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Dr. Umar Farooq. MC is a postgraduate in English from The English and Foreign Languages University, Lucknow Campus, secured M Phil in Comparative Literature on the topic “Refiguring the Notion of Community, Region and Nation in Novels: Maram (Tree) and Ennappadam (The Oilfield) by N.P Mohammed” from the Central university of Gujarat in the year 2016 and PhD on the topic “Minority Discourse and Nation: Community, Region and Religion in Contemporary Indian Novels” from the same university, in the year 2021. His teaching and research interests are in the area of minority discourse and issues in literature. His major interests lie in writing and working for the development of minorities in India.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- M.A in English from The English and Foreign Languages University.
- M Phil in Comparative Literature from Central University of Gujarat.
- Ph D in Comparative Literature Central University of Gujarat.

Work Experience

- Teacher in MIC English Medium School, Attanikkal.
- Lecturer in Thanveerul Islam Arabic College, Kumminipparamba.
- Tutor in Tripanachi Ustad Memmorial Hifz College, Arimbra.

AREA OF INTERESTS

Study about minority discourse and theories

PUBLICATIONS

- Published the paper titled “Configuring the Discourse on Minority Conflict and Accommodation in Selected Contemporary Indian Novels” in a book named as *Marginalized Literature*, published by Dadapatil Rajale Arts & Science College, with the ISBN: 9789324457160, based on national level seminar on ‘Marginalized Literature’, in 27 and 28 January 2017.
- Published the paper titled “Revisiting the Discourse of Marginality of Muslim Women: A Critical Analysis of B.M Suhara’s Selected Novels” in *International Journal of Trend in Research and Development (IJTRD)*, ISSN: 2394-9333, www.ijtrd.com, on the basis of International Conference on ‘Active vs Reactive Texts: Literature, Language, Criticism, Theory and Translation (ICART-17)’ organized by Department of English, N.G.M. College, Pollachi, 4th and 5th Aug 2017.
- Published the paper titled "Re-visiting Malayalam Literature and Nationalism: A Comparative Study of N.P Mohammed's Selected Novels" with coauthor Morve Roshan K, in *LangLit*, an International Peer-Reviewed Open Access Journal, ISSN 23495189, vol. 6, issue 1, August 2019.

PRESENTATIONS

- Presented paper titled “Configuring the Discourse on Minority Conflict and Accommodation in Selected Contemporary Indian Novels” at national level seminar on “Marginalized Literature”, organized by Dadapatil Rajale Arts & Science College, Ahmednagar, Maharashtra, in 27th and 28th of January 2017.
- Presented the paper titled “Revisiting Malayalam Literature and Nationalism: A Comparative Study of N.P Mohammed’s Selected Novels” at International Conference on “Language, Literature and Nationalism” jointly organized by the Gujarat Sahitya Academy, Gandhinagar and Government Arts College, Gandhinagar on 24th-25th February 2018.
- Presented a paper titled “Representation of Minority Muslim Culture: A Comparative Study of Southeast Asian Countries and Northeast Region”

ons in India”, at international conference on “Northeast India and Southeast Asia:

Exploring Continuities”, organized by Ambedkar University Delhi, New Delhi, in 25th and 26th of October 2018.

Research. Thrissur. January 2016

WORKSHOPS/ TRAINING ATTENDED:

- Participated in ICSSR Sponsored National level ten days research methodology workshop, which was organized by Dr. Ambedkar Chair, Tezpur University on the theme of “Researching Subalternity in Science and Humanities” from 18th to March 2018.
- Participated in the One Day National Level Faculty Induction Programme organized by IQAC, K.A.H.M Unity Women’s College, Manjeri in association with Kerala state Higher Education Council on 09th March 2022.

OTHER DUTIES (INTERNAL/ EXTERNAL)

- Participated many Centrally Monitored Valuation (CMV) Camps, conducted by University of Calicut.
- Advisor of BBA first year students, 2- Member of NAAC (Criteria -6)