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Dr.Noorunnida M. completed her PhD in Gender Studies from Hyderabad Central University. Her thesis is titled “REIMAGINING MUSLIM MASCULINITY: ALTERNATIVE NARRATIVES IN SELECT MAGAZINES FOR MUSLIM CHILDREN IN KERALA.”, She completed her M.Phil. from the Centre for Women’s Studies at Hyderabad Central University and earned her master's in Social Work, from Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady and she cleared NET/SET in the same subject. She has published various papers in international and national journals and has attended different conferences at both international and national levels. She has worked as a student mentor and trainer in various institutions and as an Assistant Professor of Social Work. She is a passionate academician and a compassionate teacher. Her areas of interest include gender, Islam, pedagogy, secularism, media, and childhood.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

➤ 2014 - 2024, Ph.D. in Gender Studies

Centre for Women's Studies, University of Hyderabad

Title of the study: Reimagining Muslim Masculinity: Alternative Narratives in Select Magazines for Muslim children in Kerala

➤ 2012- 2013, M.Phil. in Gender Studies

Centre for Women's Studies, University of Hyderabad

Title of the study: Carving the Gender- A Study on Madrasa Textbooks in Kerala

➤ 2010 - 2011, B.Ed. in English

University of Calicut

➤ 2008- 2010, Masters in Social Work

Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady

➤ 2005 - 2008, Under Graduation in Functional English

University of Calicut

➤ Qualified UGC NET in Social Work, 2013 December

- Qualified SET in Social Work, December 2013

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **2022 June to 2023 January, Programme Co-ordinator- Cadence Institute for Excellence and Social Empowerment, Calicut**
 - Organising workshops
 - Preparing modules
- **2021 February to 2021 June, Assistant Professor of Social Work- Safa Arts and Science College Valancheri, Kerala**
 - Handled different papers of Social Work
 - Managed departmental IQAC work
 - Supervised dissertation works
- **2013 August to July 2014, Student Trainer at Inclusion Training Centre, Vadakara, Kerala**
 - Handled learning disabled students
- **2011 December to June 2012, Student Counsellor at WMO orphanage Muttill**
 - Conducted psycho-social study of students
 - Proficient in counselling

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

1. M, Noorunnida, "Making of the Hindu Nation, Masculinity and the Citizen- Critical Reading of Children's Magazines in South Asia and the Place of Muslims", *Hawwa -Journal of Women of the Middle East and the Islamic World* (2024) published by Brill, ISSN: 1569-2078
<https://doi.org/10.1163/15692086-12341413>
2. M, Noorunnida, " Gender and Childhood: A Critical Study of Malayalam Primary Schools Textbooks," *Bhava Veena: Journal of Arts, Literary, Culture & Language Study* 6(2), June 2022. ISSN: 2456-4702
3. M, Noorunnida, "Children's Magazines and Different Childhoods in Kerala." In *Sahapedia. Children's Texts and Childhoods in Kerala*, July 24, 2019.
<https://www.sahapedia.org/childrens-magazinesand-different-childhoods-kerala>.
4. M, Noorunnida, "Gazing at /in/and through the Pardah/Hijab." *Cafe Dissensus*, July 17, 2015.
<https://cafedissensus.com/2015/07/17/gazing-at-inand-through-the-pardahhijab/> ISSN 2373177X

5. M, Noorunnida, "The gendered world: A Study of Madrasa primary textbooks in Kerala". In *Equity and Challenges in Education: Theory and Practical Approaches*. Cape Comorin: Kanyakumari, 2022. ISBN: 978-93-91553-26-5

6. M, Noorunnida, "Representation of Womanhood: A Study on Popular Children's Magazine in Kerala." In *Women in the Changing Society in India- Trends and Opportunities*, Hyderabad: Pragma Publications, 2018. ISBN: 2456-4702

PRESENTATIONS

1. "Conversion and Religious Right: Political Questions Surrounding the Newly converted women in Kerala" at Maulana Azad National Urdu University.
2. "Spatial Representation of Women in Madrasa and State School (SCERT) Textbook" at Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology Thiruvananthapuram.
3. "Representation of Womanhood: A Study on Popular Children's Magazines in Kerala" at Kakatiya University, Warangal

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

- English (Read, Write, Speak)
- Arabic (Read, Write)
- Malayalam (Read, Write, Speak)
- Hindi (Read, Write)