expression as Representation in English Language and Literature held on 25th and 26th of February 2019 organized by Department of English, Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirapalli, Tamil Nadu.
- A paper entitled '*Heinous Act in the Acuity of Culture in Maria Campbell's Halfbreed*' published in **BODHI** International online Journal (E-ISSN: 2456-5571) in the July issue 2019.
- A paper entitled '*Blankets of Shame: Vulgarities within Oneself in Maria Campbell's Halfbreed*' published under UGC- CARE list Journal in Two Day International Conference on Language, Literature and Linguistics held on 3rd and 4th October 2019 organized by Malankara Catholic College, Mariagiri and Lavender Literary Club, Kanyakumari.

Papers published in Books:

- Article entitled "*Dancing in the Ring: The Cultural Artifacts revealed in Beatrice Culleton Mosionier's In Search of April Raintree*" published in the book named '*Changing Paradigms in Cultural Context of Literature*' (ISBN: 9788194004646) at the Two-day International Conference on Culture and Literature: Convergence & Divergence, held on 27th and 28th of September 2018, organized by Department of English, Thiruvalluvar University, Vellore -632115, Tamil Nadu.
- Article entitled '*The Monstrous Disjuncture: A Study of Kiran Desai's The Inheritance of Loss*' published in the book *Demythification in Indian Literature*

(ISBN- 9789386712707) at the International Conference on Demythification in Indian Literature held on 2nd April 2019 organized by the Department of English, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University Constituent College, Kadayanallur, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu.

Abstract Proceedings:

- *‘Blankets of Shame: Vulgarly within Oneself in Maria Campbell’s Halfbreed’* published with ISBN 9789388761147 in the Two Day International Conference on Language, Literature and Linguistics held on 3rd and 4th October 2019 edited by Dr. R. S. Regin Silvest, Assistant Professor of English, Malankara Catholic College, Mariagiri, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu.

Organizers in other Co-curricular activities in the college:

- Chief coordinator of Fine Arts Association at A.P.C Mahalaxmi College for Women, Thoothukudi.
- One of the coordinators in Anti- discrimination Cell.